

**Tuesday, Nov. 5 2024**

## Mayor's Newton Update

The City of Newton's unofficial Election Results for *contested* races in today's general election are listed below. Candidates with the check mark (√) received the most votes.

You can find the complete precinct by precinct vote tally in Newton [here](#).



### **President and Vice President**

√ Harris and Walz: 34,825

Trump and Vance: 8,330

Ayyadurai and Ellis: 174

De la Cruz and Garcia: 119

Stein and Caballero-Roca: 427

Oliver and Ter Maat: 238

### **Senator in Congress**

√ Elizabeth Warren: 32,222

John Deaton: 11,340

### **Register of Deeds (Middlesex County)**

Maria Curtatone: 29,338

William "Billy" Tauro: 7,365

**State Representative in MA General Court**

**(North side of Newton: Ward 1, Precincts 2 and 3; Ward 2; Ward 3, Precincts 1, 2 and 3; Ward 4; Ward 7, Precincts 2, 3 and 4)**

√ Amy Mah Sangiolo: 16,048

Vladislav Yanovsky: 3,675

**Ballot Question 1: State Auditor's Authority to Audit the Legislature**

Yes: 29,530

No: 12,070

**Ballot Question 2: Elimination of MCAS as High School Graduation Requirement**

Yes: 19,012

No: 24,753

**Ballot Question 3: Unionization for Transportation Network Drivers**

Yes: 23,345

No: 18,933

**Ballot Question 4: Limited Legalization and Regulation of Certain Natural Psychedelic Substances**

Yes: 16,766

No: 26,416

**Ballot Question 5: Minimum Wage for Tipped Workers**

Yes: 18,735

No: 24,379

**Ballot Question 6: Single-Payer System for Universal Health Care (non-binding resolution) (Ward 1, Precincts 1 and 4; and Ward 3, Precinct 4)**

Yes: 2,570

No: 1,352

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As of right now, 45,146 or 72.78% of the City's 62,036 registered voters' ballots were tallied. Four years ago, 47,228 of the City's then 63,452 registered voters' ballots (74%) were counted on election day.

Also, four years ago, Biden and Harris received 40,906 votes in Newton, and Trump and Pence received 8,357 votes.

Today's unofficial vote tally will include all mail-in ballots through today, early in person voting ballots, Newton Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee (UOCAVA) ballots through today, and all votes cast in person today. Ballots mailed from outside the United States will be accepted through Friday, Nov. 15 if postmarked by election day, today, Nov. 5.

Mail-in ballots that were put in the drop boxes at City Hall between 6:00 p.m. this evening and when polls closed at 8:00 p.m. will be tallied and added to the official results. Mail-in ballots postmarked today and arriving at the City Clerk's Office by Friday, Nov. 8 will be hand counted. Overseas UOCAVA ballots can arrive within 10 days of the election, so those will be hand-counted as well. The vote tallies at [newtonma.gov/election](https://newtonma.gov/election) will be updated as counted. Even as I send this out, election staff is hand counting the 800-plus overseas ballots that have arrived so far. As a result, the tallies will change in the coming hours.

Tonight's results are preliminary. Newton's Election Commission is scheduled to meet to certify the results on Monday, Nov. 18 at 6:30 p.m. Updated, official results will be posted online after they are certified.

Today's election and September's State Primary take a tremendous amount of work. I extend my deep appreciation to City Clerk Carol Moore, Election Supervisor John Doyle, and our Election and IT staff, police officers, poll workers, and volunteers. This team worked not just today, but over the course of many weeks to make sure the ballot applications and mail-in ballots were correctly processed and tabulated, that early in-person and today's polling locations were opened, run effectively and efficiently, and that our elections are in adherence to the law.

As of 10:30 p.m. when we're hitting "send," we don't yet know the outcome of the Presidential election. We're all anxious to find out, and we'll need to tap into our reserves for patience until all the votes are counted.

Warmly,

Ruthanne



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