

**SPECIAL STATE ELECTION  
JANUARY 19, 2010**

The Special State Election was held at the Kingston Elementary School for Precincts 1, 2 and 3, and at the Kingston Town House for Precinct 4 on January 19, 2010, in accordance with the warrant issued by the Selectmen and properly posted by a constable of the Town.

Specimen ballots, penalty and instruction cards were posted in accordance with law.

The following officers and workers reported to their respective precincts:

**PRECINCT 1**

Warden	Maureen E. Twohig	D
Deputy Warden	Hannah M. Creed	D
Clerk	Diane M. Poirier	D
Deputy Clerk	Priscilla W. Brackett	U
Inspector	John S. LaBrache	U
Deputy Inspector	Mary M. Leone	U

**PRECINCT 2**

Warden	Elizabeth L. Iannucci	D
Deputy Warden	Gail L. Catani	U
Clerk	Patricia E. Scanlon (at 6:15 a.m.)	D
Clerk	Diane F. Miller (at 2:15 p.m.)	R
Deputy Clerk	Gail E. Wrightington(at 6:15 a.m.)	U
Deputy Clerk	Walter W. Hoeg (at 2:15 p.m.)	R
Inspector	Janet H. Holmes	U
Deputy Inspector	Diane L. Hunt	U

**PRECINCT 3**

Warden	Diane T. Scully	U
Deputy Warden	Janet L. Bergeron	U
Clerk	Helen Claire Soares	D
Deputy Clerk	Elizabeth A. White	D
Inspector	William B. Martin	D
Deputy Inspector	Maureen C. Mauriello	U

**PRECINCT 4**

Warden	Mary E. Boutin	R
Deputy Warden	Nancy B. Delaney	R
Clerk	Cynthia A. Fitzgerald	D
Deputy Clerk	Edward H. Valla	D
Inspector	Maureen L. Buitenhuis	U
Deputy Inspector	Barbara A. Gauthier	U
Deputy Inspector	Lauren M. Mello	U
Deputy Inspector	Gail E. Wrightington (2:30 to 7:00 p.m.)	U

**INFO TABLE:** MaryAnne Martin, Elizabeth M. LaMacchia (to 2 p.m.) and Anna M. Perry (at 2 p.m.)

All election workers were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties. The ballot box at each precinct was inspected by the election officers, found to be empty and the register at zero.

Lieutenant Thomas A. Kelley reported to the Town House polling location at 6:45 a.m. and worked until 12 noon, at which time Officer James P. Sauer replaced him until 4:00 p.m., at which time Sergeant Robert C. Wells replaced him. Sergeant Wells escorted the ballots to the Clerk's office for final tabulation.

Officer Norman P. Harbinson, Jr. reported to the Elementary School polling location at 6:45 a.m. and worked until 12 noon at which time Officer Ryan T. Calter replaced him until 4:00 p.m., at which time Sergeant Timothy P. Ballinger replaced him until the tabulation of the three precincts was completed. Sergeant Ballinger escorted the ballots back to the Clerk's office and remained there until the ballots were locked in the vault.

The polls were declared open by the respective Wardens at 7:00 a.m. and closed at 8:00 p.m. in accordance with the warrant. There were 1,244 ballots cast in Precinct 1, including 75 absentee ballots (and 1 provisional ballot later counted making a final total of 1245). There were 1,464 ballots cast in Precinct 2, including 85 absentee ballots (and 2 provisional ballots later counted making a final total of 1466). There were 1,334 ballots cast in Precinct 3, including 79 absentee ballots. There were 1,270 ballots cast in Precinct 4, including 77 absentee ballots and 1 overseas' ballot later counted making a final total of 1271). The total vote cast in all four precincts was 5,316, as amended.

At the close of the polls, the ballot box in Precinct 1 read 1,244, the ballot box in Precinct 2 read 1,464, the ballot box in Precinct 3 read 1,334 and the ballot box in Precinct 4 read 1,270.

There were three provisional ballots marked in Precinct 1, five marked in Precinct 2, one marked in Precinct 3, and one marked in Precinct 4. The provisional ballots marked in Precinct 1 were later investigated. Two were determined ineligible and one was counted. The provisional ballots marked in Precinct 2 were later investigated. Three were determined ineligible and two were counted. The provisional ballot marked in Precinct 3 was later investigated and determined ineligible. The provisional ballot marked in Precinct 4 was later investigated and determined ineligible.

All voters who had been omitted from the voting list were handled according to law.

The results announced on election night at 9:28 p.m. by the Town Clerk, and as later amended by the eligible overseas' absentee ballot and provisional ballots, are as follows:

OFFICE	PRECINCT	1	2	3	4	TOTAL
UNITED STATES SENATOR						
Scott P. Brown		796	1046	919	818	3579
Martha Coakley		436	416	404	446	1702
Joseph L. Kennedy		12	2	11	6	31
Write-Ins		1	1	0	1	3
Blanks		0	1	0	0	1
		<u>1245</u>	<u>1466</u>	<u>1334</u>	<u>1271</u>	<u>5316</u>

All supplies and used and unused ballots were returned to the Town Clerk's office. All ballots cast, which had been locked in their transfer cases at the Town House and the Kingston Elementary School, were then locked in the Clerk's vault.

The Town Clerk made the requested telephone calls and the election results were posted to the website. The office was locked at 9:45 p.m.

A true record, ATTEST:

Mary Lou Murzyn, MMC/CMMC  
Town Clerk