

0 Connecticut Citizen Election Audit

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Concerned About Election Integrity? Observe the Post-Primary Audit!

The Connecticut Citizen Election Audit announces call for citizen volunteers to observe the post-presidential-primary audit.

Hartford – After every election and primary, municipalities across Connecticut are randomly selected to perform post-election audits. Citizens can observe those audits and contribute to election integrity by volunteering one day with the Connecticut Citizen Election Audit (Citizen Audit).

The Citizen Audit provides training materials, videos, and conference calls, along with an Observation Form to report on a local audit in your area of the state. Novice observers are assigned with experienced observers. The Citizen Audit compiles observation reports and official results to provide an independent, objective report to the public.

Observations begin May 11th. Signup now to get access to training materials and videos. Find out more and signup today at <http://CTElectionAudit.org>

Without Citizen Audit observers, only a few election officials would know what happens in the post-election audits.

Citizen Audit spokesperson Luther Weeks added, "Participating in Democracy requires more than voting. Citizens want to know how votes are counted and if their vote was counted accurately. Citizen Audit volunteers help provide those answers."

PS:

Post-Election audits are currently under assault by the Connecticut General Assembly. S.B. 252, a bill originally intended to strengthen audits, has been turned into a bill to cut them in half, see the latest alert at: <http://CTElectionAudit.org>

The non-partisan Connecticut Citizen Election Audit has organized volunteer observers and provided independent post-election audit reports since the adoption of optical scanners in 2007.

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