

**BEFORE THE
INDIANA RECOUNT COMMISSION**

**ORDER 2026-19
ORDER SETTING RECOUNT DATES**

IN THE MATTER OF THE RECOUNT)
AND CONTEST FOR THE REPUBLICAN)
PARTY NOMINATION FOR ELECTION)
OF INDIANA STATE SENATE,)
DISTRICT 15)
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DARREN VOGT, Petitioner)
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v.)
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LIZ BROWN, Respondent)

1. The Indiana Recount Commission convened on May 26, 2026, and adopted Order 2026-8, which is incorporated herein by reference.
2. Order 2026-8 employed Evan M. Norris as Recount Director and designated Evan M. Norris to exercise any of the powers of the Commission, except for the powers listed in Indiana Code 3-12-10-7(a).
3. The Recount Director, acting under Order 2026-8, hereby sets the dates, times, and locations for the Recount to occur in the following counties (all prevailing local time):
 - **June 30, 2026 (8:00a)** – Allen County – 1 E. Main Street, Fort Wayne, IN 46802
 - **July 1, 2026 (8:00a)** – Allen County – 1 E. Main Street, Fort Wayne, IN 46802¹
4. The Recount Director, acting under Order 2026-8, orders on behalf of the Commission that a manual recount of all votes cast within the precincts located within Indiana State Senate District 15 be conducted in accordance with Indiana Code Title 3, and the *Guidelines for Conduct of an Election Recount and Contest*, as adopted by the Commission, at the above specified times and locations.
5. The Recount Commission has worked with the State Board of Accounts, County Clerk, and the Indiana State Police to achieve the above dates. The Recount Director would like to thank

¹ After consultation with State Board of Accounts, it may be necessary for Allen County to occur over two (2) consecutive days.

these offices for their upmost professionalism and courtesy during this Recount. To that end, it is strongly requested that each party accommodate this schedule. If either party objects to this schedule -or- is unavailable on any one or more of the above dates, they may file a motion with the Commission, as soon as practically possible, requesting relief from the schedule (please note opposing party's position).² Relief from this schedule may only be granted in very limited circumstances.

6. The Recount Director takes no further action regarding the requested Contest proceeding as part of this Order.

7. The Election Division shall send a certified copy of this order in accordance with Indiana Code 3-12-11-12(f) by electronic mail to the Petitioner and Respondents, unless the attorney for that party has filed an appearance for Petitioner or Respondent and by certified mail in all other cases.

SO ORDERED THIS 3rd DAY OF JUNE 2026



Evan M. Norris, Recount Director
Acting on behalf of and
Under the authority of the
Indiana Recount Commission

Copies to:

Indiana State Police
Indiana State Board of Accounts
Allen County Election Board
James J. Ammeen, Jr., attorney for Petitioner
Joshua Claybourn, attorney for Respondent

² Any motion in this matter will be deemed "filed" upon receipt by the Recount Director at enorris@dsvlaw.com. Please copy Deputy Recount Directors Jeff Kraft (jkraft@dsvlaw.com) and Nick Plopper (nplopper@dsvlaw.com) on each filing, as well as Nicolle Drake (ndrake@dsvlaw.com). Any motions filed with the Commission must also include the opposing party and Election Director Dustin Renner (durenner@sos.in.gov).