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To: McCue, George  
Cc: Charlie Colicutt  
Subject: RE: Audit sample: 2012 General Election

Sent: Thu 11/15/2012 9:07 AM

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Attached is our manual audit results.

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**From:** McCue, George [mailto:george.mccue@ncsbe.gov]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 07, 2012 10:41 AM  
**To:** SBOE\_Grp - Directors.BOE  
**Subject:** Audit sample: 2012 General Election

Dear Directors,

First, thank you for all of hard work! We finally have Election Day 2012 behind us. Congratulations.

This e-mail outlines the process for sample hand-to-eye count audits for the 2012 General Election. The statewide race to be audited is the **Presidential election**. The first attachment is a spreadsheet that contains the randomly-selected samples to be audited for each county (for most counties, 2 for each county). Be sure to note any differences in the machine and hand count and the reasons for it.

Please perform this audit **before your county canvass**, and then complete the attached audit spreadsheet that is the second attachment – one row for each of your samples. Then, send the completed spreadsheet to me (please rename the file to indicate your county name). Questions regarding the procedure or selection of samples can also be directed to me. I've included the statutes on sample audits below.

Many thanks,

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From: Wright, Don [don.wright@ncsbe.gov]  
To: SBOE\_Grp - Directors.BOE  
Cc:  
Subject: Complaints about political signs

Sent: Fri 11/16/2012 3:15 PM

Message | 

After today, GS 136-22 requires political signs placed on NCDOT right of ways to be removed. This removal is **not** the responsibility of your office. As the earlier September 19<sup>th</sup> attached memo sets out, refer complaining citizens as to signs remaining on NCDOT right of ways to the local NCDOT Division Office.

Any violation of signs remaining on municipal right of ways should be directed to the municipality involved.

Any violations of political sign ordinances should be directed to the political body that passed the ordinance.

Don Wright

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From: SVC\_SBOE.Elections [Elections.SBOE@ncsbe.gov]  
To: Guilford  
Cc:  
Subject: FW: Early Voting Complaint

Sent: Tue 11/13/2012 8:34 AM

-----Original Message-----

From: [ivyjohnson@northstate.net](mailto:ivyjohnson@northstate.net) [<mailto:ivyjohnson@northstate.net>]  
Sent: Sunday, November 11, 2012 8:00 PM  
To: Craig Fox  
Cc: SVC\_SBOE.Elections; [allen.oliver@highpoint.nc.gov](mailto:allen.oliver@highpoint.nc.gov)  
Subject: Early Voting Complaint  
Importance: High

To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Ivy Griggs Dey-Johnson and I reside at 711 Old Mill Road High Point, NC 27265, my voter registration account number is: 000009706804.

I went to early voting on Saturday, November 3, 2012 at the Deep River Recreation Center on Skeet Club Road.

I entered the recreation center around 1:50 PM on November 3rd. There was a line and the end of the line was located in the gym. Upon entering the building there was a sign that indicated that the "Gym is Closed". In the gym there was a full court basketball game in play. The voting line was located approximately a foot from the foul line of one part of the court.

Depending on your place in line you could be directly behind the basket ball goal. The basketball got away from several players and bounced cross the foul line. During this time the "acting" recreation center Director was in the gym. She mostly sat on the bleachers watching the basketball game. At one point she activated the automatic bleachers to open them fully. She then walked down the voting line saying we could sit down if we wanted. No one moved because no one wanted to lose their place in line. After standing in line about 15 minutes a basketball got losing from a player throwing a pass and hit me in my left calf. Yes it hurt and stung. The recreation Director never got up from her seat to investigate what happen. Ten minutes later when the line moved up around the lobby and officer area, I confronted the recreation Director when she went into the office. I asked her why she did not come over after I had been hit with the basketball, she said that she did not see it. She then apologized. I pointed out to her the sign in the lobby that indicated that the gym was closed and why were there people playing. She then stating "I am just filling in - I am the acting Recreation Director". I told her that it was a hazard situation and that voters had children in the line and given their height compared to mine, I stand over 5' 10", a child could get hit in the head or and elderly person could also be hit. Other Voters also told her to close at least the side of the basketball court where Voters were standing in line. At some point someone told the Voting Precinct Captain who immediately had the gym closed to free play.

Another incidence occurred when I had to check in to vote. I went to the second check-in person, an elderly Caucasian man. I presented my North Carolina Driver's License and he tried several times to located my name in the computer. At one point he asked for my date of birth. When I told him in a whispered tone since there were people behind and beside me and he had already called out my full name several times while he was searching on the computer, he asked me to repeated it louder. He then stopped the process and told me to wait because the line for going to the voting machines was too long. During this break time, the gentleman pull a tissue out of his pocket that appear to have blood stains on it. He then wiped his nose, which did have blood coming from it and then put the tissue back in his pocket. He then picked up my Driver's License again an attempted to locate my name in the computer. When he stated "you are not registered ", I pulled out my voter's registration card and presented it to him and I let him know that I have voted in all of the primary and general elections for the past 5 years and there was never a problem of locating my name in the computer. The gentleman asked a young Caucasian woman to his left to check the computer for my name. She found my name on the first search. The gentleman handed back to me my plastic Driver's License and paper voter registration card. I had no choice but to take it. With the same un-sanitized fingers I used the voting

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Yes, I washed my hands thoroughly after voting.

I hope the above information is taken into consideration so that Voters' privacy and confidentiality, health, and well being are not placed in jeopardy again.

Sincerely,  
Ivy Dey-Johnson