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## Well Done and Thank You to Berks County Election Services

**Reading, PA — 11/08/2024** — The Berks County Board of Elections extends its deepest gratitude to the county's Election Services Department, our exceptional volunteers, and the committed poll workers who made this year's general election run smoothly. Each of you played an essential role in ensuring that our election process was efficient, accessible, fair, and secure. Your dedication to upholding our democratic process has, once again, proven that when we work together, we can create an environment that empowers every citizen to exercise their right to vote freely.

The preparation and organization required to facilitate a smooth election cannot be overstated. From training poll workers to ensuring polling locations were properly set up, managing the voter registration process, and answering countless questions from the community, our election workers demonstrated remarkable resilience and attention to detail. They navigated the complexities of election day with professionalism, patience, and a commitment to excellence which did not go unnoticed. It is clear that the hard work from everyone in Elections Services reflects a deep sense of responsibility to our county and the democratic process.

However, while Election Day may get all the attention, there is still much work to be done to ensure Berks County is able to timely certify the results of the 2024 General Election. There are weeks of work ahead for Elections Services and the 2025 primary election in May is closer than you think. The collective efforts of our Election Services Department remind us that democracy thrives when people are willing to serve their community with dedication and pride.

The Election Board also extends our gratitude to the voters of Berks County. Your participation is what makes our democracy strong and vibrant. Thank you for taking the time to make your voices heard, whether you voted in person or by mail. The act of voting is a powerful expression of community and engagement. Voting and a fair, secure process are the best resolutions to a fractious and hotly contested national election.

Once again, thank you to everyone involved in our elections for your hard work, dedication, and commitment to Berks County. You have shown us the power of community and the importance of civic duty, and we are deeply grateful for everything you have done to make this election a success. Thank you for helping make democracy possible in Berks County.

With Appreciation, Board of Elections, County of Berks

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