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Office of the Municipal Clerk

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

The Anchorage Municipal Clerk's Office announces a summary of the hand-count of the Assembly District 3, Seat D race, which is attached in an Excel spreadsheet.

The hand-count of Assembly District 3, Seat D was conducted voluntarily by the Municipal Clerk and is not a mandatory condition for certification of the election, which will be before the Assembly at meeting beginning at 5:00 p.m. tonight.

The hand-count results in the spreadsheet reflect a number of decisions made by the Municipal Clerk, the recount workers, and the campaigns for Mr. Hall and Mr. Moe regarding how ballots and votes should be segregated and counted. Some of those decisions result in vote count totals that are slightly different than the official machine count. Reviewers of this data should not expect the hand-counted votes to equal the machine count votes. While it could be said Mr. Moe's tally is at least 3,745, the remainder of the write-in votes for Mr. Moe and Mr. Hall were challenged due to various reasons, including the oval being filled in or not and variations on the candidates' names. In the absence of an election contest to finally resolve how those votes should be counted, they cannot be part of the official results.

The official results are those produced in the Election Summary Report, which is available from the Municipal Clerk's website at www.muni.org/elections under the

link for Election Results. Questions about the hand-count results will be addressed at a work session with the Assembly's Ethics and Elections Committee, tentatively scheduled on Tuesday, April 30, 2013, at a time and location to be determined.

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