

# Election Summary Report

Wells County, Indiana  
 2008 General Election  
 Election Date: 11/4/2008

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PUBLIC COUNT:	13287	# OF PRECINCTS INCOMPLETE:	0
REGISTERED VOTERS:	21001		63.27%

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M	A	P	TOTAL	%	
VOTES= 13,088					PRESIDENT AND VP OF THE US
					VOTE FOR 1
6708	1795	1	8504	64.98%	JOHN McCain (R)
3167	1236	0	4403	33.64%	BARACK OBAMA (D)
121	30	0	151	1.15%	BOB BARR (L)
24	6	0	30	0.23%	WRITE-IN
VOTES= 12,864					GOVERNOR AND LT. GOVERNOR
					VOTE FOR 1
6576	1841	1	8418	65.44%	MITCH DANIELS (R)
3030	1123	0	4153	32.28%	JILL LONG THOMPSON (D)
228	64	0	292	2.27%	ANDY HORNING (L)
1	0	0	1	0.01%	WRITE-IN
VOTES= 12,398					ATTORNEY GENERAL
					VOTE FOR 1
5454	1560	1	7015	56.58%	GREG ZOELLER (R)
4038	1345	0	5383	43.42%	LINDA PENCE (D)
VOTES= 12,262					SUPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
					VOTE FOR 1
6266	1727	1	7994	65.19%	TONY BENNETT (R)
3108	1150	0	4258	34.73%	RICHARD D. WOOD (D)
7	3	0	10	0.08%	WRITE-IN
VOTES= 12,809					US REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 6
					VOTE FOR 1
7561	2091	1	9653	75.36%	MIKE PENCE (R)
2033	869	0	2902	22.66%	BARRY A. WELSH (D)
210	43	0	253	1.98%	GEORGE T. HOLLAND (L)
0	1	0	1	0.01%	WRITE-IN
VOTES= 1,224					STATE REP. DISTRICT 79
					VOTE FOR 1
913	311	0	1224	100.00%	MATTHEW S. LEHMAN (R)
0	0	0	0	0.00%	NO CANDIDATE FILED (D)
VOTES= 9,238					STATE REP. DISTRICT 82
					VOTE FOR 1
7235	2002	1	9238	100.00%	JEFF ESPICH (R)
0	0	0	0	0.00%	NO CANDIDATE FILED (D)
VOTES= 10,214					JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
					VOTE FOR 1
7927	2286	1	10214	100.00%	EVERETT E. GOSHORN (R)
0	0	0	0	0.00%	NO CANDIDATE FILED (D)
VOTES= 12,402					COUNTY RECORDER
					VOTE FOR 1
5522	1678	1	7201	58.06%	RINA E. STUCK (R)
3992	1209	0	5201	41.94%	TANeca M. TAYLOR (D)

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<b>VOTES= 10,429</b>					<b>COUNTY TREASURER</b>
<b>VOTE FOR 1</b>					
8119	2309	1	10429	100.00%	SHAR MECHLING (R)
0	0	0	0	0.00%	NO CANDIDATE FILED (D)
<b>VOTES= 12,589</b>					<b>COUNTY CORONER</b>
<b>VOTE FOR 1</b>					
5613	1566	1	7180	57.03%	KENT A. GILBERT (R)
4038	1371	0	5409	42.97%	MICHAEL A. MILLER (D)
<b>VOTES= 10,456</b>					<b>COUNTY SURVEYOR</b>
<b>VOTE FOR 1</b>					
8138	2317	1	10456	100.00%	JARROD HAHN (R)
0	0	0	0	0.00%	NO CANDIDATE FILED (D)
<b>VOTES= 12,530</b>					<b>CO. COMMISSIONER DIST. 2</b>
<b>VOTE FOR 1</b>					
5397	1460	1	6858	54.73%	PAUL I. BONHAM (R)
4186	1486	0	5672	45.27%	MICHAEL D. TODD (D)
<b>VOTES= 10,249</b>					<b>CO. COMMISSIONER DIST. 3</b>
<b>VOTE FOR 1</b>					
7988	2260	1	10249	100.00%	KEVIN S. WOODWARD (R)
0	0	0	0	0.00%	NO CANDIDATE FILED (D)
<b>VOTES= 33,113</b>					<b>CO. COUNCIL AT-LARGE</b>
<b>VOTE FOR 3</b>					
5989	1679	1	7669	23.16%	PETER W. COLE (R)
4417	1231	1	5649	17.06%	LeROY W. CRAMER (R)
6142	1798	1	7941	23.98%	JAMES E. VAN WINKLE (R)
5047	1726	0	6773	20.45%	TONY H. GARTON (D)
3797	1284	0	5081	15.34%	BRENT McAFEE (D)
0	0	0	0	0.00%	NO CANDIDATE FILED (D)
<b>VOTES= 3,528</b>					<b>Bluffton-Harrison SB At-Large</b>
<b>VOTE FOR 1</b>					
929	268	0	1197	33.93%	KENT A. SHADY
936	362	0	1298	36.79%	JOHN R. VANDERKOLK
806	227	0	1033	29.28%	CHERYL D. ZEIS
<b>VOTES= 724</b>					<b>Bluffton-Harrison SB DIST. 1</b>
<b>VOTE FOR 1</b>					
544	180	0	724	100.00%	DARYL ELLIOTT
<b>VOTES= 834</b>					<b>Bluffton-Harrison SB Dist. 3</b>
<b>VOTE FOR 1</b>					
639	195	0	834	100.00%	KENT L. PARK
<b>VOTES= 6,305</b>					<b>Northern Wells SB Jeff. Twp.</b>
<b>VOTE FOR 1</b>					
3247	1014	0	4261	67.58%	GENE A DONAGHY
1581	462	1	2044	32.42%	MARY ANN RIPPERGER

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VOTES= 5,427					Northern Wells SB Lanc. Twp.
VOTE FOR 1					ANN MICHELLE BROWN-STOHLER
4186	1240	1	5427	100.00%	
VOTES= 10,290					IN Supreme Court (Shepard)
VOTE FOR 1					Yes
5834	1560	0	7394	71.86%	No
2271	625	0	2896	28.14%	
VOTES= 10,109					IN Supreme Court (Boehm)
VOTE FOR 1					Yes
5505	1489	0	6994	69.19%	No
2472	643	0	3115	30.81%	
VOTES= 10,088					IN Supreme Court (Dickson)
VOTE FOR 1					Yes
5803	1531	0	7334	72.70%	No
2152	602	0	2754	27.30%	
VOTES= 9,975					IN Court of Appeals 4TH Dist.
VOTE FOR 1					Yes
5530	1470	0	7000	70.18%	No
2341	634	0	2975	29.82%	
VOTES= 10,206					Indiana Tax Court Judge
VOTE FOR 1					Yes
5877	1529	0	7406	72.57%	No
2181	619	0	2800	27.43%	

**Straight Party Summary Information**

Democratic Party	798
Libertarian Party	0
Republican Party	2062

*Reg H. John*  
*Charles W. Neidhart*  
*Beck Davis*