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Expanded Post Election Audit

As the Supervisor of Elections in Pasco County, my primary responsibility is to ensure the integrity and security of our elections. One of the cornerstones of this duty is adhering strictly to Florida election law, which includes conducting mandatory voting system audits after each election. These audits are vital for maintaining transparency and public trust, ensuring that every vote is accurately counted and that the electoral process remains fair and secure.

Since 2008, we had complied with the law by randomly selecting a contest from the ballot and randomly selecting three precincts to audit. While this reinforced the accuracy of our voting tabulators, we wanted to expand our voting system audit. That expansion and commitment to bolstering confidence was the implementation of the latest state-certified technology for post-election audits: the Clear Audit system. This advanced system is designed to adjudicate each oval on every ballot. This means that every ballot cast in Pasco County is independently accounted for and can be reviewed, adding an additional layer of confidence in the accuracy and fairness of our elections.

In conclusion, my commitment as Supervisor of Elections is to uphold the law and maintain the highest standards of election integrity. Through the implementation of advanced technology, updated security protocols, and strict adherence to Florida election law, I am dedicated to ensuring that every election in Pasco County is conducted fairly, securely, and transparently. The trust of our voters is something I hold in the highest regard, and I will continue to work diligently to protect and uphold that trust in every election!