

Shilov, Valeri (REG)

From: Burgos, Sandro (REG)
Sent: Thursday, August 20, 2015 9:26 AM
To: Shilov, Valeri (REG)
Subject: FW: RFI response

Hi Val

John would like to post the response to the RFI we received below on the Department's website. Do you need me to do anything to the information before you can post it?

Thanks for your help.

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

From: malpass@juno.com [mailto:malpass@juno.com]
Sent: Tuesday, August 18, 2015 4:07 PM
To: Burgos, Sandro (REG) <sandro.burgos@sfgov.org>
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Subject: RFI response

Hi, in response to your Request for Information:

1. I represent election technology specialists and election specialists, calling ourselves International Voting Machines (IVM)
2. We designed and tested a system that met 100% of New York City's specifications
3. Our system is direct recording electronic (DRE) and is large enough (ballot display) to handle San Francisco and Philly's complex ballots: 988 LED's putting everything in front of the voter at once
4. Accessible for all voters not visually impaired (ADA compliant design and extender stick); visually impaired voters will follow current procedures--either bring a friend, vote absentee, or have one judge from either party help you vote
5. We are negotiable on certification and public review of software; not open source
6. Our preference is for DRE simplicity and verifiability over paper ballot glitches and fraud potential
7. My election to the CU-Boulder Student Senate was run by an MIT grad student at CU who favored proportional voting and soon amended our Constitution to require it. We adopted the Hare system of Single Transferable Vote (meaning ranking), and I have been atuned to that ever since. YES we can handle ranked voting input.
8. Our voting system was designed to comply with FEC guidelines except for paper voter verification. We can apply to California for certification and be in production quickly, depending on the needs of the customer and the contractual provisions for payment.

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