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CRANSTON BOARD OF CANVASSERS
869 PARK AVE
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MEETING NOTICE

**The Cranston Board of Canvassers will meet at
Cranston City Hall, 869 Park Ave., Cranston, RI in
Council Chambers, Third Floor on
Thursday, July 30, 2026 at 5:30 p.m.**

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order and Approval of the Agenda** *(votes may be taken)*
- II. Approval of Minutes of Prior Meetings** *(votes may be taken)*
- III. Executive Session** *(votes may be taken on all items)*
 - A. The Board may vote to enter executive session in accordance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 42-46-5 (a)(3) to discuss and/or vote on a matter related to security *(votes may be taken)*
 - 1. Election security table-top exercise testing the Board of Canvassers Continuity of Operations Plan *(votes may be taken)*
 - 2. Adoption of a revised Board of Canvassers Continuity of Operations Plan *(votes may be taken)*
 - B. The Board may vote to close executive session, and the chairperson may report on any votes taken *(votes may be taken)*
 - C. The Board may vote to seal the minutes of the executive session *(votes may be taken)*
- IV. Items for Discussion, Vote, and/or Other Action** *(votes may be taken on all items)*
 - A. The Board may vote to certify to the Secretary of State the final form of referenda to be placed on the Nov. 3, 2026 General Election ballot, including six local bond questions, in accordance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 17-19-7 *(votes may be taken)*:
 - 1. Local bond questions:
 - 1. Question 6 – Storm Drainage Improvements \$4,000,000
 - 2. Question 7 – Public Buildings \$2,000,000
 - 3. Question 8 – Playgrounds and Athletic fields \$4,000,000
 - 4. Question 9 – Streets, Sidewalks and Bridges \$8,000,000
 - 5. Question 10 – Fire and Public Safety Equipment \$8,000,000
 - 6. Question 11 – Schools and School Facilities \$25,000,000
 - B. The Board may vote to certify all mail ballot applications that are received to date in accordance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 17-20-10 *(votes may be taken)*

- C. The Board may discuss and enact a policy to mitigate concerns regarding electioneering inside and within 50 feet of the entrance of the off-site early voting location, in accordance with R.I. Gen. Laws §§ 17-8-5 (a)(2) and 17-19-49 (*votes may be taken*)

V. Updates from the Registrar / Director of Elections (*no votes taken on any items*)

- A. Early Voting Staffing and Logistics
- B. Primary Equipment Allocations
- C. PLEJ 2026 Summer Convening
- D. International Association of Government Officials Annual Conference

VI. Adjournment (*vote may be taken*)

Individuals requesting special accommodations for access or translation services should contact the Registrar / Director of Elections at 401-780-3128 or canvassing@cranstonri.gov as soon as possible prior to the posted meeting date.

Posted on **7-21-2026** at **3:45 p.m.**

By Nicholas J. Lima, Registrar