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### **Statement from Denver Clerk and Recorder Stephanie O'Malley regarding arrival of mail ballots that vendor had not prepared**

“Mail-in ballots that were not printed or delivered by Sequoia Voting Systems arrived today at the Denver General Mail Facility. A representative of the Denver Elections Division verified the arrival of these specific ballots. We are very sure at this point that every unsent ballot has been accounted for.

“Once it was verified on Saturday that Sequoia had erred and that a significant number of ballots were not printed or sent to Denver voters, we spent a good part of the weekend looking at all of the files we sent to Sequoia. We very carefully examined our files and Sequoia’s files to make sure that Sequoia had accounted for and were shipping every unsent ballot. The total number of unsent ballots was determined to be 18,055.

“All of these ballots arrived by truck today, and should be arriving in voters’ mailboxes Tuesday and Wednesday. If there are any voters expecting a mail ballot who have not received them in their normal Wednesday mail delivery, they should call the Elections Division Wednesday evening at 8 p.m. for a replacement ballot. Voters can call 311 or 720-913-VOTE (8683).

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The USPS has advised voters to mail their voted ballots by Friday, October 31. If voters have any concerns about the remaining time frame in which to return their mail-in ballot, they can drop them off at the Elections Division or at any of Denver's 12 other early voting sites when these locations are open. Voters may additionally return their voted ballots to any one of the 185 polling locations on Election Day.

Those voters who have already obtained a replacement ballot should discard the original ballot when it arrives. When a replacement ballot is issued, the original ballot is voided in the system.

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