

May 18th, 1951.

A meeting was held by the Board of Election Supervisors at the office of the Board in the Court House, May 17th, 1951 in regards to Voting Machines. Below the following letters will explain

Board of Elec. Supervisors of Wash. Co.
Hagerstown, Md.

May 16th, 1951.

Attention: J. Richard Rauth, President

Dear Mr. Rauth:

At the regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Wash. County, Maryland, held at their office on Tuesday May 15th, 1951, the following motion was made, seconded and duly passed. The motion was made by E. Leister Mobley, seconded by Chester F. Delphey that the Board of Election Supervisors be authorized to purchase ninety five(95) forty bank, manually operated voting machines from the Automatic Voting Machine Corp., Jamestown, N.Y. The method of payment to be directed and determined by the Board of County Commissioners.

I, A. C. Saum, County Clerk, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy test of the minutes passed by the Board of County Commissioners on the above date.

A. C. Saum, Clerk.
Wash. Co. Commissioners.

Hon. Board of County Commissioners
Hagerstown, Wash. Co. Md.

May 17th, 1951.

Attention: Winslow F. Burhans, Chairman

Gentlemen:

In compliance with the authority voted Tuesday, May 15th 1951, by your Honorable Board we have this day notified the Automatic Voting Machine Corporation of Jamestown, N.Y. of the acceptance of its bid by the Board of Election Supervisors for Washington County, Md. for the purchase of 95 nine-row, forty column, manually-operated voting machines at the unit price of \$ 1,202.

We have advised the Automatic Voting Machine Corporation to consult direct with your Honorable Board in regards to method of payment and shipment details.

Very truly yours,

Board of Election Supervisors

J. Richard Rauth, President.

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May 17th, 1951.

Automatic Voting Machine Corp.
Jamestown, N.Y.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that by virtue of authority voted Tuesday, May 15, 1951 by the Board of County Commissioners of Washington County, Md., we have this day accepted your bid submitted April 24, 1951 for the purchase by the undersigned of 95 nine-row, forty column, manually-operating voting machines at the unit price of \$ 1,202, F.O.B. Jamestown, N.Y.

You are advised to consult direct with the Board of County Commissioners as to method of payment and shipment details.

Very truly yours,

Board of Election Supervisors for
Washington County, md.

J. Richard Rauth, President.

V. L. Clapper Clerk.