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RE: [External] Question regarding publishing of election equipment testing notice

To Jennifer Poyer

You replied to this message on 9/5/2025 9:47 AM.



Public Test and Canvass Notice - November.docx
21 KB

Hi Jennifer,

Combined publications are very common practice across the state. It's done primarily as a means of saving money for municipalities so they're not each paying for their individual notices. However, municipalities are always free to publish their notices on their own if they choose to do so. There are a few school districts who publish their own referendum notices rather than relying on the combined notices that I publish.

I've attached what I sent to the newspapers for publication for the November election.

Per the WEC website - <https://elections.wi.gov/clerks/election-notices> (this is at the very bottom of the page)

Combining Notices and Costs

County, municipal, and school district clerks may combine election notices where the notices contain identical information and when the levels of government share the same official newspaper. The costs for these combined notices can be prorated between jurisdictions.

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