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Results of Hand Recount of November 2020 General Election

In response to allegations that the results of the November 2020 presidential election in Lycoming County were inaccurate by thousands of votes, the county recounted all ballots cast in the election by hand in order to reaffirm the accuracy of the electronic voting system. The hand recount of the Presidential Electors and Auditor General contests was conducted during January 2023.

The results of the hand recount appear below. The results confirm that the electronic voting system produces consistently accurate results; they confirm that the outcome of the presidential election in Lycoming County was correct; and they confirm that the vote totals were not inaccurate by thousands of votes as was claimed.

	November 2020	Hand Recount	Net Change
Joe Biden	16,971	16,956	- 15
Donald Trump	41,462	41,455	- 7
Jo Jorgensen	821	825	+ 4
Nina Ahmad	15,583	15,594	+ 11
Timothy DeFoor	40,512	40,502	- 10
Jennifer Moore	1,963	1,951	- 12
Olivia Faison	543	537	- 6

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