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A statewide recount has been ordered for the May 19th, 2026 General Primary's Public Service Commission District 3 (Republican) Contest due to a statewide difference of less than one-half of one percent between the two candidates.

This recount will be performed in the Irwin County Elections Office at 225 E 4th St in Ocilla beginning at 9am on Tuesday, June 23rd.

The process will involve pulling approximately 100 ballots cast, hand counting them then scanning them in the absentee ballot scanner as a test deck to confirm correct equipment programming, settings and accuracy. Once accuracy is confirmed, all other ballots will be scanned in the same manner, with new results printed for only the contest involved with the recount.

If there is any variance between the original results and the recount results, the recount results will be certified as the new official results for the Public Service Commission District 3 (Republican) contest only.

This process is anticipated to take between two and three hours and is open to the public to observe.