



MARYLAND Department of Health

Larry Hogan, Governor • Boyd Rutherford, Lt. Governor • Dennis Schrader, Secretary

Maryland State Board of Dental Examiners

Spring Grove Hospital Center • Benjamin Rush Building
55 Wade Avenue/Tulip Drive • Catonsville, Maryland 21228

November 8, 2017

Honorable Larry Hogan
Governor
Office of the Governor
State House
Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Re: Dentists and Dental Hygienists - Results of Balloting for 2018 Dental Board
Appointments

Dear Governor Hogan:

In accordance with Senate Bill 764 and House Bill 811, Chapters 211 and 212 respectively, Acts of 2008, the Maryland State Board of Dental Examiners is charged with holding a balloting process for nominations for vacancies on the Board.

There are three dentist vacancies on the Board. Ronald F. Moser, D.D.S. has concluded his second four-year term and is not eligible for reappointment. Barry L. Cohan, D.D.S., has concluded his first 4-year term and is eligible for reappointment. James P. Goldsmith, D.M.D. has concluded his first 4-year term and is eligible for reappointment. Balloting therefore was for the three positions.

There is one dental hygienist vacancy on the Board. Cheryl Bruce, R.D.H. has concluded her second four-year term and is not eligible for reappointment. Balloting was therefore for the one position.

The ballots for dentists and dental hygienists have been tallied.

Dentist Vacancies:

Leslie E. Grant, D.D.S.
Number of votes for Dr. Grant: **154**

Barry L. Cohan, D.D.S.
Number of votes for Dr. Cohan: **130**

James P. Goldsmith, D.M.D.
Number of votes for Dr. Goldsmith: **99**

Maurice Sebastian Miles, D.D.S.
Number of votes for Dr. Miles: **67**

Jane G. Whang, D.D.S.
Number of votes for Dr. Whang: **59**

Todd Daniel Cooper, D.D.S.
Number of votes for Dr. Cooper: **52**

Sudharani V. Chary, D.D.S.
Number of votes for Dr. Chary: **35**

Dental Hygienist Vacancy:

Barbara L. Merritt, R.D.H.
Number of votes for Ms. Merritt: **38**

I have attached a copy of the "Results Report Certified Final" from Election Trust, the independent third party election service with whom the Board has contracted to conduct the balloting.

If I can be of further assistance I may be reached at 410-402-8501.

Very truly yours,



Murfay Sherman
Legal Assistant

cc: Dennis Schrader, Secretary, MDH
Chris E. Cavey, Secretary, Governor's Appointments Office
Kimberly Bennardi, Office of Appointments and Executive Nominations, MDH
Leslie E. Grant, D.D.S.
Barry L. Cohan, D.D.S.
James P. Goldsmith, D.M.D.
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Barbara L. Merritt, R.D.H.
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TO: Maryland State Board of Dental Examiners

ATTN: Murray Sherman

Results Report Certified FINAL

Client: MSBDE
Election: 2017 Election
Date: 11/02/17

Signed,



John Bodin
General Manager

The following report reflects Election Trust's Certified Final Result tally for the **Maryland State Board of Dental Examiners 2017 Election** based on the secure receipt of **230** electronic ballots cast by *Dentists* and **39** electronic ballots cast by *Hygienists* between **October 19** and **November 1, 2017**.
Note: No paper ballots were cast.

Maryland State Board of Dental Examiners –

Dentists

Vote For Up To Three (3)

Sudharani V. Chary, D.D.S.	35
Barry L. Cohan, D.D.S.	130
Todd Daniel Cooper, D.D.S.	52
James P. Goldsmith, D.M.D.	99
Leslie E. Grant, D.D.S.	154
Maurice Sebastian Miles, D.D.S.	67
Jane G. Whang, D.D.S.	59
Blank Votes	1

Maryland State Board of Dental Examiners –

Hygienists

Vote For Up To One (1)

Barbara L. Merritt, R.D.H.	38
Blank Votes	1