Badger Book Checklist II: Post-Election Tasks

REMINDERS:

- This checklist is for Badger Books only and does not replace existing end-of-night procedures at a polling location
- The Data Upload process must be completed for each server machine used for an election

Contact the WEC for assistance at 608-261-2028 or epollbook@wi.gov.

Election Night Shutdown and Teardown

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Go to Admin Menu
Select the Close Polls button
Confirm your selection by choosing the green Close Polls button in the confirmation pop-up
Enter username and password, click Close Polls
Click Continue on the Polls Successful Closed pop-up
Insert USB stick into an open USB port on back of Badger Book Server machine
Select Post-Election Data tab on Admin screen
Select Export Data button, located next to Export Latest Date File option
Close the export confirmation window
Open the main (hamburger) menu
Choose Exit
Disconnect scanners from the Badger Book, if connected
Click the Windows menu icon
Select Power – Shut down
Unplug router if using wireless option
Unplug power cords from wall and Badger Book
Disconnect standalone printer, if using
Turn off wireless mouse and keyboard

 Inventory all Badger Books and accessories before transport 	Identify hardware issues (touchscreen, missing cords, etc.): Contact PDS Support at <u>Clientcare@pdsit.net</u> or 877-737-7211
	Connectivity or Badger Book software issues:
	Contact WEC at epollbook@wi.gov or (608) 261-2028

WisVote Data Upload

Tasks to Complete	Details
☐ Set up Badger Book server machine*	Plug in Badger Book Router
	Set up and turn on Badger Book server machine for the polling location
	Insert USB stick into an open USB port on back of the Badger Book
*Skip to the shaded "Copy Data" step if the data was exported during the Election Night shutdown process	Log in to the Badger Book
☐ Export data from Badger Book	Open Badger Book application
	Log in using Admin user credentials
	Select Post Election Data tab on Admin screen
	Select Export Data button, located next to Export Latest Data File option
	Close the Export confirmation window
☐ Exit Badger Book program	Open main menu
☐ Power down Badger Book	Choose Exit
☐ Unplug router	Click the Windows menu icon
	Select Power – Shut down
☐ Copy Data to local computer	Insert USB into computer that will access WisVote
	If file explorer doesn't automatically open, open directly and navigate to the USB drive
	Copy Badger Book folder onto local computer
	*If there is more than one Badger Book server used on Election Day, rename the folder after copying to reduce confusion later in the process

☐ Access WisVote	Log in to WisVote
	Choose the Elections tile from the EZ Navigate page
	Select the election from the Current Elections list
	Click the chevron (down arrow) next to the election name from the command bar
Refer to Badger Book manual, pg. 63, Badger Book Data Upload to WisVote, for more details	Select Badger Book tile from the dropdown
☐ Prepare to upload Badger Book Data	Select the current election/jurisdiction in the associated view
	Click the Upload button under the Post-Election Data section
□ Upload Badger Book data	Navigate to Badger Book folder location, open the folder
	Choose the appropriate election .bin file
	Click open
	*Do not refresh the page while uploading, this may create duplicate participations
	**Upload only one file at a time, repeat the upload process if there are multiple reporting units or a central count location
 Review all addresses listed in the New Address for Review section 	Click the number hyperlink under New Address for Review
	After the list loads, double-click a row to open that record for review
	Search for the address using the Home Address field
	If the address is found, review Pin location and click Save & Close
	If the address is not found, choose the +New option and enter the address information
	Repeat until all address records have been processed
☐ Review Exceptions Table for the reporting unit	Review EDR w/o Participation, if any appear. For an EDR that did not cast a ballot, delete participation record from voter record or associated poll book. If voter did cast a ballot, no further action required.

☐ Review Exceptions Table for the reporting unit (cont.)	Review Duplicate Participation records, if any appear. Determine if participation was assigned to an incorrect voter by reviewing Badger Book Election Participation report.
	Delete the duplicate participation record from the voter record or associated poll book. If duplicate participation was assigned to the wrong voter, record participation for the correct voter using the poll book or Postsupplemental process.
☐ Commit data to WisVote	Select Complete Badger Book Upload button in Commit to WisVote field
	Select OK in the confirmation pop-up
	*This process may take a few moments to complete, when finished, status will change to Complete
☐ Confirm Upload has completed	Return to election home page
	Click on Poll Books section to expand
	Select the reporting unit that was uploaded
	If the Poll Book Statistics have not updated, click the Recalculate button in this section
	Click on the Poll Book section to confirm participation entries were recorded
	Click on the EDR section to confirm EDR participation entries were recorded