DAVIDSON COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

Tuesday, November 10, 2026

The Davidson County Board of Elections met on Tuesday, November 10, 2026 at 12:00 p.m. in the Board of Elections office located at 945 N. Main Street, Suite A, Lexington, North Carolina 27292.

Chairman Freeman called the meeting to order at 12:04 p.m. with the following members present: Secretary Belinda Clark, Jason Cheek, Richard Johnson, and Dan Francis. Director Andrew Richards, Deputy Director Olivia Phillips, and Assistant County Attorney Ryan Hargrave were present. There was 1 visitor.

Deputy Director Olivia Phillips presented the board with 2 Civilian absentee ballots and 1 Military Ballot Return Packet recommended for approval. After review, Ms. Clark made a motion to approve the 3 ballots. It was seconded by Mr. Cheek and unanimously approved.

Ms. Phillips presented the board with 12 Civilian absentee ballots and 1 Military Ballot Return Packet recommended for rejection due to not meeting North Carolina statutory requirements. After review, Mr. Francis made a motion to reject the 13 ballots. It was seconded by Ms. Clark and unanimously approved.

Once the ballots were tabulated, Mr. Johnson made a motion to approve the cumulative tabulation of absentee ballots at 3. It was seconded by Mr. Francis and unanimously approved.

Mr. Freeman made a motion to Close the Polls on the Supplemental Absentee tabulator. It was seconded by Ms. Clark and unanimously approved.

Ms. Phillips presented the board with 348 provisional ballots recommended for rejection. After review, Mr. Freeman made a motion to reject the 348 provisional ballots. It was seconded by Mr. Johnson and unanimously approved.

Ms. Phillips presented the board with 251 provisional ballots recommended for approval. After review, Mr. Freeman made a motion to approve the 251 provisional ballots. It was seconded by Mr. Johnson and unanimously approved.

Ms. Phillips presented the board with 13 provisional ballots recommended for partial approval. After review, Ms. Clark made the motion to partially approve the 13 ballots. It was seconded by Mr. Freeman and unanimously approved.

Once the ballots were tabulated, Mr. Johnson made a motion to approve the tabulation of provisional ballots at 264. It was seconded by Mr. Francis and unanimously approved.

Mr. Freeman made a motion to Close the Polls on the provisional tabulator. It was seconded by Ms. Clark and unanimously approved.

Director Andrew Richards presented the board with a Voter Challenge due to the voter moving within state. After discussion, Mr. Francis made a motion to deny the challenged voter's ballot. It was seconded by Mr. Freeman and unanimously approved.

Mr. Johnson made a motion to adjourn at 2:07 p.m. It was seconded by Ms. Clark and unanimously approved.

Respectfully Submitted,

Belinda Clark, Secretary

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