

DAVIDSON COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

Tuesday, March 5, 2024

The Davidson County Board of Elections met on Tuesday, March 5, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. in the Board of Elections office located at 945 N. Main Street, Suite A, Lexington, North Carolina 27292.

Chairman Cunningham called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m. with the following members present: Kathy Hunt and Richard Johnson. Board Members Belinda Clark and Chad Freeman were absent. Director Andrew Richards and Deputy Director Adam Moore were present. There was one visitor.

Director Andrew Richards ran the final tabulation of Absentee Ballot results with a total of 354 absentee ballots cast. Mr. Richards stated that there will be Absentee Ballots to consider at the March 12, 2024 Supplemental Meeting as there will be timely ballots turned in on Election Day until 7:30pm. Mr. Johnson made a motion to accept the current Absentee Ballot tabulation at 354 ballots cast and was seconded by Ms. Hunt. It was unanimously approved and each present board members signed the results tape.

Director Andrew Richards presented the board with a Board Initiated Challenge of an Early Voter. Director Richards presented the board with documentation that Bradley James Huff presented to vote during Early Voting, completed a Same-Day Registration, and cast a ballot. Upon the processing of his voter registration, he appeared on the NC Department of Adult Corrections Felon State Matching List used for voter list maintenance. In speaking with the voter, he was unaware of the felon law changes in relation to voting and was unaware that he was ineligible to vote since he was still under active parole. Mr. Johnson made a motion to initiate the voter challenge and was seconded by Ms. Hunt. It was unanimously approved.

At 2:25 p.m., Ms. Hunt made a motion to recess the meeting until 7:30 p.m. and was seconded by Mr. Johnson. It was unanimously approved.

At 7:30 p.m., Chairman Cunningham called the meeting to order with the following members present: Belinda Clark, Kathy Hunt, Richard Johnson, and Chad Freeman.

Mr. Johnson made a motion to resume the meeting and was seconded by Ms. Hunt. It was unanimously approved.

Deputy Director Adam Moore closed the polls and ran final tapes on the tabulators for the five Early Voting sites in Davidson County used for the March 5, 2024 Primary Election. After the tapes were ran and reviewed, Mr. Johnson made a motion to accept the tabulation of the five Early Voting sites in Davidson County. It was seconded by Ms. Hunt and unanimously approved. All five board members signed each of the five tapes.

Mr. Johnson made a motion to adjourn at 7:50 p.m. and was seconded by Ms. Hunt. It was unanimously approved.

Respectfully Submitted,

 Belinda Clark, Secretary

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