

## DAVIDSON COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

November 15, 2022

The Davidson County Board of Elections met on Tuesday, November 15, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. in the Board of Elections office located at 945 N. Main Street, Suite A, Lexington, North Carolina 27292.

Mr. Cunningham called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. with the following members present: Board Members Chad Freeman and Richard Johnson. Director Andrew Richards and Deputy Director Adam Moore were present along with one visitor.

Director Richards presented the Board with 505 Civilian Absentee Return Envelopes that were returned for the November 8, 2022 General Election to be reviewed and approved by the Board. After review, Mr. Freeman made a motion to accept all 505 Civilian Absentee Ballots and seconded by Mr. Johnson. It was unanimously approved.

Director Andrew Richards presented the Board with 7 Overseas Absentee Ballot Return packets that were returned for the November 8, 2022 General Election to be reviewed and approved by the Board. After review, Mr. Johnson made a motion to all 7 Overseas Absentee Ballots and seconded by Mr. Freeman. It was unanimously approved.

Director Andrew Richards presented the Board with 2 Military Absentee Ballot Return packets that were returned for the November 8, 2022 General Election to be reviewed and approved by the board. After review, Mr. Johnson made a motion to accept the 2 Military Absentees Ballots and seconded by Mr. Freeman. It was unanimously approved.

Director Andrew Richards also presented the Board with 8 Absentee Ballot Return Envelopes that did not meet the necessary requirements for approval. After review of the Absentee Ballot Return Envelopes, Mr. Freeman made a motion to reject the 8 ballots and seconded by Mr. Johnson and it was unanimously approved.

The Board began tabulation of the approved ballots from the November 15, 2022 Board Meetings. Tabulation concluded with 514 total ballots being tabulated for the November 8, 2022 General Election. Mr. Freeman made a motion to accept the tabulation of all 514 ballots and seconded by Mr. Johnson and it was unanimously approved.

Mr. Johnson made a motion to recess the meeting to Thursday, November 17, 2022 at 5:00 PM to allow more time for the Board to consider the Provisional ballots from the November 8, 2022 General Election. It was seconded by Mr. Johnson and unanimously approved.

The Davidson County Board of Elections resumed the November 15, 2022 meeting on Thursday, November 17, 2022 at 5:00 PM.

Mr. Cunningham called the meeting to order at 5:00 PM with the following members present: Board Members Kathy Hunt and Richard Johnson. Director Andrew Richards and Deputy Director Adam Moore were also present along with one visitor.

Director Andrew Richards presented the Board with one Civilian Absentee Return Envelope that was returned for the November 8, 2022 General Election. The Absentee was returned by mail after the deadline and postmarked by the United States Postal Service after the date of the Election. Mr. Johnson

made a motion to reject the one Civilian Absentee Ballot due to returned after the deadline. It was seconded by Ms. Hunt and it was unanimously approved.

Director Andrew Richards presented the Board with 107 Provisional Ballots that were recommended by staff based on staff research to be accepted by the Board. After review, Ms. Hunt made a motion to accept the 107 Provisional Ballots and seconded by Mr. Johnson. It was unanimously approved.

Director Andrew Richards presented the Board with 288 Provisional Ballots that were recommended by staff based on staff research to be rejected by the Board. After review, Ms. Hunt made a motion to reject the 288 Provisional Ballots and seconded by Mr. Johnson. It was unanimously approved.

The Board began tabulation of the approved Provisional Ballots from the November 15, 2022 Board Meeting. Tabulation concluded with 107 total ballots being tabulated for the November 8, 2022 General Elections. Mr. Johnson made a motion to accept the tabulation of all 107 ballots and seconded by Ms. Hunt and it was unanimously approved.

Mr. Johnson made a motion to adjourn at 8:26 PM and seconded by Ms. Hunt and it was unanimously approved.

Respectfully Submitted,



Belinda Clark, Secretary

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