DAVIDSON COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

November 7, 2022

The Davidson County Board of Elections met on Monday, November 7, 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: Belinda Clark, Secretary, Board Members Kathy Hunt, Chad Freeman, and Richard Johnson. Director Andrew Richards was also present along with one visitor.

Ms. Clark read the minutes from the November 2, 2022 board meeting. Mr. Freeman made a motion to accept the minutes and seconded by Mr. Johnson. It was unanimously approved.

Director Andrew Richards presented the Board with precinct judge appointments for the November 8, 2022 General Election. Ms. Hunt made a motion to accept the Precinct Judge appointments and seconded by Mr. Johnson. It was unanimously approved.

Director Andrew Richards provided an update on One-Stop Early Voting in Davidson County. Mr. Freeman made a motion to accept the Early Voting numbers and seconded by Ms. Clark. It was unanimously approved.

Director Andrew Richards presented the Board with 480 Civilian Absentee Return Envelopes that were returned for the November 8, 2022 General Election to be reviewed and approved by the Board. After review, Ms. Hunt made a motion to accept all 480 Civilian Absentee Ballots and seconded by Ms. Clark. It was unanimously approved.

Director Andrew Richards presented the Board with 5 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. Freeman made a motion to accept all 5 Overseas Absentee Ballots and seconded by Mr. Johnson. It was unanimously approved.

Director Andrew Richards presented the Board with 3 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. Freeman made a motion to accept all 3 Military Absentee Ballots and seconded by Ms. Hunt. It was unanimously approved.

Director Andrew Richards also presented the Board with 18 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 18 ballots and seconded by Mr. Johnson and it was unanimously approved. Director Richards told the board that Absentee cures have already been sent to those voters.

The Board began tabulation of the approved ballots from the November 7, 2022 Absentee Board Meeting. Tabulation concluded with 1847 total ballots being tabulated for the November 8, 2022 General Election. Ms. Clark made the motion to accept the tabulation of all 1847 ballots and seconded by Mr. Johnson and it was unanimously approved.

Mr. Freeman made a motion to adjourn at 8:53 pm and seconded by Mr. Johnson and it was unanimously approved.

Respectfully Submitted,

Belinda Clark, Secretary

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