

PICKENS COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS & REGISTRATION

January 7, 2025 Regular Meeting

- I. Meeting called to order- Chair Jacque Elwarner on January 7, 2025 at 6 pm Regular Meeting
- II. Attendance
 - a. Board-Jacque Elwarner, Rebecca Cantrell, Rick Frady, Terry Franzen, Ed Greathouse
 - b. Staff- Supervisor Stacey Godfrey
 - c. Public- Al Cantrell, Deborah Greathouse
 - d. Media- Mari Livsey (KnowPickens)
- III. Pledge- Led by Becky Cantrell
- IV. Approval of Agenda
 - a. Supervisor asked to amend the agenda to add 2025 Municipal Qualifying Dates
 - i. Motioned by Becky Cantrell, seconded by Rick Frady to amend the agenda
 - ii. Board Becky Cantrell, Rick Frady, Terry Franzen, and Ed Greathouse voted 4 (YES) to 0 (NO) to approve the amended agenda
- V. Approval of Minutes-
 - a. Minutes from October 1, 2024 Regular Meeting, November 5, 2024 Special Called Meeting, November 8, 2024 Special Called Meeting, and November 12, 2024 Special Called Meeting were tabled awaiting IT to retrieving them from the county server
- VI. Old Business
 - a. None
- VII. New Business
 - a. March Special Election ESPLOST for Pickens County Board of Education
 - i. Attorney reviewed the resolution provided by the school board to be signed by the board
 - ii. Special Election to be held March 18, 2025
 - iii. Motioned by Becky Cantrell, seconded by Ed Greathouse
 - iv. Board Becky Cantrell, Rick Frady, Terry Franzen, and Ed Greathouse voted 4 (YES) to 0 (NO) to approve conducting the March Special Election on behalf of the Pickens County Board of Education
 - b. 2025 Municipal Qualifying Date Approval
 - i. Supervisor suggested to the board to hold qualifying August 18- August 20 from 8:30 am- 4:30 pm
 - ii. Motioned by Becky Cantrell, seconded by Ed Greathouse

- iii. Board Becky Cantrell, Rick Frady, Terry Franzen, and Ed Greathouse voted 4 (YES) to 0 (NO) to set the qualifying dates for the 2025 November Election

VIII. Staff Comments

- a. Supervisor updated board on the upcoming dates for the March 18th election
- b. Staff will be conducting three elections this year: March 18 (Countywide), June 17 (Statewide), and November 14 (Municipal and Statewide)
- c. Supervisor reminded board members of the Poll Worker Appreciation Dinner on January 15th at the Rec Center
- d. Staff will be attending Statewide training in April
- e. Supervisor is currently taking applications for the Deputy Registrar position

IX. Public Comments

- a. None

X. Board Comments

- a. Board thanked the staff for a job well done on last year's elections and stated they are looking forward to a busy election cycle this year

XI. Adjourn

- a. Motioned by Ed Greathouse, seconded by Rick Frady
- b. Board Rebecca Cantrell, Rick Frady, Terry Franzen, and Ed Greathouse voted 4 (YES) to 0 (NO) to adjourn the meeting at 6:58 pm

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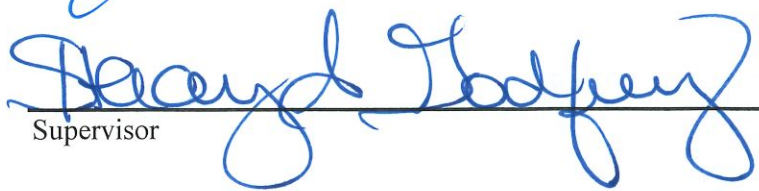
Approved



Board Chair

4/1/25

Date



Supervisor

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Date