

# Board of Election & Voter Registration

Board Meeting

Date: March 3rd, 2023

**Board Members:** Danielle Kuntz, James White, Jeff Hughes, Larry Yorgason, Judy McNichols

**Office Staff:** Jennifer Logan, Janie Johnston, Kelsey Harbin, Katie Bryson, Jonathan Podkomorka

**Present at Meeting:** Danielle, Larry, James, Jeff, Jennifer, Katie

Public: None

**I. Call to Order:** 5:00PM meeting called to order by Danielle and led pledge.

**II. Presentation of Minutes:** Danielle presented the minutes from the February 3rd Board Meeting.

**Board Member James made a motion to accept the minutes with corrections as presented. Jeff 2nd the motion. No discussion. Motion carried 4,0**

**III. Reports:** Director

- Presented Budget Report
- Building Reno Update: Cameras and WI-FI not working. Work has begun on Parking Lot
- February Runoff Election was successful. Presented absentee report.
- Director will be attending the GARViS Press Conference on Thursday.
- Utilizing GARViS as much as possible. Can't use OLVR, Felons, Pending, & redistricting modules among others. Can process DDS. State working hard to correct issues, but asking for patience during the process. The state is doing continual updates/fixes/improvements to the system.
- Mayor for the City of Pendergrass passed away and council members resigned. Positions are up in November, will speak to Renee next week to see if a special is in order.
- City of Hoschton has had one council member resign, they will hold special in November. They are in the process of building/renovating a new building they will want to serve as their polling location. The council has also been actively speaking on creating districts.

**IV. Public Comment:**

1. Chairman called for any public comment. None.

**V. Old Business :**

1. None

**VI. New Business:**

1. Certification of the House 119 Special Election Runoff.

**Motion was made by Board Chair to certify the House 119 Special Election Runoff Returns. Board Member James 2nd the motion. No further discussion. Voted 4,0 motion carried.**

Director excused herself from meeting to upload election results to state.

## 2. Challenge Hearing

Katie presented to the Board the challenged citizenship voters. The Board reviewed all materials presented and all notification mailed to applicants.

**Board Chair made a motion to reject all 5 incomplete applications, as applicants did not provide the documentation required to register, Board member Jeff 2nd the motion. No further discussion. Voted 4,0 motion carried.**

3. Consideration of Board to move the Central Polling Location to the Election office located at 441 Gordon Street in Jefferson.

**Board Member Jeff made the motion to move the polling location from the church to the Election office, Board member James 2nd the motion. No further discussion. Voted 4,0 motion carried.**

Director returned to meeting.

**VII. Adjournment:** At 5:28PM . Chairman Danielle made motion to adjourn the meeting. Jeff 2nd. Voted 4,0 motion carried.

Next meetings Friday, April 14th at 5PM Meeting