



FORSYTH COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

Board Meeting

Agenda

May 10, 2022 – 5:00 p.m.

1. Meeting Called to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Moment of Silence

Persons who wish to speak concerning items on this agenda, or who wish to speak about a matter relating to Forsyth County elections should complete a speaker card and hand it to the Clerk before the meeting is called to order.

4. Public Comments
5. Approval of Meeting Minutes
6. Approval of Absentee Ballots
7. Other Business
8. Closed Session (if necessary)
9. Adjournment

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Meeting Minutes
May 10, 2022 – 5:00 p.m.

Meeting Called to Order

An absentee meeting of the Forsyth County Board of Elections was called to order on the third floor Professional Development Center room on Tuesday, May 10, 2022 at **5:01 p.m.**, Chairperson Robert Durrah, Jr. presiding.

Board Members in attendance: Chairperson Robert Durrah, Jr., Secretary Catherine Jourdan, Member Chad Doomy, Member Adam Draper

Staff Members in attendance: Director Tim Tsujii, Deputy Director Michelle Bobadilla, Carma Buchanan, Louise Lash, Tricia Starkey

Pledge of Allegiance

Chairperson Robert Durrah led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Moment of Silence

Chairperson Robert Durrah led a moment of silence.

Public Comments

Chairperson Robert Durrah called for public comments, providing two minutes per speaker:

Arnold Booth: 9220 Helsabeck Rd., Rural Hall, NC 27045

Approval of Meeting Minutes

Member Doomy requested May 3, 2022 minutes to include the statement made by Louise Lash, Absentee Voting Manager, where she contacted all voters who had taped their absentee ballot envelopes.

Member Doomy moved to approve the meeting minutes for May 3, 2022 with the inclusion of the amended wording; Member Draper seconded; **Motion carried unanimously.**

Approval of Absentee Ballots

Director Tsujii presented for the Board's review a list of 1,916 One-Stop Early Voters for April 28-May 7, 2022 and a list of 4,229 One-Stop Early Voters for May 7-May 10, 2022.

Louise Lash, Absentee Voting Manager, presented the Board with 255 total absentee ballots for review; 7 of which were to be disapproved. Of the 248 ballots to be approved, 3 were overseas ballots and 1 was a military ballot.

Three ballots did not scan in the high-speed central counter: all three were marked spoiled; the board members duplicated the three that were spoiled; and the three ballots were then scanned through the high-speed central counter.

Member Draper moved to approve the list of 1,916 One-Stop Early Voters for April 28-May 7, 2022 and the list of 4,229 One-Stop Early Voters for May 7-May 10, 2022; Member Doomy seconded. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Member Doomy moved to approve the 248 ballots, which included 244 civilian, 3 overseas, and 1 military ballot and to disapprove 7 ballots; Member Draper seconded. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Board Members signed the One-Stop voters list and the absentee reports for approved and disapproved ballots.

Board members signed the Zero Reports for the DS850 high-speed scanner.

Other Business

Deputy Director, Michelle Bobadilla, presented the At-Large and site-specific observers lists from the Republican Party and site specific observers list from the Democratic Party for the Board's review. Member Doomy moved to approve the observers lists; Member Draper seconded. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Deputy Director, Michelle Bobadilla, informed the Board that the Forsyth County Board of Elections won the National Achievement Award from the National Association of County Officials (NACO) for the Election Academy program.

Adjournment:

Member Doomy moved to adjourn; Member Jourdan seconded. **Motion carried unanimously.** Meeting adjourned at 6:48 p.m.

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Approved:

s:/Robert Durrah, Jr.

Chairperson

s:/Catherine Jourdan

Secretary

s:/Chad Doomy

Member

s:/Alfred Harvey

Member

s:/Adam Draper

Member