Forsyth County Board of Elections - Board Meeting November 8, 2024



# FORSYTH COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

## Board Meeting Agenda November 8, 2024– 1:30 p.m.

- 1. Meeting Called to Order
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Moment of Silence
- 4. Public Comments
- 5. Review of Voter ID Exception Forms
- 6. Other Business
- 7. Closed Session (if needed)
- 8. Adjournment

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### **Meeting Called to Order**

A meeting of the Forsyth County Board of Elections was called to order in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Board Room on Friday, November 8, 2024, at **1:30** p.m., Chairperson Robert Durrah, Jr. presiding.

**Board Members in attendance:** Chairperson Robert Durrah, Jr., Vice Chair Catherine Jourdan, Secretary Chad Doomy, Member Alfred Harvey, Member Adam Draper

**Staff Members in attendance:** Director Tim Tsujii, Deputy Director Michelle Bobadilla, Tricia Starkey, Macy Payne, Jay Lerman

#### **Pledge of Allegiance**

Chairperson Robert L. Durrah, Jr. led the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### **Moment of Silence**

Chair Robert L. Durrah, Jr. led a moment of silence.

#### **Public Comments**

None

#### **Review of Voter ID Exception Forms**

Director Tim Tsujii presented to the Board the early voting and election day voter ID exception forms for review. Vice Chair Jourdan moved to approve all of the early voting voter ID exception forms as presented; Member Draper seconded. Motion carried 4-1 with Secretary Doomy opposing.

Member Draper moved to accept the election day voter ID exception forms as presented except for the one that lacked a signature; Vice Chair Jourdan seconded. **Motion carried unanimously.** 

#### **Other Business**

Mr. Tsujii presented to the Board 3 absentee ballots to be challenged due to removal as the voters have moved and registered in a new county on 10/3/2024. Secretary Doomy moved to challenge all three ballots; Member Harvey seconded. **Motion carried unanimously.** 

**<u>Recess</u>**: Chairperson Durrah called for a recess at 3:20 p.m.

**<u>Readjournment:</u>** Chairperson Durrah readjourned the meeting at 3:32 p.m.

Write In Votes tallied.

**<u>Recess</u>**: Chairperson Durrah called for a recess at 4:50 p.m. until Thursday, November 14, 2024 at 12:15 p.m.

**<u>Readjournment:</u>** Chairperson Durrah reconvened the meeting from Friday, November 8, 2024 at 12:18 p.m. on November 14, 2024

**Board Members in attendance:** Chairperson Robert Durrah, Jr., Vice Chair Catherine Jourdan, Member Alfred Harvey, Member Adam Draper (arrival 12:20 p.m.) **Board Members not in attendance:** Secretary Chad Doomy

Staff Members in attendance: Board Clerk Tricia Starkey, Macy Payne, Jay Lerman

#### **Approval of Absentee Ballots**

Macy Payne, Absentee Ballots Manager, presented to the Board 781 civilian absentee ballot for review. Member Draper moved to approve 781 civilian absentee ballots; Vice Chair Jourdan seconded. **Motion carried unanimously.** 

Ballots that did not scan in the high-speed central counter due to tears, folds, or water damage were marked spoiled. The board members duplicated the ballots that were spoiled, and the ballots were properly scanned through the high-speed central counter.

Ms. Payne presented 381 affidavit pending absentee ballots for review.

#### **Adjournment**

Member Draper moved to adjourn; Member Harvey seconded. **Motion carried unanimously.** Meeting adjourned at 1:50 p.m.

Approved:

s:/Robert L. Durrah, Jr. Chairperson

> s:/Catherine Jourdan Vice Chair

> > s:/Alfred Harvey Member

s:/Adam Draper Member