BOARD OF ELECTIONS

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MEETING MINUTES Tuesday, February 6, 2024

The February 6, 2024 meeting of the Houston County Board of Elections was called to order at 5:34 p.m. by Chairperson Pamela Morgan.

Members of the Board Present: Pamela Morgan, Chair

Sherman Falana Katherine Shelton Henry Childs

Member(s) of the Board Absent: Andrew Bennett, Vice-Chair

Member(s) of the Staff Present: Debra Presswood, Registration/Election Supervisor

Visitor(s):

Chairperson Pamela Morgan called for the approval of the February 6, 2024 agenda. A motion was made by Henry Childs and seconded by Katherine Shelton to approve the February 6, 2024 agenda. The motion carried.

Chairperson Pamela Morgan called for the approval of the January 9, 2024 meeting minutes. A motion was made by Henry Childs and seconded by Katherine Shelton to approve the January 9, 2024 meeting minutes. The motion carried.

REGISTRATION/ELECTION SUPERVISOR REPORT:

House District 143 redistricting is complete. The polling location cards have been ordered.

Debra Presswood spoke with the Roads and Bridges Department about placing signs for the polling location moves. Message board signs will be put in placed one week in advance of the March 12, 2024 Election. The signs will be placed at Houston County Career and Tech Center (HCTC), Veteran of Foreign War (VFW), Rozar Park (ROZR) and Perry Event Center (PEC). New polling location cards were mailed for both moves.

We began mailing ballots to Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA) voters on January 23, 2024. We will begin mailing all other ballots as of February 12, 2024.

The deadline to submit poll watcher designation letters is February 16, 2024.

Board Members were given the following reports:

- February 6, 2024 Agenda
- January 9, 2024 Meeting Minutes
- Registration Numbers as of February, 2024
- List of Managers & Assistant Managers for the Presidential Preference Primary Election

Old Business:

None

New Business:

Chairperson Pamela Morgan called for the approval of the Managers and Assistant Manager for the Presidential Preference Primary Election. A motion was made by Sherman Falana and seconded by Katherine Shelton to approve the Managers and Assistant Manager for the Presidential Preference Primary Election.

Sherman Falana and Pamela Morgan are assigned to the Vote Review Panel for the Presidential Preference Primary Election.

The review of provisional ballots and Certification of the Election will be Friday, March 15, 2024 at 4:00 p.m.

The upcoming Election is March 12, 2024, Presidential Preference Primary.

Public Comments:

None

The next board meeting will be March 5, 2024 at 5:30 p.m.

There being no further business, motion to adjourn by Sherman Falana, seconded by Henry Childs.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:06 p.m.

Andrew Bennett, Vice - Chair

March 5, 2024

Debra Presswood, Secretary

This meeting was conducted in accordance with the Georgia Meeting Provisions of Title 50, Chapter 14 of Georgia Code.