

BOARD OF ELECTIONS

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MEETING MINUTES Tuesday, October 7, 2025

The October 7, 2025 meeting of the Houston County Board of Elections was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Chairman Andrew Bennett.

Members of the Board Present: Andrew Bennett, Chairman
Henry Childs, Vice Chairman
Susan Lemme, Member
Sherman Falana, Member
Pamela Morgan, Member

Member(s) of the Board Absent:

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

Visitor(s):

Chairman Andrew Bennett called for the approval of the October 7, 2025 agenda. A motion was made by Pamela Morgan, Member, and seconded by Sherman Falana, Member, to approve the October 7, 2025 agenda. The motion carried.

Chairman Andrew Bennett called for the approval of the September 2, 2025 meeting minutes. A motion was made by Henry Childs, Vice-Chairman, and seconded by Susan Lemme, Member, to approve the September 2, 2025 meeting minutes. The motion carried.

REGISTRATION/ELECTION SUPERVISOR REPORT:

Reminders:

1. The City of Centerville General Municipal Election scheduled November 4, 2025 is cancelled. All races are unopposed. The unopposed candidates shall be deemed to have voted for him/herself.
2. Public Service Commission, Board of Education ESPLOST, Special Centerville, and Municipalities (Perry, Warner Robins) are on the ballot. All election day **county** polling locations will be open. Municipal voters are to report to their **county** polling location.

Board Members were given the following:

- October 7, 2025 Agenda
- Meeting Minutes for September 2, 2025
- Registration Numbers as of October 2, 2025
- Managers and Assistant Managers for the November 4, 2025 Election
- Sample Ballot

- Withdrawn Candidate Notice
- Early Voting Calendar for November 4, 2025
- Board Members Election Day Polling Location Assignments

Old Business:

New Business:

Board Members were given the Managers and Assistant Managers List for the November 4, 2025 Election. After review of the list, Chairman Bennett called for the approval of the list. A motion was made by Sherman Falana, Member, and seconded by Pamela Morgan, Member, to approve the Managers and Assistant Managers for the November 4, 2025 Election. The motion carried.

Election Day Polling Location Assignments were reviewed by the Board. Two assignments were changed. Susan Lemme is now assigned to Centerville and Chairman Bennett is assigned to Mossy Creek Middle. A motion was made by Henry Childs, Vice-Chairman, and seconded by Pamela Morgan, Member, to approve the changes. The motion carried.

Susan Lemme will serve as the Board's representative for the Voter Review Panel on Election Day. Representative for the Risk Limit Audit is tabled.

A motion was made by Pamela Morgan, Member, and seconded by Sherman Falana, Member, to meet Tuesday, November 7, 2025 at 3:30 p.m. to review provisional ballots and to certify the November 4, 2025 Election. The motion carried.

Tuesday, November 4, 2025 is Election Day; therefore, the next board meeting will be November 7, 2025 at 3:30 p.m. immediately following certification of the election.

There being no further business, motion to adjourn by Pamela Morgan, Member and seconded by Sherman Falana, Member. The meeting adjourned at 5:49 p.m.



Andrew Bennett, Chairman
November 7, 2025



Debra Presswood, Secretary

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