Board of Voter Registration & Elections

Regular Meeting Minutes

June 9, 2022 at 5:00 P.M.

In Attendance

Board Members

Mrs. Anjanette D. President

Mrs. Yolanda Y. Taylor

Shelia E. Washington

Staff

Ms. Alexandria Stephens

Mr. Terry Graham, Sr.

Ms. Elaine Pilot

Ms. Michelle D. Harrington

Call to Order:

Mrs. President called the meeting to order on June 9, 2022 at 5:00 P.M. and asked for a Moment of Meditation.

Approval of Agenda:

It was moved (Mrs. Washington) and properly seconded (Mrs. Taylor) to approve the agenda. The vote was unanimous.

Approval of Minutes:

It was moved Mrs. Washington and properly seconded (Mrs. Taylor) to approve the minutes from the June 9, 2022 meeting. The vote was unanimous.

Director’s Report:

1. **Early Voting:**
   1. Early voting for the Primary is going very well at all locations.
   2. Update for the Runoff: All of the same locations will be used for the Runoff election. The locations will be open Wednesday, June 22nd – Friday, June 24th, from 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Initially all of the locations were not available for the Runoff, but the Recreation Superintendent of the RC Recreation Commission advised that we may now utilize the facilities.
   3. The strategy we plan to use in the future to secure early voting sites is similar to the method the Precinct Division. We will reach out to all locations to see who will be able to accommodate us. Some have already turned us down due to the Saturdays required.
2. **Poll Workers:**
   1. We have enough poll workers confirmed to work at each polling location; however, there is an ebb and flow with the poll worker staffing. Nevertheless, we have ensured that each polling location has enough workers assigned to conduct the election in an efficient manner. If you know anyone who wants to work, please send them our way. We are always accepting new volunteers.
   2. We have been granted the use of the old Columbia Mall to distribute the poll worker materials. The space is much more accommodating than our location downtown; however, poll workers who prefer to retrieve their materials from 2020 Hampton St. will still be able to do so.
3. **Voting Machines:**
   1. The Machine Division has delivered all equipment to polling locations. All machines have been tested and are ready for Election Day.

Old and New Business:

Nothing to discuss.

Board & Director Comments:

Board Members thanked Director Stephens and staff for all of their hard work.

Executive Session:

No session

Next Meeting:

The next meeting is July 14, 2022 at 5:00 P.M. via Zoom.

Adjournment:

Mrs. Washington moved and Mrs. Taylor seconded to adjourn. There was no further discussion.