

Dooly County Board of Elections and Registration

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Regular Meeting Minutes September 28, 2023 402 Hawkinsville RD. Vienna, Georgia 31092

The Dooly County Board of Elections and Registration Board meeting was called to order by Chairperson Betty Bryant at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 28, 2023, at 402 Hawkinsville Road, Vienna, GA.

A quorum was met. Attendees present were:

- Betty Bryant
- Lee Harris
- Gwendolyn Ford
- Earl Clark
- Wayne Wilkin
- Brenetta Childs, Supervisor
- Jessica Fudge, Secretary

Invocation

The invocation commenced with Vice-Chairman Wayne Wilkin saying a prayer followed by The Pledge of Allegiance in unison.

Agenda Adoption

The Board reviewed the agenda. Upon a motion by Lee Harris and seconded by Vice-Chairman Wayne Wilkin to adopt the agenda as presented; agenda was unanimously adopted and approved as presented.

Approval of Minutes

The Board reviewed the minutes for the August 24, 2023, regular meeting. Upon a motion by Lee Harris and seconded by Gwendolyn Ford to approve the minutes for August 24, 2023, the minutes were unanimously approved and adopted as presented.

Budget Report (August 2023)

The Board members along with Elections Supervisor Brenetta Childs reviewed and discussed the budget report for August 2023. The Board members accepted the budget report for August 2023 as presented.

Upcoming 2023 Elections

Assistant Elections Supervisor Jessica Fudge informed the Board members of the upcoming elections. Assistant Elections Supervisor Jessica Fudge informed the Board members of the following:

- Deadline to register to vote to be eligible to vote in the November 7, 2023 Municipal Election is October 10, 2023
- Early voting begins October 16, 2023 through November 3, 2023 from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m.
- Saturday voting will be held on October 21, 2023 and October 28, 2023 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.

Redistricting for County Update

Elections Supervisor Brenetta Childs briefly updated the Board members about the redistricting for the county. Elections Supervisor Brenetta Childs informed the Board members that the Elections Office is currently working on the redistricting for the county.

Poll Workers Pay Update

Elections Supervisor Brenetta Childs along with the Board members briefly discussed the poll workers pay. Upon a motion made by Lee Harris and seconded by Earl Clark to let the Dooly County Poll workers pay stay as is, the motion to let the Poll workers pay stay as is was unanimously accepted and approved by the Board members.

Minutes on Website

Elections Supervisor Brenetta Childs informed the Board members that the Dooly County Elections Office has posted all of the previous minutes onto the County website.

The next regular meeting will be held on Thursday, October 26, 2023 @ 6:00 p.m. at 402 Hawkinsville, Road, Vienna, Georgia.

With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 6:17 p.m.