

Dooly County Board of Elections and Registration

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Regular Meeting Minutes August 28, 2025 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 5:00 p.m. on Thursday August 28, 2025 at 402 Hawkinsville Road, Vienna, GA.

A quorum was met. Attendees present were:

- Betty Bryant
- Gwendolyn Ford
- Wayne Wilkin
- Jessica Fudge, Secretary
- Brenetta Childs, Elections Supervisor

Absent: Earl Clark, Alex Jones

Invocation

The invocation commenced with Chairperson Betty Bryant leading the Board members in prayer followed by The Pledge of Allegiance in unison.

Agenda Adoption

The Board reviewed the agenda. Upon a motion by Vice-Chairman Wayne Wilkin and seconded by Gwendolyn Ford to adopt the agenda as amended (editing of the next regular meeting date); the agenda was unanimously adopted and approved as amended.

Approval of Minutes

The Board reviewed the minutes for the July 17, 2025 regular meeting. Upon a motion by Vice-Chairman Wayne Wilkin and seconded by Gwendolyn Ford to approve the minutes for July 17, 2025 the minutes were unanimously approved and adopted as presented.

Budget Report (May 2025/July 2025)/ Worksheet for FY25-26

Elections Supervisor Brenetta Childs along with the Board members discussed the budget reports for May 2025 and July 2025. Elections Supervisor Brenetta Childs and the Board members discussed the worksheet for FY 25-26. The Board members accepted the budget reports for May 2025 and July 2025 as presented. Elections Supervisor Brenetta Childs informed the Board members that the budget has been approved and can be discussed at the next meeting.

Municipal Elections (Intergovernmental Agreements)

Elections Supervisor Brenetta Childs informed the Board members that she is working with County Attorney William Gregory to see if the municipalities want the County Elections Office to conduct their elections. Elections Supervisor Brenetta Childs informed the Board members that the main concern the municipalities have right now is the cost.

Elections for 2025 (Runoff * if applicable)

The Board members was updated on the upcoming Elections/Runoffs for 2025. The dates for 2025 Elections are as follow:

- A. General/Special Election: November 4, 2025/December 2, 2025

Board Concerns

Elections Supervisor Brenetta Childs asked the Board did they have any concerns. The Board members asked to be reminded of the meeting on the Monday prior to the meeting. The Board members also opted to receive the regular meeting minutes from each previous meeting on the Monday prior to the meeting.

The next regular meeting will be held on Thursday, September 25, 2025 @ 5:00 p.m. at 402 Hawkinsville, Road, Vienna, Georgia.

With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 5:22 p.m.