# BOARD OF ELECTIONS

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## **MEETING MINUTES** Tuesday, May 2, 2023

The May 2, 2023 meeting of the Houston County Board of Elections was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Chairman Henry Childs.

Members of the Board Present:

Henry Childs, Chairman

Pamela Morgan, Vice Chair

Andrew Bennett Katherine Shelton Sherman Falana

Member(s) of the Board Absent:

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

Visitor(s): Kim Trust, Zaire Brown, Florence Brown, David Ellerbrock

Chairman Henry Childs called for the approval of the May 2, 2023 agenda. A motion was made by Sherman Falana and seconded by Katherine Shelton to approve the May 2, 2023 agenda. The motion carried.

Chairman Henry Childs called for the approval of the April 4, 2023 meeting minutes. A motion was made by Pamela Morgan and seconded by Katherine Shelton to approve the April 4, 2023 meeting minutes. The motion carried.

#### REGISTRATION/ELECTION SUPERVISOR REPORT:

The Board of Elections office staff is recruiting poll workers for the 2024 election year.

The Warner Robins Redistricted Map was approved during the City of Warner Robins Council Meeting held April 17, 2023.

Board Members were given the following reports:

- April 4, 2023 Meeting Minutes
- May 2, 2023 Agenda
- Registration Numbers as of May 2, 2023
- Challenged Voters List
- Voters Registration Numbers for Rozar Park Voting Location and a map for proposed split of polling location.

### **Old Business:**

We are on hold for redistricting because the State is doing street maintenance in GARVIS (GA Registration Voters Information System).

#### **New Business:**

Currently, Rozar Park polling location has over 14,000 registered voters; therefore, the Board of Elections is proposing splitting the number of voters by adding an additional polling location. A motion was made by Sherman Falana and seconded by Pamela Morgan to move some of the voters from Rozar Park polling location to Perry Event Center, the new county polling location. The proposed change will become effective in 2024. The motion carried.

A Challenged Voters list was reviewed by the Board. The electors were notified on April 27, 2023 by letter of the challenge. The voters have been given an opportunity to provide a residential address or appear before the Board on June 6, 2023.

The next board meeting will be June 6, 2023 at 5:30 p.m.

There being no further business, motion to adjourn by Andrew Bennett, seconded by Pamela Morgan. The meeting was adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

Henry Childs, Chairman

June 6, 2023

Debra Presswood, Secretary

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