

BOARD OF ELECTIONS

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MEETING MINUTES Tuesday, July 9, 2024

The July 9, 2024 meeting of the Houston County Board of Elections was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Chairperson Pamela Morgan.

Members of the Board Present: Pamela Morgan, Chair
Andrew Bennett, Vice-Chair
Katherine Shelton, Member
Henry Childs, Member

Member(s) of the Board Absent: Sherman Falana, Member

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

Chairperson, Pamela Morgan called for the approval of the July 9, 2024 agenda. A motion was made by Vice-Chair Bennett and seconded by Henry Childs, Member, to approve the July 9, 2024 agenda. The motion carried.

Chairperson, Pamela Morgan called for the approval of the June 4, 2024 meeting minutes. A motion was made by Henry Childs, Member, and seconded by Andrew Bennett, Vice-Chair, to approve the June 4, 2024 meeting minutes. The motion carried.

Chairperson, Pamela Morgan called for the approval of the June 6, 2024 meeting minutes. A motion was made by Andrew Bennett, Vice-Chair, and seconded by Henry Childs, Member, to approve the June 6, 2024 meeting minutes. The motion carried.

REGISTRATION/ELECTION SUPERVISOR REPORT:

The upcoming election is the General Election, November 5, 2024.

Early Voting dates and hours are:

- October 15 – November 1 (Monday – Friday) 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
- October 19 & October 26 (Saturdays) 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Early Voting Locations are Board of Elections, Houston Health Pavilion Conference Center, Central Georgia Technical College, and North Houston Sports Complex.

Georgia's Counties Elections will have on-site training August 26 – August 30. The location is to be announced later.

Board Members were given the following reports:

- July 9, 2024 Agenda
- June 4, 2024 Meeting Minutes
- June 6, 2024 Meeting Minutes
- Registration Numbers as of July 8, 2024
- State Election Board Notice of Proposed Rulemaking – Revisions to Subject 183-1-14-.02 Advance Voting
- GA Secretary of State, Elections Division-VR Cancellation Form 2024-002

Old Business:

The discussion regarding the low number of voters who utilize the North Houston Sports Complex location during early voting was reopened. Vice-Chair, Bennett moved to revisit this topic after the November 5, 2024 General Election and Member, Katherine Shelton, seconded. Motion carried.

New Business:

National Change of Addresses (NCOA) were mailed June 27, 2024. The Secretary of State mailed 290 Cross State notices, and the Houston County Board of Elections mailed 544 Out of County, and 763 Out of State, notices.

The next board meeting will be August 6, 2024 at 5:30 p.m.

There being no further business, motion to adjourn by Vice-Chair Bennett, seconded by Member Katherine Shelton. The meeting was adjourned at 5:50 p.m.



Pamela Morgan, Chairperson
August 6, 2024



Debra Presswood, Secretary

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