BOARD OF ELECTIONS

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MEETING MINUTES Tuesday, August 6, 2024

The August 6, 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 Sherman Falana, Member Katherine Shelton, Member Henry Childs, Member

Member(s) of the Board Absent:

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

Chairperson, Pamela Morgan called for the approval of the August 6, 2024 agenda. A motion was made by Sherman Falana, Member, and seconded by Katherine Shelton, Member, to approve the August 6, 2024 agenda. The motion carried.

Chairperson, Pamela Morgan, called for the approval of the July 9, 2024 meeting minutes. A motion was made by Henry Childs, Member, and seconded by Katherine Shelton, Member, to approve the July 9, 2024 meeting minutes. The motion carried.

REGISTRATION/ELECTION SUPERVISOR REPORT:

Debra Presswood attended the Regional 6 Roundtable meeting in Butts County on August 2, 2024. Topics discussed were Watermarked Ballot Paper and Post Election Audits.

The General Election is November 5, 2024.

Early Voting dates and hours are:

- October 14 Closed (Columbus Day)
- 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 Official will attend on-site training August 26 – August 30. The location is Georgia Public Safety Training Center, Forsyth, GA (Monday-Thursday) and GA Secretary of State Office, Macon, GA (Friday). Houston County has been allotted three representatives per day.

Board Members were given the following reports:

- August 6, 2024 Agenda
- July 9, 2024 Meeting Minutes
- Registration Numbers as of August 6, 2024

Old Business:

New Business:

Houston County mailed 1,675 National Change of Addresses (NCOA) – In County notices on July 24, 2024.

The next board meeting will be September 3, 2024 at 5:30 p.m.

There being no further business, motion to adjourn by Vice-Chair Bennett, seconded by Member Sherman Falana. The meeting was adjourned at 6:20 p.m.

Pamela Morgan, Chairperson

September 3, 2024

Debra Presswood, Secretary

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