

## BOARD OF ELECTIONS

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## FAYETTE COUNTY, GEORGIA

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## MINUTES

January 24, 2023  
5:00 p.m.

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Welcome to the meeting of your Fayette County Board of Elections. Your participation is appreciated. All regularly scheduled Board meetings are open to the public and are generally held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month at 5:00 p.m.

### **CHAIRMAN TO CALL THE MEETING TO ORDER**

Chairman Wright called the Election Board Meeting to order at 5:00 PM

### **APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

Mr. Hicks motioned to approve the agenda as written. Mr. Wright second the motion. Motion approved 3-0

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

Speakers will be given a five (5) minute maximum time limit to speak before the Board of Elections about various topics, issues, and concerns. Speakers must direct comments to the Board. Responses are reserved at the direction of the Board

Suzanne Brown, Peachtree City: (1) Would like the Pledge of Allegiance to be said at the beginning of meetings. (2) Trying to download some of the data from the November election result and the state elections hasn't entered all the voted data regarding who voted and who didn't voter. Looking at trying to put together a list so that they can address the issue with the Rising Starr Precinct having some inside Peachtree City and some outside Peachtree City. Data needed in order to do investigation into it to try to move forward with trying to move forward to get some Precinct boundary lines changed. Need help to get that data entered.

### **APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES**

Consideration of staff's request to approve the December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022, Board of Elections' Meeting Minutes

Mr. Hicks motioned to approve the Minutes as written. Mr. Wright second the motion. Motion approved 3-0

### **CONSENT AGENDA:**

There was no Consent Agenda

### **PUBLIC HEARING:**

1. Public Hearing of staff's recommendation to remove registered Fayette County voters from the Electors List who are registered in the State of Georgia's Secretary of State Voter Registration System as deceased (**Pages1-4**)

Mr. Hicks motioned to approve the agenda as written. Mr. Rower second the motion. Motion approved 3-0

2. Public Hearing of staff's recommendation to remove registered Fayette County voters from the Electors List who are registered in the State of Georgia's Secretary of State Voter Registration System as felons (**SOS office didn't send a list of Felons**)

Mr. Hicks motioned to approve the agenda as written. Mr. Rower second the motion. Motion approved 3-0

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

There was no Old Business

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

There was no New Business

### **DIRECTOR REPORT:**

Fire station 4 rebuild update: Walk through done: 1/24/2023. RFIs (changes) sent via email on 1/23. Facade has been taken off the plan. Replaced with awning. Money will be allocated to something else, if necessary. Inspection found that extra beams are needed. Not able to get money needed, now. Framing put up but no walls.

Municipality IGA's: Per Mr. Patrick, they appear to be the same as that we've used in the past. They should be fine.

GARVIS Trainings (**Page 5**): Training held in Athens. February 6<sup>th</sup> will be the first launch date. ENET will end a week before. DDS, applications, registrations, and March election paperwork will have to be on hold until GARVIS is running.

GAVREO Conference: February 12<sup>th</sup> through February 15<sup>th</sup>, will be in Jekyll Island, GA. Attending staff will be sent information packets containing conference information, hotel, and per diem.

Challenge: Fayette County resident received a Precinct card from individual that does not reside at their address. Per Mr. Patrick, there was no language in the email that appear to make this a challenge. Not treating it as a challenge, at this point. However, the department is doing its research.

### **ATTORNEY'S REPORTS:**

There was no Attorney's Report

### **BOARD MEMBERS REPORTS:**

Mr. Hicks – Nothing to report

Mr. Rower- Questions regarding GARVIS implementation.

Mr. Wright- (1) Visited the Capitol. No current House bills that have been dropped at this point or looking like they're going to pass or move forward. (2) Redistricting. Looking at drawing the precinct boundaries, this year. Census has been completed. No major elections this year. Discussion only. (3) Precinct location issues. Report on what needs to be done or what has already been done for improvements. Locations where they will be located. Consolidating precinct parameters (4,500 to 5,500), 19 precincts.

### **EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

No Executive Session

### **ADJOURNMENT:**

Mr. Hicks motioned to adjourn the Election Board meeting. Chairman Wright seconded the motion. The motion passed 3-0 The election board meeting adjourned at 5:15 pm

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Brian W. Hill, Director

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Aaron Wright, Chairman

The foregoing minutes were duly approved at an official meeting of the Board of Elections of Fayette County, Georgia, held on the 24th day of January 2023. Referenced attachments are available upon request in the Board of Elections' Office.