

MINUTES: Greene County Electoral Board
February 2, 2023

The Greene County Electoral Board meeting of **February 2, 2023** was held at the office of the Director of Elections (formerly "General Registrar") at 32 Stanard Street in Stanardsville, Virginia at 9:00 a.m.

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by the Chair, Deborah Turck, at 9:00 a.m

In Attendance:

Deborah Turck, Chair
Tom Boyd, Vice-Chairperson
Brian O'Regan, Secretary

Jennifer Lewis-Fowler, Director of Elections

Guests: Edwin Consolvo

Closed Session:

Chairperson Turck adjourned for the purpose of entering Closed Session at 9:01 a.m. for "Consultation with legal counsel employed or retained by a public body regarding specific legal matters requiring the provision of legal advice by such counsel..." as authorized in FOIA statute 2.2-3711 Section A paragraph 8 reviewing legal matters. Commonwealth's Attorney Edwin Consolvo joined the Board for the closed session.

Returning to the open meeting at 9:45 a.m, the Chair asked for certification by individual voice vote that only matters named as the purpose of the meeting were discussed during the closed meeting. All Board members certified the content of the meeting. No actions were taken in the meeting.

OLD BUSINESS

A. **Minutes** of December 12, 2022 and January 12, 2023 were approved as revised following a motion duly made followed by a 3-0 vote in the affirmative.

B. Regarding the Greene County Public School Calendar for **2024- Presidential Primary**, no response has yet been received by the Board regarding the scheduling conflict between the federal primary election date and school building being open for school business. Chairperson Turck will continue to follow-up.

NEW BUSINESS

A. April 4th Special Election –

Three candidates have submitted paperwork. Two have qualified. The General Registrar is still pursuing available Officers of Election for April voting day. Logic and Accuracy testing will most likely occur on February 10th or 13th.

B. DemTech meeting – Jennifer Lewis-Fowler and Brian O'Regan will attend February 9th DemTech training session.

C. Stanardsville and Stanardsville District voters will be notified of changes in polling places by March 22 via postcard mailing. (American Legion Post will be April voting site for Stanardsville Precinct voters and Town Hall will be voting site for Stanardsville Town voters).

D. VEBA Meeting- March 25-27- Roanoke - All Board members will attend annual meeting. Tom Boyd will also complete required Boot Camp session for new EB members on Saturday.

E. Legislation Update Bill to modify absentee voting time limit - to the two weeks leading up to Election Day - continues to be monitored.

REGISTRAR'S REPORT

A. June Primary Election -

Registrar's Office is awaiting confirmation of contested races. No contested races have yet been identified. If no contested races, Primary would be unnecessary.

B. November election: Three candidates have submitted paperwork: Steve Smith, Edwin Consolvo, and Kim Tate. Smith and Consolvo have qualified.

C. Voter Registration List - 81 inactive voters have been removed from voter registration list as part of two-year regular review.

D. Letters to Absentee Voters regarding continued status - Letters have been mailed.

E. 2023-2024 Budget proposal for Office of the Registrar.

Board did brief review of 2024 budget proposal. Feedback to General Registrar is additional funding should be requested to upgrade facility re: both citizen access, safety and security. Message will be communicated with Administration.

COMMENTS FROM PUBLIC

No Public guests present.

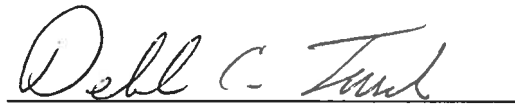
Next Meeting Date: March 9th @ 10 am.

Motion was made by O'Regan and seconded by Boyd to adjourn at 11:09. Approved 3-0.

Respectfully Submitted,

Brian O'Regan, Secretary

Approved:



Deborah Turck, Chairperson



Thomas Boyd, Vice-Chairperson



Brian C. O'Regan, Secretary