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AGENDA
Harford County Board of Elections
133 Industry Lane, Forest Hill, MD 21050
February 24, 2021
5:00 p.m.

- 1) Call to Order; Declaration of Quorum
- 2) Welcome Members and Guests
- 3) Approval of Minutes
 - January 27, 2021 Regular Session
- 4) Request Additions or Changes to the Agenda
- 5) Election Office Report
- 6) Board Attorney's Report
- 7) Old Business
 - Reconvene Board of Canvassers for the 2020 General Elections
 - Ballot Review
- 8) New Business
- 9) Confirmation of Next Meeting
- 10) Members Time
- 11) Closed Session*
- 12) Adjournment

NEXT MEETING: March 24, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.

*Closed Meeting: Part of the meeting may be closed in accordance with Maryland's Open Meetings Act procedures.

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HARFORD COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS
MINUTES
January 27, 2021

PRESENT:

Board:	Staff:
Allison W. McCord, President	Stephanie Taylor, Director
Joseph N. Price, Vice President	Sarah Mohan
Julia A. Bopst, Secretary	
Medford J. Campbell III, Democratic Member	
Michael A. Dykes, Democratic Member	
Brian K. Young, Esq., Board Counsel	

QUORUM:

Ms. McCord called the meeting to order at 5:03 p.m. and determined there was a quorum with at least one member of the minority party being present. This meeting was held virtually.

WELCOME GUESTS:

Maggie Mundle, Loralyn Sisler and Richard Siejack from the staff were on the call for the meeting.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Ms. Bopst motioned to approve the December 16th regular session minutes and Mr. Price seconded. The minutes were approved unanimously.

ADDITIONS OR CHANGES TO THE AGENDA:

There were no additions or changes to the agenda.

ELECTION OFFICE REPORT:

Ms. Taylor gave the Administrative update.

Ms. Taylor added that SBE has implemented a new style of training using Agile. It has included focus groups for the new pollbooks and includes election judges.

Ms. Taylor added that SBE is allocating the vaccine for front line employees that interact with the public. She commented that we are on a few lists hoping to get in. This includes the list that Mr. Siejack's wife offered to us through her employment.

Ms. Taylor added that the training room will become the new candidate filing area to allow for social distancing. She also added that most of their information will be pre-filled and they will come in to sign. They will also only be allowed to pay with a check.

Mr. Young explained that the County is looking to have the Board hold the lease with the airpark but it will need to be revised with its agreements as well as the payments.

Ms. Taylor stated that the lobby is slated to begin construction the week of the 22nd of March. The County is take responsibility to remove the old lobby and then American Design and Build will come in and complete the project. They doors will have key-fob entry and the lobby will have glass windows that can open if needed.

Ms. Taylor gave the Staff update.

Ms. Taylor gave the Election Operations update.

Ms. Mohan explained the manual audit process and results to the members of the board.

Ms. Mohan gave the Election Judge update.

Ms. Taylor gave the Voter Registration update.

Ms. Taylor explained that there had been a change in party affiliations within the last month. She stated that the number of registered voters in the Republican Party and Democratic Party have gotten closer in numbers within the month of January.

Mr. Siejack gave the Legislative update.

He added that there were actually 59 new election related bills instead of the 45 as of that evening.

Ms. Mohan gave the Outreach update.

She added that the date for the upcoming VRV training is February 17th at 6 pm.

BOARD ATTORNEY'S REPORT:

Mr. Young reported that the ongoing cases were still ongoing. In Mr. Fetter's case there have been motions to dismiss and we are waiting on those now. There are also conversations around settlement and the lease. The case with Ms. Remmey is with the Office of Administrative Hearings and is expected to have hearings on arguments in either March or April. We are waiting for the opportunity for our reply brief to be filed by Ms. Livingston in the next 15 days. He added that the oral arguments will most likely be in April as well.

Ms. Mundle asked if there was anything ongoing with Mr. Swain. Mr. Young stated that everything pertaining to the office has been dismissed but there is still the criminal case against Mr. Swain. He does not anticipate that it will be anytime soon with all the cases backlogged from the pandemic.

OLD BUSINESS:

RECONVENE BOARD OF CANVASSERS

Mr. Campbell motioned to convene as the Board of Canvassers and Mr. Price seconded the motion. The motion was approved unanimously and the Board of Canvassers reconvened at 5:38 p.m.

Ms. Taylor used the document camera to present ballots for the Board of Canvassers to review. Ms. Taylor presented 100 Primary Elections ballots, recommended for rejection, that were received during the General Election. Mr. Price motioned to reject the 100 ballots and Ms. Bopst seconded the motion. The 100 ballots were rejected with a unanimous vote.

Ms. Taylor presented 19 ballots that were not received timely at the office that were recommended for rejection. 16 ballots were postmarked timely but were not received at the office in time to be counted for the election. Three ballots were not postmarked timely or received timely at the office.

Mr. Campbell motioned to reject the 19 ballots and Ms. Bopst seconded the motion. The 19 ballots were rejected with a unanimous vote.

Mr. Price motioned to return to regular session and Ms. McCord seconded. The board returned to regular session at 5:40 p.m. by vote of all present members.

NEW BUSINESS:

Ms. McCord commented that the members needed to complete their ethics filing by the end of April.

CONFIRMATION OF NEXT MEETING:

The next meeting will be held on February 24th, 2021 at 5 p.m.

MEMBERS TIME:

There was no members time to present.

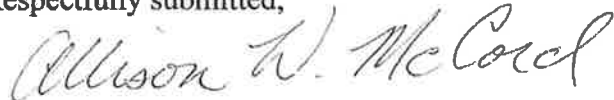
CLOSED SESSION:

There was no closed session.

ADJOURNMENT:

Mr. Price made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Ms. McCord seconded. The meeting adjourned at 5:43 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Allison W. McCord".

Allison W. McCord, President

LEG. DIST	CONG DIST	COUN DIST	DIST. PRECINCT	POLLING PLACE	TOTAL	DEM	REP	GRN	LIB	WCP	BAR	UNA	OTH
34A	2	A	1-01	Magnolia Elementary School	3394	2118	530	5	23	4	1	674	39
7	1	B	1-02	Trinity Lutheran School	2112	802	845	1	8	2	0	434	20
34A	2	A	1-03	Edgewood Elementary School	1903	995	475	5	8	4	0	398	18
7	2	A	1-04	Joppatowne Elementary School	2751	1251	898	5	13	2	1	550	31
34A	2	A	1-05	Deerfield Elementary School	2428	1263	626	3	12	2	0	508	14
34A	2	A	1-06	Edgewood Recreation and	3173	2032	440	9	8	7	5	627	45
7	1	B	1-07	Trinity Lutheran School	1836	547	872	1	13	0	1	385	17
7	1	B	1-08	Emmorton Elementary School	3891	1353	1580	7	19	2	1	895	34
34B	1	B	1-09	Abingdon Library	2542	874	1030	4	18	0	0	586	30
34A	2	A	1-10	William Paca Elementary	3904	1879	1167	3	21	1	2	798	33
34A	1	B	1-11	William S. James Elementary	2862	954	1219	3	15	0	3	639	29
34B	1	F	1-12	Abingdon Fire Hall	3106	1106	1359	2	12	1	2	610	14
34A	2	F	1-13	Old Post Road Elementary	1712	705	564	0	9	0	0	411	23
34B	1	C	1-14	Patterson Mill Middle/High	4168	1291	1927	6	16	0	0	900	28
34B	2	A	1-15	Abingdon Elementary School	2961	1189	1046	3	20	2	0	680	21
34A	2	F	1-16	Church Creek Elementary	3042	1383	901	1	32	0	1	697	27
35B	1	F	1-17	The Highlands School	481	131	233	1	3	0	0	106	7
34A	2	F	1-18	Old Post Road Elementary	2090	930	722	4	7	1	0	409	17
34A	2	A	1-19	Edgewood High School	2947	1728	562	5	12	3	0	613	24
34A	2	F	1-20	Church Creek Elementary	3755	1968	905	2	19	1	3	824	33
34B	1	B	1-21	St. Mary's Episcopal Church	886	320	347	3	7	0	0	194	15
34A	1	F	1-22	Old Post Road Elementary	255	107	92	0	6	0	0	50	0
34A	2	A	1-23	Joppatowne Elementary School	401	153	150	0	0	1	0	91	6
7	2	A	1-24	Riverside Elementary School	550	229	214	1	2	1	0	102	1
34B	1	F	1-25	Old Post Road Elementary	29	11	6	0	0	0	0	12	0
34B	2	F	1-26	Old Post Road Elementary	1512	588	574	3	18	0	1	313	15
34B	1	F	1-27	Highland School	1591	519	651	2	4	0	0	409	6
34A	2	A	1-41	Riverside Elementary School	1882	883	579	3	8	1	0	390	18
7	2	A	1-45	Joppatowne Junior/Senior High	2579	926	1121	3	24	1	1	481	22
34A	1	E	2-01	George D. Lisby Elementary	1348	683	337	2	11	1	0	307	7
35B	1	D	2-02	Level Fire Hall	3409	955	1719	3	22	3	1	677	29
34A	2	F	2-03	Aberdeen VFW - Post 10028	1798	803	575	1	13	0	2	386	18
34A	1	E	2-04	Aberdeen Senior High School	184	52	88	1	3	0	0	38	2
34A	1	E	2-05	Aberdeen Middle School	210	56	81	1	0	1	0	69	2
34A	2	D	2-07 *A	Level Fire Hall	249	129	60	1	1	0	0	58	0
34A	2	E	2-10 *A	Aberdeen Senior High School	2834	1447	697	7	19	0	0	635	29
34A	2	E	2-11 *A	Aberdeen Middle School	2700	1163	948	8	18	1	0	536	26
34A	2	E	2-14 *A	Hall's Cross Roads Elementary	2187	1124	466	3	17	3	1	541	32
34A	2	E	2-15 *A	George D. Lisby Elementary	2305	1152	610	3	10	5	1	504	20
34A	2	F	2-19	Hall's Cross Roads Elementary	785	346	191	1	6	0	3	232	6
35B	1	E	2-20	Aberdeen Senior High School	52	8	30	0	0	0	0	14	0
34A	1	D	2-21	Level Fire Hall	111	36	43	1	2	0	0	27	2
35B	1	E	2-22	George D. Lisby Elementary	51	18	22	0	3	0	0	8	0
35B	1	E	3-02	Churchville Recreation Center	2704	737	1430	5	10	0	2	503	17
7	1	B	3-03	Fallston Senior High School	3829	928	2200	1	18	0	0	663	19
35B	1	D	3-04	Hickory Elementary School	1752	402	997	1	14	3	1	321	13
35B	1	D	3-05	Forest Hill Elementary School	3661	816	2030	3	28	1	3	749	31
7	1	B	3-06	Fallston Middle School	3183	883	1666	2	15	2	0	601	14
7	1	B	3-07	Mountain Christian School	3173	875	1635	3	19	2	0	614	25
35B	1	C	3-08	New Port Terrace	3109	860	1596	3	13	1	0	620	16
7	1	C	3-09	Forest Lakes Elementary	3372	995	1693	3	16	1	0	646	18
34B	1	C	3-10 *B	Bel Air Elementary School	3049	1084	1278	6	20	2	1	632	26
34B	1	C	3-11 *B	Mt. Ararat Lodge	1963	591	923	4	9	0	0	424	12
34B	1	C	3-12 *B	Bel Air Middle School	2236	732	951	4	16	1	0	516	16
7	1	B	3-13	Red Pump Road Elementary	3071	885	1526	5	16	0	0	614	25
7	1	C	3-14	Bel Air High School	2865	866	1344	3	17	0	0	616	19
35B	1	C	3-15	Southampton Middle School	2471	742	1157	4	16	1	2	527	22
34B	1	C	3-16	Ring Factory Elementary	2458	792	1144	3	3	1	0	499	16
34B	1	C	3-17	Wakefield Elementary School	2474	774	1171	1	11	0	0	499	18
35B	1	E	3-18	Southampton Middle School	2476	858	1021	3	13	1	1	551	28
35B	1	C	3-19	C. Milton Wright High School	2790	775	1420	3	13	0	0	566	13
35B	1	E	3-20	Prospect Mill Elementary	2543	652	1332	3	13	1	0	530	12
35B	1	E	3-21	Fountain Green Elementary	3086	935	1437	2	20	1	1	667	23
35B	1	E	3-22	Harford Technical High School	3537	945	1769	2	28	4	1	772	16
35B	1	E	3-23	St. Matthew Lutheran Church -	3158	1011	1499	5	17	1	0	598	27
7	1	D	3-24	Victorious Faith Fellowship	2489	638	1326	0	9	0	1	489	26

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7	1	D	3-26	Forest Hill Elementary School	854	200	493	0	3	0	0	156	2
34B	1	E	3-27	Southampton Middle School	331	95	161	0	1	0	0	71	3
7	1	D	4-01	Jarrettsville Elementary School	1841	458	1003	3	13	1	0	345	18
7	1	B	4-02	Youths Benefit Elementary	2710	676	1523	3	12	1	0	469	26
7	1	D	4-03	Norrisville Elementary School	2780	550	1691	0	20	0	0	497	22
35B	1	D	4-04	North Bend Elementary School	2838	615	1653	2	12	1	1	541	13
7	1	B	4-05	Veronica 'Roni' Chenowith Act	3498	934	1888	8	17	0	0	614	37
7	1	D	4-06	Jarrettsville Fire Hall	2074	492	1159	1	8	2	1	394	17
35B	1	D	4-07	Jarrettsville Elementary School	1440	334	809	1	4	0	0	284	8
35B	1	D	5-01	Dublin Elementary School	2604	601	1485	1	15	1	0	476	25
35B	1	D	5-02	North Harford High School	2416	521	1419	4	14	1	0	446	11
35B	1	D	5-03	North Harford Elementary	2761	569	1668	0	12	1	3	490	18
35B	1	D	5-04	Darlington Elementary School	1566	371	844	5	8	0	1	330	7
34A	2	F	6-01 *H	Havre de Grace High School	2023	900	591	4	15	1	3	470	39
34A	2	F	6-02 *H	Meadowvale Elementary School	2518	962	919	4	20	1	0	599	13
34A	2	F	6-03 *H	Havre de Grace Elementary	2072	904	649	8	10	0	0	469	32
34A	1	F	6-04	Meadowvale Elementary School	174	59	78	0	1	0	0	34	2
34A	2	E	6-05 *A	Aberdeen Middle School	399	233	72	0	2	0	0	91	1
34A	2	F	6-06 *H	Havre de Grace Middle School	4532	1822	1621	3	12	1	1	1012	60
34A	2	F	6-07	Aberdeen Middle School	392	119	189	1	2	0	1	72	8