

Buckingham County Electoral Board Meeting

The Electoral Board met on May 29, 2019 at 3:30 p.m. in Buckingham County administrative offices basement conference room. Director of Elections/Registrar, Margaret Thomas, and Electoral Board members, Gail Braxton and Larry Davis, were present. Gail Braxton, Vice-Chair, called the meeting to order. Larry Davis, Secretary, read the minutes from the March 8 meeting. The minutes were corrected and approved.

Margaret Thomas sent sympathy cards to the families of Joan Ewers and Wanda Albreicht.

Larry Davis and Rick Caldwell plan to attend the State Department of Elections Required Training in Richmond on June 25, 2019.

The list of candidates who have qualified for the November 2019 ballot were reviewed. The filing deadline is June 11, 2019.

Larry Davis moved that Margaret Thomas be reappointed as Director of Elections/Registrar. Gail Braxton seconded. Mrs. Thomas plans to retire on December 31, 2019.

Moving the Slate River Voting Precinct was discussed. We are looking into the possibility of using the Glenmore Rescue Squad Building. We will need help with parking if the current location, the Masonic Lodge, is used for the next election.

The logistics of Early Voting was discussed. This goes into effect October 2020. The purchase of a security cart, a DS200, and an Express Vote was discussed. These will be needed for Early Voting. The Board approved the purchase.

The Board decided to use the Buckingham County website and application for the search for a new Director of Elections/Registrar.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:30 p.m.

Larry K. Davis
Secretary