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Muscogee County Board of Elections and Registration
July 6, 2023
Minutes

The monthly meeting for the Muscogee County Board of Elections and Registration was held Thursday, July 6th. Vice Chairperson Uhland Roberts called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m. Chair Margaret Jenkins available by phone for meeting due to medical excuse. June minutes were adopted.

Board Comments: N/A

Agenda Request:

- **Stephen Cooper-** Mr. Cooper will continue working with elections office staff on voter registration moving forward.
- **Stephen Harper-** Mr. Harper voiced his concerns as a citizen about the uniform voting equipment authorized by the General Assembly. His comments were taken under advisement by the Board.

New Business:

- **Voter Registration Report-** Excused until next meeting
 - **New Process Approval- Provisional (Out of Precinct)** The Elections office added adjustments to Out of Precinct Affidavit which will be a 2-part form moving forward. The draft forms were evaluated by the precinct managers working in the June special election.
- Poll Watcher form-** This form is designed for poll watchers and precinct managers to ensure uniform practices and procedures throughout the county in 2024 and to ensure all parties are aware of the specific duties and responsibilities.

Old Business:

- **Shirley Winston Election Day Investigation Conclusion-** The Director provided copies of the investigation to the Board. Based on the investigative finding, no action will be taken by the Board regarding the continued service of the precinct manager. Administratively, the Board has been advised that the cameras have been replaced in recreation centers by the city. Additionally, processes have been refined to establish accountability for processes in the precinct regarding provisional balloting and official poll watchers.
- **Precincts-2024-Discussion-** Precinct relocations were discussed. The Board requested scheduling a public meeting to give an opportunity for citizens to give input on proposed relocations. The public meeting was set for August 3 at 6pm at the City Services Center in Council Chambers immediately following the August Board of Elections meeting at 5pm.

Public Comment:

Correspondence: N/A



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The August meeting will be held on August 3rd at 5:00p.m. Public Meeting will be held August 3rd at 6pm following the monthly board meeting.
No further business Vice-Chair, Uhland Roberts, adjourned the meeting at 3:08 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Uhland Roberts
Vice-Chairperson