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Muscogee County Board of Elections and Registration September 4, 2025 Minutes

The monthly meeting for the Muscogee County Board of Elections and Registration was held Thursday; September 4th Chairperson Uhland Roberts called the meeting to order at 2p.m. All board members were present.

Board Comments: N/A

Agenda Request: N/A

Approval of Minutes:

- Vice Chair Linda Parker seconded Edwin Roldan's motion to approve board meeting minutes with no changes for the month of September.

New Business:

- **Polling Place Change – INC:** Church has stated that they no longer wish to be a precinct for moving forward. If a new location is not found to meet the requirements the Board's motion to move INC to CPL for the November election, bringing 25 precincts to 24.
- **Voter Registration Report-** Diane Scrimshire seconded Annette Williams' motion for the Board to accept the total of 13 obituary deaths for the month of August.
- **November Special Election-**
 - Early Voting:** Board approved early voting for the November 4th election of Public Service Commissioner will be held at the City Service Center only. Monday through Friday 8am-5:30pm. Both Saturdays 8am-5:30pm. No Sunday voting. Motion approved.
 - The Elections office has become aware a check point is being considered at the City Service Center, and the front doors will be closed for public entrance. Members of the Board are concerned about how that check point will impact voting as well as the drop box.
- **Early Voting Locations- 2026:**
Elections office is looking to lease a building and will continue to explore different locations.



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Old Business:

- **Polling Place Change-Cusseta-** Polling precinct 110 Cusseta no longer wishes to be a precinct after the November 4 election. The elections office will be looking for a replacement moving forward to the 2026 elections.
Director Nancy Boren met with Finance Director, each precinct that is opting in to receive payment by the code section 212.168 to pay for use of facility. City Attorney is drafting a contract; each precinct can opt out of payment and contract if they choose to. Each participating precinct will have to provide proof of insurance, and the contract for service will have to be signed by Oct 1st. Pay would not go to schools or government buildings.

Public Comments Regarding Agenda Items:

- **Stephen Harper** – Asks for precinct 103 Shirley Winston Rec Center to be closed from recreation on election day. Director Nancy Boren will ask that all recreation centers to close all activity for that day.

Correspondence:

Annette Williams along with the Board applaud Director Nancy Boren and Operations Manager Talisha Austin on registering new citizens to vote by attending the Naturalization Ceremony on September 2nd

No further business Chair, Uhland Roberts, adjourned the meeting at 3:07 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Uhland Roberts
Chairperson