



OFFICE OF THE ELECTORAL BOARD GENERAL REGISTRAR City of Fairfax



Minutes for the May 6th (Election Day), 7th, and 9th 2014 Electoral Board Meetings

Election Day Items:

Two candidates questioned signs placed at polling places advocating a vote for several candidates on a single sign. The Board ((after reviewing State Board of Elections (SBE) guidance and the Virginia Election Code)) instructed the General Registrar to notify the two candidates that that there was no violation of election or campaign finance law regarding those signs.

The Board requested clarification about retrieving Officer of Election Oath Forms from polling places during Election Day to review for completeness. Following advice from SBE, the forms were returned to the polling places for later return to the Board upon completion of Election Day.

Election Officers requested whether voters have to state their full legal name and current residence address at the poll book even though they have already provided the necessary identification. The General Registrar requested official guidance from SBE on the matter. They replied that a voter must orally state their full legal name and current residence address when presenting themselves at the poll book to be checked in to vote. Specifically, merely presenting an ID will not be sufficient unless the voter has a disability that prevents her or him from stating their name. The Electoral Board noted this requirement.

Canvass:

The Secretary called the meeting to order at the Sisson House on May 7, 2014 at 10:00am. Attendees: Dirk Brouwer, Secretary; Richard Herrington, Chairman; and Kevin Linehan, General Registrar.

The Board approved the March 18, 2014 Minutes unanimously.

The Board tabulated the votes cast on Election Day other than provisional votes.

The meeting was adjourned until 11:00am on May 8, 2014.

The meeting reconvened in open session at 11:55am on Friday, May 9, 2014. The meeting was convened in closed session at 11:56am pursuant to Section 24.2-653(B) of the Code of Virginia to evaluate the eligibility of provisional voters for the purpose of considering whether each person who submitted a provisional ballot at the Election was

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qualified to do so. The eligibility of voters for whom information was available was reviewed.

The closed session was adjourned at 12:26pm and reconvened in open session. The General Registrar left the meeting. The Board certified that only matters discussed in the closed session were the qualifications of provisional voters, as directed by Section 24.2-653 of the Code of Virginia, and as identified in the motion to close the meeting pursuant to the Virginia Freedom of Information Act.

The Board voted on the qualifications of three provisional voters. The Board determined that James Baribeau and Kamelia Roshanian were not qualified to vote. The Board determined that Alice Rood was qualified to vote.

The provisional votes were tabulated and added to the votes tabulated on May 7, 2014. The resulting votes for all precincts were compared with the voting results posted on Election Night. The differences were accounted for by the provisional votes. The vote for the May 6th City General Election was certified by the Board.

The meeting adjourned at 1:30pm.

Dirk Brouwer, Secretary
City of Fairfax Electoral Board