



APPROVED MINUTES

BOARD OF REGISTRATION AND ELECTIONS SPECIAL MEETING – APRIL 22, 2019

The Fulton County Board of Registration and Elections met in Special Session on Thursday, April 22, 2019, at 10:00 a.m., in Assembly Hall of the The Government Center Building, 141 Pryor Street, SW, Atlanta, Georgia 30303.

Presiding: Ms. Mary Carole Cooney, Chairperson

Other Board Members Present: Mr. Aaron Johnson, Vice-Chairperson
Mr. David Burge
Ms. Vernetta K. Nuriddin

Board Member(s) Absent: Mr. Mark Wingate

Staff Attending: Mr. Richard Barron, Director; Blake Evans, Elections Chief; Ms. Sharon Benjamin, Deputy Elections Chief; Mr. Johnny Harris, Elections Officer; Ms. Pamela Coman, Registration Manager; Ms. Brenda McCloud, Administrative Manager; Ms. Breana Jenkins, Administrative Specialist; Mr. David Lowman, Staff Attorney; Ms. April Majors, Public Affairs Manager

Guests Attending: Foris Webb, III (City of Atlanta), Vanessa Waldon (City of Atlanta), Reginald McClendon (City of Atlanta),

#1– APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to approve the agenda. The motion was made by Mr. Johnson, seconded by Ms. Nuriddin and carried by a unanimous vote of 4-0.

#2– COMMUNICATIONS AND PUBLIC RESPONSE

Ms. Adrian Coleman Tyler was appalled at the low level of voter participation in the most recent elections; City of Atlanta, City Council- District 3 and requested the BRE to look closer to ensure that voters are not being disenfranchised.

#3- CERTIFICATION OF RESULTS: SPECIAL ELECTIONS ON APRIL 16, 2019

Chairperson Cooney asked **Mr. Barron** was it his certification and testimony that the election results presented an accurate count of all the votes cast in the Special Election held on April 16, 2019

➤ City of Atlanta, **City Council Member- District 3**

Mr. Barron answered yes.

Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to certify the election results. The motion was made by Mr. Johnson, seconded by Ms. Nuriddin and carried by a unanimous vote of 4-0.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The Board did not convene into executive session

ADJOURNMENT

With no other items requiring the Board's action, **Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to adjourn. Mr. Johnson moved to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Burge seconded the motion.** Collectively, the Board agreed to adjourn at 10:06 a.m.

The meeting adjourned.

Prepared by,

Mariska Bodison, Board Secretary