



BOARD OF REGISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

POST- REGULAR MEETING SUMMARY NOVEMBER 13, 2020

Pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 5014-1(e)(2)(4), the following is a summary of the subjects acted on at the Regular Meeting on Friday, November 13, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.

VIRTUAL MEETING

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Presiding: Ms. Mary Carole Cooney, Chairperson

Other Board Members Present:

Ms. Vernetta Keith Nuriddin, Vice Chairperson

Mr. Mark Wingate

Mr. Aaron Johnson

Dr. Kathleen Ruth

Chairperson Cooney announced that this teleconferenced meeting is authorized pursuant to §50-14-1(g) of the Official Code of Georgia because of the Public Health State of Emergency declared by Governor Kemp on March 14, 2020, and renewed most recently on October 30, 2020, pursuant to which public meeting spaces in state and local Government have been closed due to COVID-19, and because means have been afforded for the public to have simultaneous access to this teleconference.

#1– APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to approve the agenda. The motion was made by Mr. Wingate, seconded by Dr. Ruth and carried by a unanimous vote of 5-0.

#3- APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- Special Meeting- October 6, 2020
- Executive Session Meeting- October 6, 2020
- Regular Meeting- October 8, 2020
- Special Meeting- October 23, 2020

Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to approve the meeting minutes from the Regular, Special and Executive Session Meetings on October 6th, 8th, and 23rd, 2020. The motion was made by Mr. Wingate, seconded by Mr. Johnson and carried by a unanimous vote of 5-0.

#6- CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION RESULTS: NOVEMBER 3, 2020, GENERAL AND SPECIAL ELECTION

Chairperson Cooney asked **Mr. Barron** was it his certification and testimony that the election results presented are a true and accurate count of all the votes cast in the General and Special Election held on November 3, 2020.

- **Countywide, Statewide, Presidential and Federal Races (General Election)**

Mr. Barron answered yes

Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to certify the election results. The motion was made by Mr. Johnson, seconded by Vice-Chair Nuriddin and carried by a vote of 3-0; 2-Nays, Dr. Ruth and Mr. Wingate.

Chairperson Cooney asked **Mr. Barron** was it his certification and testimony that the election results presented are a true and accurate count of all the votes cast in the General and Special Election held on November 3, 2020.

- **Write-in Candidates:** President, US Senate, and US House Representative, District 13

Mr. Barron answered yes

Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to certify the election results. The motion was made by Mr. Johnson, seconded by Vice-Chair Nuriddin and carried by a vote of 3-0; 2-Nays, Dr. Ruth and Mr. Wingate.

Chairperson Cooney asked **Mr. Barron** was it his certification and testimony that the election results presented are a true and accurate count of all the votes cast in the Special Election held on November 3, 2020.

- **Unexpired Term of Johnny Isakson, US Senate**

Mr. Barron answered yes

Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to certify the election results. The motion was made by Mr. Wingate, seconded by Mr. Johnson and carried by a unanimous vote of 5-0.

Chairperson Cooney asked **Mr. Barron** was it his certification and testimony that the election results presented are a true and accurate count of all the votes cast in the Special Election held on November 3, 2020.

- **Special Democratic Primary Election**

Mr. Barron answered yes

Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to certify the election results. The motion was made by Mr. Wingate, seconded by Vice-Chair Nuriddin and carried by a unanimous vote of 5-0.

Chairperson Cooney asked **Mr. Barron** was it his certification and testimony that the election results presented are a true and accurate count of all the votes cast in the General and Special Election held on November 3, 2020.

- **1-Proposed Constitutional Amendments:** House Resolution 164 Act No. 597

Mr. Barron answered yes

Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to certify the election results. The motion was made by Mr. Wingate, seconded by Vice-Chair Nuriddin and carried by a unanimous vote of 5-0.

Chairperson Cooney asked **Mr. Barron** was it his certification and testimony that the election results presented are a true and accurate count of all the votes cast in the General and Special Election held on November 3, 2020.

- **2-Proposed Constitutional Amendments:** House Resolution 1023 Act No. 596

Mr. Barron answered yes

Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to certify the election results. The motion was made by Mr. Wingate, seconded by Vice-Chair Nuriddin and carried by a unanimous vote of 5-0.

Chairperson Cooney asked **Mr. Barron** was it his certification and testimony that the election results presented are a true and accurate count of all the votes cast in the General and Special Election held on November 3, 2020.

- **Statewide Referendum:** House Bill 344 Act No. 149

Mr. Barron answered yes

Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to certify the election results. The motion was made by Mr. Wingate, seconded by Dr. Ruth and carried by a unanimous vote of 5-0.

Chairperson Cooney asked **Mr. Barron** was it his certification and testimony that the election results presented are a true and accurate count of all the votes cast in the General and Special Election held on November 3, 2020.

- **Special Election for the City of Union City:** Referendum for Homestead Exemption

Mr. Barron answered yes

Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to certify the election results. The motion was made by Mr. Johnson, seconded by Vice-Chair Nuriddin and carried by a unanimous vote of 5-0.

Chairperson Cooney asked **Mr. Barron** was it his certification and testimony that the election results presented are a true and accurate count of all the votes cast in the General and Special Election held on November 3, 2020.

- **Special Election for the City of East Point:** Referendum on Whether to Allow Sunday Alcohol Sales

Mr. Barron answered yes

Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to certify the election results. The motion was made by Mr. Johnson, seconded by Vice-Chair Nuriddin and carried by a unanimous vote of 5-0.

Chairperson Cooney asked **Mr. Barron** was it his certification and testimony that the election results presented are a true and accurate count of all the votes cast in the General and Special Election held on November 3, 2020.

- **Special Election for the City of Atlanta:** Referendum for Homestead Exemption

Mr. Barron answered yes

Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to certify the election results. The motion was made by Mr. Johnson, seconded by Dr. Ruth and carried by a unanimous vote of 5-0.

#8-APPROVAL OF EMERGENCY POLLING LOCATION CHANGE:

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Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to approve the emergency polling location change. The motion was made by Mr. Johnson, seconded by Dr. Ruth and carried by a unanimous vote of 5-0.

ADJOURNMENT

With no other items requiring the Board's action, **Chairperson Cooney entertained a motion to adjourn. Mr. Wingate moved to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Johnson seconded the motion.** Collectively, the Board agreed to adjourn at 12:17 p.m.

The meeting adjourned.

Prepared By:

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