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#### **BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS**

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ASSISTANT DIRECTOR Lesley Waxman

# BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS MEETING Minutes of May 25th, 2022

Commissioner Marquardt called the meeting to order at 5:30 pm on May 25th, 2022 via Zoom.

#### **Roll Call:**

Commissioner Larry Ward Present
Commissioner Victoria Harris Present
Commissioner Charles Marquardt Present
Commissioner Ethridge King Present

Also present was Assistant Director Lesley Waxman.

# **I. PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

Motion:

To close Public Comment.

Moved:

Commissioner Marquardt

Seconded:

**Commissioner Harris** 

#### **Roll Call:**

Commissioner Larry Ward Yes
Commissioner Victoria Harris Yes
Commissioner Charles Marquardt Yes
Commissioner Ethridge King Yes

Passed:

4 -0

## **II. MINUTES**

Motion:

To approve the minutes of April 25th, 2022 with corrections.

Moved:

Commissioner Marquardt

Seconded:

Commissioner Harris

#### Roll Call:

Commissioner Larry Ward

Yes

**Commissioner Victoria Harris** 

Yes

Commissioner Ethridge King

Yes

Commissioner Charles Marquardt

Yes

Passed:

4-0

Motion:

To suspend rule to re-open public comment.

Moved:

Commissioner Marquardt

Seconded:

**Commissioner Harris** 

#### **Roll Call:**

Commissioner Larry Ward Yes
Commissioner Victoria Harris Yes
Commissioner Ethridge King Yes
Commissioner Charles Marquardt Yes

Passed:

4-0

Mr. Mellow stated he just wanted to say he had no comment.

# **III: REPORTS**

# 1. Executive Director's Report

None, on vacation

# 2. Assistant Director's Report

- A. Reminder: Statement of Financial Interests are due on June 1<sup>st</sup>
   73 out of 162 have filed as of May 25<sup>th</sup>
- B. Election Workers
   List should be provided to Karen by June 15<sup>th</sup>
- C. Please keep in precinct numbering changes when assigning poll workers and when providing your lists to Karen (see R2 chart attached)
- D. Staffing for sub-precincts will be discussed at the next meeting
- E. Election Worker Recruitment Flyer (R3)
- F. Future Meetings a meeting should not be scheduled for July 20<sup>th</sup>; remote meeting provisions expire on July 15<sup>th</sup>, and we do not yet know what policies might be in place for that week.

# 3 Commissioners' Reports

Commissioner Harris reported:

- Met with Ms. Ford on the 17<sup>th</sup> at the reservoir church. They are very welcoming to being a polling site.
- Talked with Jan D. said the Mellon street campus might work. She will get back to us.

Commissioner King had no reports

Commissioner Marquardt reported:

- Met with Kate Thurman. Will visit St. Peters as 4-2 4-2a polling site.
- Still trying to connect with New Executive Director at YWCA.

# Commissioner Ward reported:

- Reached out to Ef via email to Martha Doyle for a potential polling site.
- Met with CRLS Dean Alan Gahaunt re: meeting with students to discuss working elections. He suggested we meet after graduation.

#### IV. ACTION AGENDA

**Old Business** 

Commissioner King asked for updates. Ms. Waxman sent updated info. Still waiting.

Commissioner Harris – will send link on connecting with voters from SF Way to get a list of what business assoc. are doing to get the word out about voting.

Commissioner Ward offered the Cambridge Jazz Festival as recruiting/voter registration opportunity

**New business** 

None

Upcoming meetings of the Election Commission:

June 8th – Meeting June 22<sup>nd</sup> – Meeting July 6<sup>th</sup> - Meeting

Motion:

To adjourn the meeting at 6:39 pm.

Moved:

Commissioner Marquardt

Seconded:

Commissioner Ward

### **Roll Call:**

Commissioner Larry Ward Yes
Commissioner Victoria Harris Yes
Commissioner Ethridge King Yes
Commissioner Charles Marquardt Yes

Passed: 4—0

A True Record

Attested by: \_\_\_\_\_

Larry Ward, Secretary

