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BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS MEETING

Minutes of July 16, 2025

The meeting was called to order at 3:04 pm July 16, 2025, in person at the second floor conference room at 689 Massachusetts Avenue, Present were Commissioner King, Commissioner Marquardt, Commissioner Ward, Commissioner Stohlman, Executive Director Tanya Ford, and Assistant Director Lesley Waxman.

I. PUBLIC COMMENT

Gary Mello provided comments regarding the delay in the Republicans providing a list of candidates for Election Commissioner and urged them to do so with due haste.

Motion: To close Public Comment

Moved by Commissioner Ward
Seconded by Commissioner King

Passed 4-0

II: MINUTES

Motion: To accept the minutes of July 2, 2025.

Moved by Commissioner Stohlman
Seconded by Commissioner King

Passed 4-0

III. Reports

1. Executive Director's Report

- No report.

Assistant Director's Report

- Ms. Waxman provided the listing of Statement of Financial Interest filers who have yet to file. Delinquency letters were sent July 15, 2025.

Commissioners' Reports

- Commissioner Stohlman reported that 51 New St. is not a valid residential address.
- Commissioner King reported that 9 Waterhouse St #3 is not a valid residential address.
- Commissioner Ward reported that 166 Norfolk St is not a valid residential address.

IV. Action Agenda

Old Business

Municipal Election – Review and Certification of Nomination Papers

City Council

Folder #	Candidate	#Signatures Certified
1	Jivan G. Sobrinho-Wheeler	25
Motion: To certify 25 signatures for City Council Candidate Jivan G. Sobrinho-Wheeler. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
2	John Hanratty	52
Motion: To certify 52 signatures for City Council Candidate John Hanratty. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
3	Sumbul Siddiqui	55
Motion: To certify 55 signatures for City Council Candidate Sumbul Siddiqui. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
4	Ayah Al-Zubi	41
Motion: To certify 41 signatures for City Council Candidate Ayah Al-Zubi. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
5	Ayesha Wilson	44
Motion: To certify 44 signatures for City Council Candidate Ayesha Wilson. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		

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6	Ayah Al-Zubi	12
Motion: To certify 12 signatures for City Council Candidate Ayah Al-Zubi. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
7	Nicolas Cauchy	31
Motion: To certify 31 signatures for City Council Candidate Nicolas Couchy. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
8	Catherine Zusy	64
Motion: To certify 64 signatures for City Council Candidate Catherine Zusy. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
9	Ayesha Wilson	32
Motion: To certify 32 signatures for City Council Candidate Ayesha Wilson. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
10	Dana Ray Bullister	31
Motion: To certify 31 signatures for City Council Candidate Dana Ray Bullister. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
11	Timothy R. Flaherty	97
Motion: To certify 97 signatures for City Council Candidate Timothy R. Flaherty. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
12	E. Denise Simmons	99
Motion: To certify 99 signatures for City Council Candidate E. Denise Simmons. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		

Folder #	Candidate	#Signatures Certified
13	Caitlin Dube	56
Motion: To certify 56 signatures for City Council Candidate Caitlin Dube. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
14	Jivan G. Sibrinho-Wheeler	34
Motion: To certify 34 signatures for City Council Candidate Jivan G. Sibrinho-Wheeler. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
15	Patricia Nolan	29
Motion: To certify 29 signatures for City Council Candidate Patricia Nolan. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
16	Dana Ray Bullister	38
Motion: To certify 38 signatures for City Council Candidate Dana Ray Bullister. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		

School Committee

Folder #	Candidate	#Signatures Certified
1	David Weinstein	46
Motion: To certify 46 signatures for School Committee Candidate David Weinstein. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
2	Jane Hirschi	95
Motion: To certify 95 signatures for School Committee Candidate Jane Hirschi. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		

Folder #	Candidate	#Signatures Certified
3	Jia-Jing Lee	42
Motion: To certify 42 signatures for School Committee Candidate Jia-Jing Lee. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
4	Anne Coburn	12
Motion: To certify 12 signatures for School Committee Candidate Anne Coburn. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
5	David Weinstein	20
Motion: To certify 20 signatures for School Committee Candidate David Weinstein. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
6	Jia-Jing Lee	21
Motion: To certify 21 signatures for School Committee Candidate Jia-Jing Lee. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
7	Anne Coburn	38
Motion: To certify 38 signatures for School Committee Candidate Anne Coburn. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
8	Caitlin Dube	61
Motion: To certify 61 signatures for School Committee Candidate Caitlin Dube. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		
9	Jessica Goetz	63
Motion: To certify 63 signatures for School Committee Candidate Jessica Goetz. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		

Folder #	Candidate	#Signatures Certified
10	Elizabeth Hudson	49
Motion: To certify 49 signatures for School Committee Candidate Elizabeth Hudson. Moved by Commissioner King Seconded by Commissioner Ward Passed 4-0		

New Business

Next meeting will be August 4, 2025, at 3:00 pm in the 2nd floor conference room at 689 Mass Ave..

Motion: To adjourn at 3:46 pm

Moved by Commissioner Ward
Seconded by Commissioner King

Passed 4-0

A True Record

Attested by: 
Charles Marquardt, Secretary