Accomack County Board of Elections

August 24, 2022

Accomack County Registrar's Office

Present Board Members: Mrs. Rogers, Ms. Olsen and Dr. Omwake Registrar and Director of Elections Ms. Shrieves Guest Mr. Bob Toner

Chair Olsen called the meeting to order at 2 PM. Mrs. Rogers moved to approve the minutes of the July 26, 2022 meeting. 2nd Ms. Olsen and approved by unanimous voice vote. Ms. Shrieves presented the board with an overview of the activities of the Registrar's office in the month since our last meeting. It was noted that Demtech will not be able to provide new electronic poll books in time for the November election. Elect has granted a waiver acknowledging that we will be using the existing electronic poll books. The Board discussed with Registrar Shrieves the need for temporary help in the Registrar's office during the election season. While finance is studying paying for the positions, Ms. Carmody of County HR is advertising for the positions. A discussion of the registering of 16 year old future voters was held. Mr. Toner was included in this discussion. It was determined that due to the unintended consequences of SB80 and HB205 the Board was precluded from accepting help from Mr. Toner and his volunteers. As per Ms. Olsen's email of August 5th if Mr. Toner had announced this as a Democratic Party drive so the Board is precluded from helping him. The Board discontinued any further consideration of the project. Dr. Omwake moved to adjourn the meeting. 2nd Ms. Olsen, passed by unanimous voice vote. Chair Olsen adjourned meeting at 3:12 PM.

Respectfully submitted,