

Powhatan County Electoral Board Meeting

February 28, 2024

Present:

Nancy Ayers, Chairwoman

Bill Melton, Vice Chairman

Frank Flannagan, Secretary

Karen Alexander, Director of Elections

The meeting was called to order at 11:45 am by Chairwoman, Nancy Ayers.

The Director of Elections Report:

Ms. Alexander stated she was making some precinct Election Officers changes to several of the precincts for the upcoming Presidential Primary Election on March 5. She also stated, that in the Smith Crossroads precinct, we needed to move to another room for the election, which was approved by the Electoral Board. The new room was more accessible to the voters.

She reviewed the yearly calendar with the Board with no changes.

A brief discussion was had about having letters going out to each of the owners/administrators of precinct sites stating the dates of elections and having the contact person confirming in writing the dates of elections at their locations.

Frank Flannagan stated he had discussed with Dr. James Taylor, Pastor of Red Lane Church about using the church as a new voting precinct for Bethesda (301) precinct effective November 5th 2024 General Election.

Frank Flannagan, Secretary, asked a question about receiving mailed ballots from the Powhatan Post Office. The Director of Elections stated she has had a great working relationship with the Powhatan Postmaster and they are always delivering ballots to the Election Office as they receive them.

There was a discussion about coming-up with local "Do's and Don'ts Guidelines" for people & parties campaigning outside of Powhatan precincts. Each Electoral Board member is sending a list to the Secretary to be compiled for discussion at a later meeting in April.

No other business, the meeting was adjourned at 12:30 pm.



Frank Flannagan, Secretary Powhatan Electoral Board