

BLAND COUNTY ELECTORAL BOARD
Bland County Voter Registration and Elections Office
20 Fairground Street
Bland, VA 24315
November 13, 2023

- Call continued meeting to order
-- Molly called the continued meeting to order at 2:19pm. In attendance: Molly Thompson- Chair, Brenda Thompson- Vice Chair, Dorothy (Dot) Kidd- Secretary, and Stacy Tibbs Grady- General Registrar and Director of Elections

- Approve agenda
-Brenda made the motion to approve the agenda as is
-Dot seconded the motion
-All in favor, motion passed

- Continue Canvass of November 7, 2023 General Election:

- - Closed session: Provisional ballot meeting to determine the qualifications of persons who cast provisional votes.

Virginia Freedom of Information Act, § 2.2-3700 et seq. (Code authority for closed session.)

Brenda made a motion:

*****I move that the Electoral Board and Director of Elections of Bland County convene in closed session pursuant to section § 24.2-653.01. Provisional ballots; electoral boards to make determination as to validity; seconded by Dot.

The vote on the motion was as follows: Molly Thompson, Yes; Brenda Thompson, Yes; and Dorothy Kidd, Yes. The motion passed. Closed session start- 2:20pm

Brenda made a motion:

*****I move that the Electoral Board and Director of Elections of Bland County certify that in the closed session just concluded the only matters discussed was the determination of the qualifications of persons who cast provisional votes., as directed by § 24.2-653.01 of the Code of Virginia, and as identified in the motion to close the meeting pursuant to the Virginia Freedom of Information Act.; seconded by Dot.

The vote on the motion was as follows: Molly Thompson, Yes; Brenda Thompson, Yes; and Dorothy Kidd, Yes. The motion passed. Closed session end- 2:24pm

-Brenda made the motion to qualify the provisional vote for the Voter 1- 201, for the November 7, 2023 General Election
-Dot seconded the motion

Roll call vote: Molly: Yes Brenda: Yes Dot: Yes

-Brenda made the motion to qualify the provisional vote for the Voter 2- 301, for the November 7, 2023 General Election

-Dot seconded the motion

Roll call vote: Molly: Yes Brenda: Yes Dot: Yes

-Brenda made the motion to qualify the provisional vote for the Voter 3-EV CAP, for the November 7, 2023 General Election

-Dot seconded the motion

Roll call vote: Molly: Yes Brenda: Yes Dot: Yes

Write-in Certification(s) for the November 7, 2023 General Election

-Write-in certifications for the Treasurer and School Board District 3 are required for this election (over 10% of total votes)

-After reviewing all of the tapes for the precincts, the following winners were certified as receiving the highest number of votes for their respective offices:

-Treasurer: K. Adam Kidd

-School Board- District 3: Duane T. Bailey

The Board ascertained and signed the final results of the November 7, 2023 General Election

■ Other business

-Risk Limiting Audit (RLA)

-If our region is chosen for the RLA, it will be held the week of November 28, 2023 at a time/place determined at a later date.

-Set date for next meeting

-The date for the next meeting is December 19, 2023 at 2:00pm.

■ Adjourn meeting

--Brenda made the motion to adjourn the meeting

--Molly seconded the motion

-All in favor, motion passed

There being no further business Molly adjourned the meeting at 4:56pm.

Respectfully submitted,



Dorothy S. Kidd, Secretary
Bland County Electoral Board