



**Pulaski County Election Commission
Meeting Minutes
November 19 , 2012
12:00 p.m.**

Members Present

Ozell Snider
Phil Wyrick
Susan Inman

Staff Present

Melinda Allen
Tonya Washington
Bryan Poe
Amanda Dickens

Visitors Present: Scott Price, Kristi McKinnon, County Clerk's Office; Noel Oman, AR Democrat Gazette

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Ozell Snider. A quorum was determined; all members present.

Approval of Meeting Minutes, November 9, 2012

It was moved by Commissioner Inman; seconded by Chairperson Snider. All in favor; motion passed unanimously.

November 6, 2012 General/NPJ General Runoff Election

Provisional Ballot Certification

Total Provisional Ballots Authorized are as follows:

A total of 638 provisional ballots reviewed. 195 - **Yes** 443 - **No**

It was moved by Commissioner Inman and seconded by Chairman Snider. All in favor; motion passed unanimously.

Certification of Election Results

It was moved by Commissioner Inman to certify the election results; seconded by Chairman Snider. All in favor; motion passed unanimously.

Because of issues with ballots on Election Day, Commissioner Wyrick requested that the vendor, Bruce Bender of Advanced Print Solutions, appear before the Board to discuss issues with ballot printing for the General Election and that officials in the County Purchasing Department appear to discuss the bid process for county vendors.

Chairman Snider agreed and requested that the ballot vendor provide assurances to the commission to prevent problems in the future.

Commissioner Inman noted that the printer was made aware of problems with the ballots and he was at one location, Pulaski Academy to correct the errors.

It was moved by Commissioner Wyrick and seconded by Commissioner Inman to invite Bruce Bender and the County Comptrollers office to discuss printing issues and printing contract procedures. All in favor; motion passed unanimously.

Commissioner Signed Off on the following:
Ballot Accounting Report
Certificates of Elections (Elected Officials)

Certification of Logic and Accuracy Testing

It was moved by Chairman Snider and seconded by Commissioner Inman to certify Logic and Accuracy Testing. All in favor; motion passed unanimously.

Order of Destruction - November 2, 2010 General Election

November 27, 2012 General Runoff Election

Early Voting begins Tuesday, November 20, 2012

Election Day - Tuesday, November 27, 2012

Logic and Accuracy Testing will be Tuesday, November 20, 2012, 8:30 a.m.

Other Business

Meetings Scheduled

Review of Provisional Ballots - Thursday, November 29, 2012, 12:00 p.m.

Certification of Election Results - Friday, December 7, 2012, 12:00 p.m.

Commissioner Inman, along with Melinda Allen, acknowledged the recent passing of Tony Bliss, former Elections Area Manager. Both noted his long tenure and accomplished service.

Meeting adjourned.