



**Pulaski County Election Commission
Meeting Minutes
January 30, 2020
7:15 p.m.**

Members Present:

Evelyn D. Gomez
Joshua A. Price
Kristi McKinnon

Staff Present:

Bryan Poe
Betty Green
Amanda Dickens

Visitors Present: Terri Hollingsworth, Circuit County Clerk; Marc Harrison, Circuit County Clerk's Office; Kat Stromquist, Arkansas Democrat Gazette; Zach Stahr; Bailey McKinnon

The meeting was called to order at 7:15 p.m. by Chair Gomez. A quorum was present, with all commissioners in attendance.

The pledge of allegiance was led by Circuit County Clerk Terri Hollingsworth.

Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

Commissioner Price moved to accept the minutes as written; seconded by Commissioner McKinnon. Motion passed by voice vote.

Business

Certification of Logic and Accuracy Testing Results for the February 11, 2020 House District 34 Special Primary Runoff Election

There were 25 IVotronic and 13 M100's tested for the House District 34 Special Primary Runoff Election. Commissioner McKinnon moved for the certification of the logic and accuracy testing results for the February 11, 2020 House District 34 Special Primary Runoff Election; seconded by Commissioner Price. Motion passed by voice vote.

Certification of Logic and Accuracy Testing Results for the March 3, 2020 Preferential Primary/Nonpartisan General Election

There were 119 M100's and 219 IVotronic tested for the Preferential Primary/Nonpartisan General Election. Commissioner Price moved for the certification of the logic and accuracy testing results for the March 3, 2020 Preferential Primary/Nonpartisan General Election; seconded by Commissioner McKinnon. Motion passed by voice vote.

Other Business

Press Release for the February 11, 2020 House District 34 Special Primary Election Runoff

Director Poe presented two press releases for the House District 34 Special Primary Election Runoff, one for early voting and one for election day with the revisions the board requested. The commissioners made a few more suggestions for changes they would like to make. Director Poe will make those changes and email the press releases to them for their final approval. The plan is for the early voting press release to run on February 3, 2020 and the election day press release to run on February 10, 2020.

Access to the Election Commission Office

Director Poe spoke with Comptroller Mike Hutchins regarding the request for the commissioners to have access to the office. He was told that a written request must be submitted to the County Judge for a determination to be made regarding this matter. Chair Gomez asked Director Poe to draft a letter for the commissioners to review.

Amendment to the Agenda

Commissioner Price moved for a public comment section to be added to the agenda between other business and adjournment; seconded by Commissioner McKinnon. Motion passed by voice vote.

Schedule of Upcoming Meetings

February 11, 2020 at 7:30 p.m. for the certification House District 34 Special Primary Election Runoff and appoint election officials for the March 3, 2020 Preferential Primary and House District 34 General Election.

February 13, 2020 at 7:00 a.m. for the provisional ballot hearing and certification of election results for the February 11, 2020 House District 34 Special Primary Election Runoff. Ballot position drawing and certification of ballot styles for the March 3, 2020 House District 34 Special General Election.

February 13, 2020 at 7:15 p.m. to certify logic and accuracy testing results and approve notice of election for the March 3, 2020 House District 34 Special General Election.

March 3, 2020 at 9:00 p.m. to certify the unofficial election results for the March 3, 2020 Preferential Primary and the House District 34 Special General Elections.

March 9, 2020 at 5:00 p.m. for the preliminary provisional ballot review for the March 3, 2020 Preferential Primary and the House District 34 Special General Elections.

March 13, 2020 at 5:00 p.m. for certification of election results for the March 3, 2020 Preferential Primary and the House District 34 Special General Elections.

Meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.