

BURKE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS
2128 SOUTH STERLING ST. SUITE 100 MORGANTON NC 28655
TUESDAY AUGUST 11, 2020 RM 132
REGULAR SESSION MINUTES

Attending: Chairman LH Kirksey, Linda Walker, Sandi Walker, Anthony Iovino, Trossie Wall, and Director Debbie Mace.

Guest; Pam Genant

Chairman Kirksey called the meeting to order at 10:05AM, led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a moment of silence.

There were no public comments offered.

Sandi Walker made a motion to amend the agenda to add the approval of Closed Session minutes from July 14, 2020, noting that no sensitive information was discussed in the meeting that would require the board to go into closed session for approval.

All approved.

Anthony Iovino made a motion to approve the minutes of the July 14, 2020 regular session and July 14, 2020 closed session as presented. All approved.

Business;

FYI from Director Mace, the new sign is in place.

Routes for board members to visit polling places on election day. Members discussed consolidating the areas to be visited. Linda will prepare final list and will get it to the members.

FYI Update on poll worker training. Training will be for poll workers only. The schedule is; Sept. 21st for one stop workers, Sept. 22nd & 29th for election day workers @5PM in room 163. There is also a make up time available if necessary.

Relocation of Quaker Meadows 1A precinct location.

Due to the closing of the Ruritan Club location the precinct has to be moved.

Linda Walker made a motion to relocate the polling place to Oak Hill United Methodist Church's Impact Room for future elections. All approved.

FYI A sign informing voters of the move will be placed at the Ruritan Club building.

Director Mace gave the board members an update on supplies being collected to deal with the Covid crisis for this election. Linda has volunteered to help sort and pack the supplies for the polling locations.

After further discussion on supplies, Linda Walker made a motion to cancel the order for freestanding sanitizer stations that had been requested from the county.

All approved.

FYI Mayor Ronnie Thompson is recovering from Covid.

With no further business for the board to address, Linda Walker made a motion to adjourn at 11:30 AM. All approved.

Submitted by Sandi Walker Secretary