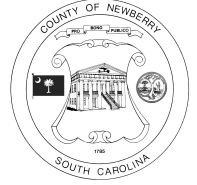


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DEPUTY DIRECTOR

April 1, 2024

The Newberry County Registration and Elections Board met Monday, April 1, 2024, at 1:00 p.m. at the election office. Chairman Tony White called the meeting to order, and Sam Price opened with prayer.

Commissioners present were Chairman Tony White, Brenda Fulmer, John Glasgow, Sam Price, Doretha Simpson and Martha Waller. Commissioner Henry Summer was absent. Also present was Interim Director Sheli Madray.

A quorum was established with 6 board members present.

Commissioner John Glasgow made the motion to approve the agenda. Doretha Simpson seconded. The agenda was approved.

Doretha Simpson made the motion to approve the minutes of the March 11, 2024, board meeting and the March 28, 2024 certification meeting of the Little Mountain Town Council Seats 1 and 2 Special Election held Tuesday, March 26, 2024. John Glasgow seconded. Both minutes were approved as presented.

Under Old Business, Interim Director Sheli Madray gave an overview of the Little Mountain Town Council special election in which there was a tie between two of the candidates for one of the seats. There will be a run-off election on Tuesday, April 9, 2024, with early voting on Wednesday, April 3, 2024, through Friday, April 5, 2024 and Monday, April 8, 2024 at the election office. Election certification will be Thursday, April 11, 2024, at 10:00 am at the election office.

Candidate Filing was March 16, 2024, through Monday, April 1, 2024 at noon. Three candidates have filed for SC House of Representative Seat 40 on the Republican ticket and two candidates have filed for Newberry County Coroner on the Republican ticket. Five candidates have filed for the two Council Seats for the Town of Peak.

Under New Business, the board will begin reviewing the applications for the election director position following this meeting and continue Tuesday, April 2, 2024, at 10:00 am. Interim Director Madray will be attending the Primary Workshop class on Monday, April 8, 2024, and Poll Manager Training-Train the Trainers

class on Thursday, April 25, 2024. A Primary Workshop for Board Members class is Monday, April 15, 2024. Coverage is needed for the office while Interim Director Madray attends these classes. Sam Price made the motion to have a paid worker fill in while Interim Director Madray attends training and while she is conducting required poll worker training classes for Newberry County poll workers. John Glasgow seconded. The motion was approved.

Poll worker training will be held at Piedmont Technical College on Tuesday, May 14, 2024, at 9:00 am; Wednesday, May 15, 2024, at 12:00 pm; Thursday, May 16, 2024 at 3:00 pm; Tuesday, May 21, 2024 at 9:00 am; Wednesday, May 22, 2024 at 12:00 pm; and Thursday, May 23, 2024 at 3:00 pm.

Friday, April 5, 2024, the notice regarding the June Primary elections will be posted in the newspaper. Early voting for the June Primary elections will begin Tuesday, May 28, 2024.

Board members received copies of the Budget Worksheet for the 2024-2025 year and discussed various items in the proposed budget.

There being no further business, Doretha Simpson made the motion to adjourn. John Glasgow seconded. The motion was approved. The meeting was adjourned at 1:48 p.m.