

CABARRUS COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

Meeting Date: December 22, 2025

Meeting Time: 12:30 pm

Meeting Place: Cabarrus County Board of Elections

Members Present: Jay White -----Chairman

Martin Ericson -----by phone

Sophia Wilkerson ----Member

Tyler Norris -----Member

Avis Edmond-----Member

Also present: Carol Link Soles -----Director

Kyle Bilafer----- Assistant County Manager

Todd Shanley-----County Chief of Staff

Johanna Bocko -----Cabarrus County Democrat Party

Allison Binder -----League of Women Voters

David Wenzel

Jay White, Chairman, called the meeting of the Board of Elections to order.

The meeting was properly noticed and a quorum was present.

Wilkerson made a motion to approve the agenda as presented. The Board approved unanimously.

Norris made a motion to approve the minutes from the November 14, 2025 meeting. The Board approved unanimously.

The Board discussed the location of the in lieu early voting site for the March 3, 2026 election. Bilafer and Shanley presented their concerns about the Brown Mill site.

Soles explained the Carol Snow email and provided the ATVs and registration records for the voters in question.

Soles informed the Board that the State has approved the move of 07-00 precinct to Bethlehem Church.

Wilkerson made a motion to move 02-07 precinct from TMSA Charlotte Elementary to Poplar Tent Presbyterian Church. The Board approved unanimously.

Ericson discussed the limited time for processing provisionals and the Board agreed to contact the State legislators to request legislation to extend the time to process provisionals.

Soles provided a list of early voting site coordinators (Chief Judges/Judges) and workers. This list was provided to party chairmen by email on 12/16/2025. The Board will vote on this list at the next meeting on January 12, 2026.

Soles provided the Board with a proposed 2026-2027 budget which includes a \$50.00 raise for Election Day Chief Judges and Judges and a \$25.00 raise for Election Day assistants. Edmond made a motion to approve the raise for precinct officials. The Board approved unanimously. Norris made a motion to approve the budget. The Board approved unanimously.

Soles provided the Board with a list of proposed absentee meetings for the March primary for discussion and a final list from candidate filing.

Norris made a motion to adjourn at 2:01 pm. The Board approved unanimously.

The next scheduled meeting will be on Monday, January 12, 2026 at 12:30.

Respectfully Submitted,

Martin Ericson, Secretary