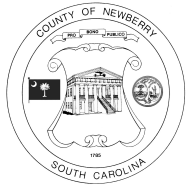


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October 7th, 2024

The Newberry County Registration and Elections Board held its regular monthly board meeting Monday, October 7, 2024, at 1:00 p.m. at the election office. Chairman Tony White called the meeting to order. The invocation was given by Sam Price.

Board members present were Chairman Tony White, Brenda Fulmer, John Glasgow, Sam Price, Doretha Simpson and Martha Waller. Also present were Director Sheli Madray and Deputy Director Danial Piester. Board member Henry Summer was absent.

A quorum was established with 6 board members present.

Doretha Simpson made the motion to approve the agenda. Martha Waller seconded. The motion was approved.

Sam Price made the motion to approve the minutes of the September 9, 2024, board meeting. Doretha Simpson seconded. The motion was approved.

Under old business, Director Madray said that some of the 4th quarter training classes for board members and election office staff could be postponed due to lack of interest until 2025.

Chairman Tony White, Doretha Simpson and Martha Waller attended the 2024 General Election Workshop for Board Members on September 26, 2024, at the Columbia Convention Center. This was an all-day class, and a lot of information was presented.

The deadline to register to vote for the November 5, 2024, General Election has been extended due to the impact of Hurricane Helene until Monday, October 14, 2024, at 5:00 pm in election offices and midnight online.

Poll Manager Training classes will be held at Piedmont Technical College Tuesday, October 8, 2024, from 1:00 - 4:00 pm; Thursday, October 10, 2024, from 3:00 – 6:00 pm; Tuesday, October 15, 2024, from 1:00 – 4:00 pm; and Thursday, October 17, 2024, from 3:00 – 6:00 pm.

Clerk Training classes will be held at Piedmont Technical College Wednesday, October 9, 2024, from 12:00 – 3:00 pm and Wednesday, October 16, 2024, from 12:00 – 3:00 pm.

Early voting for the 2024 November 5, 2024, General Election begins at the Newberry County Voter Registration and Election office Monday, October 21, 2024. The office will be open Monday – Saturday from 8:30 am to 6:00 pm until November 2, 2024. The office will be closed on Sunday, October 27, 2024.

The mailing secrecy envelope on absentee ballots will be removed on November 3, 2024, at 7:00 am. Election equipment will be delivered to the voting precincts on Sunday, November 3 and Monday, November 4, 2024, and will be picked back up on Wednesday, November 6, 2024. The hand count audit for the election precincts selected by the State Election Commission will be conducted on Wednesday, November 6, 2024, at 10:00 am. Certification of the November 5, 2024, General Election will be conducted at 10:00 am at the election office on Thursday, November 7, 2024.

A special election for the City of Newberry Council District 2 seat will be held Tuesday, December 17, 2024, with all voters voting at the Newberry County Voter Registration and Election Office at 1872 Wilson Road, Newberry, SC. Candidate filing opens at noon on Friday, October 11, 2024, and closes at noon on Friday, October 25, 2024, at the Newberry County Voter Registration and Election Office. The filing hours are weekdays from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm. Voters for this special election must be registered to vote by Sunday, November 17, 2024. Early voting for this election begins Monday, December 2, 2024, and ends Friday, December 13, 2024, from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm at the Newberry County Election Office. Election Certification will be held on Thursday, December 19, 2024, at 9:00 am at the Newberry County Election Office.

At the request of the election staff, Martha Waller made the motion to move the November monthly board meeting to Monday, October 28, 2024, at 1:00 pm. Doretha Simpson seconded. The motion was approved.

There being no further business, John Glasgow made the motion to adjourn. Sam Price seconded. The meeting adjourned at 1:50 pm. The next scheduled board meeting is Monday, October 28, 2024, at 1:00 pm.