

Catoosa County Board of Elections and Registration
July 11, 2023 Minutes

The Catoosa County Board of Elections and Registration met on Tuesday, July 11, 2023 at 4 pm at Freedom Center. Rickey Kittle called the meeting to order and Ron Mckelvy opened the meeting with prayer. Nina Crawford called roll. All board members were present.

Approval of Agenda – Ron Mckelvy made a motion to approve the agenda. Debbie Gwaltney made the second. All approved.

Approval of Minutes -The minutes from the June 2023 Monthly Meeting minutes were approved with Debbie Gwaltney making the motion to approve and Ron Mckelvy making the second.

OLD BUSINESS

- City of Ringgold – Qualifying dates August 21-24 8:30 am – 4:30 pm each day
- City of Fort Oglethorpe – new municipal combo being created for Graysville / Qualifying dates August 21 – 24 8:30 am – 4:30 pm
- 2024 Budget – Commissioners will approve county budget this month
- Next Region Meeting is July 20 in Gordon County
- Easy Vote Solutions training will be Zoom meetings on July 24-July 26 @8:30 am
- State Visit and Homeland Security visit sometime this fall – no date scheduled yet
- Nov 7 Municipal Election -we will try out the new election command center at the 911 building

NEW BUSINESS

- Long time Board Member Howard Long submitted his resignation. The Catoosa County Democratic Party will need to find a replacement to fill out his term. Howard will be missed.
- P & L Statement – May ok
- High School Voter Registration – Lee Shell, Maria Boone and Brody Haddock from Ringgold High School met with the board to discuss ways to reach out to Seniors and register them to vote. MS Boone plans to meet with the Student Council and come up with a plan.
- Misc topics – No Contact Cards to be mailed soon.
- No Hearing
- Next Meeting – Next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 8 @ 4:00 pm

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Election security issues were presented by members of the public attending the meeting

ADJOURNMENT

Ron Mckelvy made the motion to adjourn. Nina Crawford made the second. All approved.



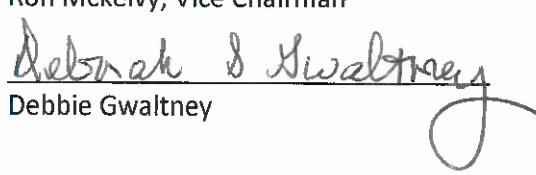
Rickey Kittle, Chairman



Nina Crawford, Secretary



Ron Mckelvy, Vice Chairman



Debbie Gwaltney