Catoosa County Board of Elections & Registration October 10, 2023 Minutes

The Catoosa County Board of Elections and Registration met on Tuesday, October 10, 2023 @ 4:00 p.m. at the Freedom Center. Vice Chairman Ron McKelvy called the meeting to order and he opened the meeting with prayer. Tommy Davis called roll and Rickey Kittle was absent. All other board members were present.

Approval of the Agenda- Thomas Davis made a motion to approve the agenda. Ron McKelvy made the second. All Approved.

Approval of the Minutes- The minutes from the September 28, 2023, monthly meeting was approved by Nina Crawford making the motion to approve and Thomas Davis making the second.

OLD BUSINESS

- **City of Ringgold-** General Election-Nov. 7, 2023, 11-7-23 Municipal General Election Audit was tabled from the Sept. 28th meeting. Discussion was made that if the City of Ringgold wants an Audit, they are to tell us. It is their election. They need to make that decision, not the board. No vote was made but all agreed.
- City of Ft. Oglethorpe- General Election Cancelled-only the Incumbents qualified, therefore no election is needed. We will certify the election on Nov. 13, 2023.
- **GAVERO Training Conference-** Dec. 10th-13th in Athens, GA. Tommy Davis, Marvin Cornelison, Tonya Moore & Amy Evans will attend the conference in Athens and Nina, Katie, & Jim will watch the conference by zoom at the office.

NEW BUSINESS

- P & L Statement -we are at 82.5% of the Budget. We're in great shape.
- PPP- A calendar was passed out for the months of Jan. Feb. & March. Tonya wanted everyone to be aware of the upcoming dates and times of L&A testing, Poll worker trainings and any other important dates for the March 12, 2024, election.
- Poll Worker Open House- Jan. 4th @ 9 a.m. & Jan. 11th @ 6 p.m. are the scheduled dates. Nina Crawford will attend.
- **Misc. topics-** Still trying to set up a dinner for the two retired board members. Debbie Gwaltney & Howard Long, we are having a hard time receiving a response from Howard.
- No Hearing
- Next meeting is scheduled for Nov.13th @ 5:00 p.m. to certify the City of Ringgold & City of Ft. Oglethorpe's election. The next regularly scheduled Board meeting will be Nov. 14th @ 4:00 pm.

Public Comments

ADJOURNMENT-Ron McKelvy made a motion to adjourn. Tommy Davis made the second. All approved

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Rickéy Kittle, Chairman

Nina Crawford Secretary

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Marvin Cornelison

Thomas Davis