

MINUTES OF THE CHARLOTTE COUNTY ELECTORAL BOARD

June 14, 2017

The Charlotte County Electoral Board, with all members present, met at the Registrar's Office on June 14 at noon for the purpose of conducting a canvass of the votes cast in the previous day's primary elections.

Sandy Marston, chairman, called the meeting was to order. The Registrar informed the Board that there was one provisional ballot that had been cast, and the board needed to first decide upon whether or not to allow it. Margaret Elder, secretary, then moved to convene in closed session *pursuant to section 24.2-653(B) of the Code of Virginia for the purpose of considering whether each person who submitted a provisional vote at the election was qualified to do so, and she also moved that the general registrar and any authorized representatives of candidates or political parties, as specified in section 24.2-65(B), be allowed to remain in the room during the closed meeting, and that any persons who cast provisional votes and who are also present be allowed to enter the room while their qualifications are considered and to present any relevant information of their behalf to the board.* The motion was seconded; all members voted aye; the group entered into closed session.

Margaret Elder moved *...that the Electoral Board of Charlotte County certify that in the closed session just concluded the only matters discussed were the qualifications of provisional voters as directed by 24.2-653 of the Code of Virginia and as identified in the motion to close the meeting pursuant to the Virginia Freedom of Information Act.* The motion was seconded and approved by a roll call vote. The Board reentered regular session, and a motion to accept the provisional vote was made, seconded, and approved.

The canvass continued. Each precinct reported. A motion was made to certify the results to the Clerk's Office and to report the vote tallies to the State Board of Elections. A motion was made, seconded, and approved to recess the meeting until 3:30. The meeting reconvened at that time. Appropriate paperwork was accomplished; the results were taken to the Office of the Circuit Court Clerk; a motion was made to adjourn the meeting, and it passed. Members were reminded of their obligation to be at state-wide training in Richmond on June 20 - 22.

Respectfully submitted,

Margaret Ann Elder, Secretary

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Sandy Marston, Chairman

Lawrence Clark, Vice-chairman