Electoral Board
Isle of Wight County Virginia
14 May 2025

The Electoral Board of Isle of Wight County held its regularly scheduled meeting on Wednesday, 14 May 2025 at the General Registrar's Office at IOW Courthouse. The Chairman called the meeting to order at 2:01 PM. Members present were Inetha Holmes (Chairman), Geoffrey McFather (Secretary), Lisa Betterton (Director of Elections (DE)/General Registrar (GR), and Nicole Smith (Chief Deputy Registrar). Vice Chairman, Rod Hallum was not in attendance.

The minutes of the 02 April 2025 Electoral Board Meeting were reviewed and a motion for approval was offered, seconded, approved, signed and submitted to the DE for filing on the Isle of Wight County website for public consumption.

Secretary's Report.

1. The Secretary advised the Electoral Board and the Registrar the remainder of the discussion topics the Secretary had collected during the recently-concluded Annual VEBA Meeting were merely 'advisory' and did not need to be discussed further during this Electoral Board Meeting.

Motion was made, seconded and a unanimous vote rendered to accept the Secretary's Report as delivered.

General Registrar's Report.

1. The GR asked the Chief Deputy Registrar to report on the current status of the Election Officer staffing (by precinct) for the upcoming June Primary election. Discussion ensued validating equal party representation at each precinct, especially for Chief and Assistant Chief. The Chief Deputy reiterated for the EB that despite early commitments from the scheduled/assigned Election Officers, we routinely receive a number of last-minute cancellations by Election Officers every single election cycle.

Motion was made, seconded and a unanimous vote rendered to accept the General Registrar's Report as delivered.

Old / Unfinished Business.

1. None.

New Business.

1. None.

Good of the Order.

1. Secretary noted that the Election Officer Appreciation Dinner was fantastic. The Election Officer's that attended reported they had a wonderful time and were extremely appreciative.

There being no further business, meeting adjourned by motion and second at 2:18 PM

Inetha Holmes, Chairman

[Absent]
Rod Hallum, Vice-Chairman

Geoff McFather – Secretary