

APPROVED

Galax City Electoral Board
March 4, 2020, 10:55 a.m.

The Electoral Board met in the Registrar's Office after returning from Independence for that part of the Canvass. Board had left Galax at 8:30 am. C. C. Kurtz called the meeting to order at 10:55 am with Sylvia Richardson, Melba Knox, and Stacey Reavis, Registrar present.

All precinct reports were good after checking them in Independence.

The election was evaluated with some partisanship being witnessed during the election by several participants. It must be emphasized in prep meetings, that all poll workers and Electoral Board Members must represent both parties and never express personal preferences for either parties or make statements against a party while being in a polling place. Poll workers are non-partisan on Election Day. Do not make statements to anyone on issues or candidates or parties.

Remind workers to not lick Envelope 2.

Election was successful even though we were understaffed due to illness, etc. Poll Workers rallied.

Remind City Workers to pick up all tables and polling booths required.

Sylvia Richardson made a motion for officers to remain same for the Board with Chairman C.C. Kurtz, Vice Chairman Sylvia Richardson and Secretary Melba Knox. Board approved motion

Stacey reminded board members of the meeting with City Manager Keith Barker and Judy Taylor-Gallimore on March 12 at 2:00 to 2:45 pm for budget meeting including early poll area.

Melba stayed behind to complete the final part of the Abstract with forms and seals.

The meeting adjourned at 11:20 a. m.

Respectfully submitted,

Melba M. Knox