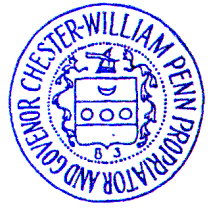




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BOARD OF ELECTIONS MINUTES

June 1, 2021

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Commissioner Marian D. Moskowitz called the Board of Elections Meeting to order on Tuesday, June 1, 2021 at 1:05 PM in the Commissioners' Board Room. Commissioner Josh Maxwell and Commissioner Michelle Kichline were also present.

CALL TO ORDER

2. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Commissioner Maxwell made a motion to approve the Board of Elections minutes from the last meeting on May 14, 2021. Commissioner Kichline seconded the motion. Motion carried to approve the minutes from the May 14, 2021 Board of Elections Meeting.

MINUTES APPROVED

3. PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA

There was no public comment on agenda items.

PUBLIC COMMENT

4. OLD BUSINESS

There were no items of old business.

OLD BUSINESS

5. NEW BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

a. Resolution No. 24-21

Commissioner Kichline made a motion to approve Resolution 24-21 containing the unofficial certification in advance of the official results of the computation of the May 18, 2021 Primary Election. Commissioner Maxwell seconded the motion. Chair Moskowitz conducted a vote, in which Commissioner Kichline voted against approving Resolution 24-21 due to the fact that mail-in and absentee ballots which were not dated by voters were counted. She expressed concern that these ballots were not segregated compounded by a directive from the Pennsylvania Department of State, issued in the morning of June 1, 2021, to not count undated ballots. In addition, she stated that in her interpretation of the Supreme Court case of 2020, it was made clear per Justice Wecht that in future elections all ballots not dated would not be accepted and counted. Commissioners Moskowitz and Maxwell discussed their support of the resolution and that the directive from the Department of State was issued 14 days after the pre-canvass and canvass took place. The motion carried 2-1 to approve Resolution 24-21.

Resolution 24-21

6. PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

PUBLIC COMMENT

7. ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Maxwell made a motion to adjourn, which was seconded by Commissioner Kichline. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 1:12 PM.

ADJOURNMENT