

PRINCE EDWARD COUNTY ELECTORAL BOARD

Canvass Minutes

P.O. Box J

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November 6, 2019

The Prince Edward County Electoral Board meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Dr. Sam Martin in the Voter Registration Office. The Canvass began at 8:35 A.M. Members Present: Dr. Sam Martin, Chairman; Mr. Charles Puckett, Vice Chairman; Ms. Gwendolyn Akers-Booker, Electoral Board Secretary; Ms. Lynette Wright, General Registrar and Ms. Caitlin Bryant. There was no one present from the community during the canvass.

We began the Canvass reviewing the 4 Provisional Votes that were received on Election Day. After completion of the process for Provisional Votes, we moved on to review each Precinct and to verify totals called in by each locality during the night of the Election. All votes from 11 Precincts were accurate as received by office staff on the night of November 5, 2019. Next there was a vacant seat for School Board Member in District 8. Due to the vacancy of an individual for District 8, there was Write-Ins. These Write-Ins have to be counted manually and we, the Electoral Board were able to manually count all names submitted as 'Write-Ins' for this position. After counting all write-ins, there were a total of 83 votes. Of the 83 votes counted, 66 votes revealed Dr. Lawrence C. Varner as the winner for District 8 School Board. Ms. Gwendolyn Akers-Booker, Secretary for the Electoral Board contacted Dr. Varner to inform him that he was the winner of the vacant School Board seat based on the number of Write-Ins received. After all tallies and paper work had been completed, all items related to each voting locality were signed, sealed and delivered by 12:15 PM to the Clerk of The Circuit Court of Prince Edward County.

Ms. Lynette Wright, General Registrar; Ms. Gwen Akers-Booker, Secretary to the Electoral Board and Caitlin Bryant, Assistant to the Registrar process the required papers; faxed and submit all documents as required, to the Virginia Department of Elections. Upon submitting all information to the State, certificates will be provided to the candidates upon completion of their end of campaign reports that are required to be submitted to the Ms. Lynette Wright, General Registrar. The Electoral Board along with the General Registrar wish to thank each and every one for their support during this 2019 General & Special Election. For more information on Election Results you may visit www.elections.virginia.gov.

Meeting Adjourned at 2:30 P.M.

Gwendolyn S. Akers-Booker

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Electoral Board Secretary