

June 14, 2022

At the reconvened meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Prince Edward County, held at the Court House, thereof, on Tuesday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2022; at 9:30 p.m., there were present:

Beverly M. Booth  
Pattie Cooper-Jones  
J. David Emert  
Llew W. Gilliam, Jr.  
Odessa H. Pride  
Jerry R. Townsend

Also present: Douglas P. Stanley, County Administrator; Sarah Elam Puckett, Assistant County Administrator; and Terri Atkins Wilson, County Attorney.

Chairman Pride called the reconvened meeting to order.

In Re: Board Vacancy

Mr. Stanley stated that due to the resignation of Supervisor Wilck, there is a vacancy on the Board of Supervisors. The Board has to follow the specific procedures set forth in the *Code of Virginia* in order to request a special election to fill the vacancy in District 701. He said the Board has 15 days to take action to direct the County Attorney to call for a special election to be held, and the Board needs to direct staff to advertise for applicants for the Board to consider to fill the position on a temporary basis until the special election can occur. Based on the timing, it should be the same November 8, 2022 date for the special election.

Supervisor Townsend made a motion, seconded by Supervisor Emert, to request a special election to be held to fill the vacancy on the Board of Supervisors for District 701 – Farmville, and that the special election be held in conjunction with the General Election on November 8, 2022; to authorize the County Attorney to file the petition and see a Writ of Election from the Prince Edward County Circuit Court for a special election to be held on November 8, 2022; and that the Board authorize County staff to advertise for applicants for an interim appointment for the District 701 seat; the motion carried:

Aye: Beverly M. Booth  
Pattie Cooper-Jones  
J. David Emert  
Llew W. Gilliam, Jr.  
Odessa H. Pride  
Jerry R. Townsend

Nay: None

On motion of Supervisor Emert, seconded by Supervisor Townsend, and adopted by the following vote:

Aye: Beverly M. Booth  
Pattie Cooper-Jones  
J. David Emert  
Llew W. Gilliam, Jr.  
Odessa H. Pride  
Jerry R. Townsend  
James R. Wilck

Nay: None

the meeting was adjourned at 9:34 p.m.