

**MADISON COUNTY
BOARD OF ELECTIONS AND REGISTRATION
JULY 5, 2022
MINUTES**

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Tracy Dean, Chairperson
Rebecca Scott

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Nathan Owens

STAFF PRESENT:

Teresa Hilburn

Chairperson Tracy Dean called in to order the regular meeting of the Madison County Board of Elections and Registration at 5:45 p.m., July 5, 2022, in the Board of Elections and Registration office located at 20 Albany Ave., Danielsville, GA.

Item No. 1. Approval of Minutes-June 7, 2022

With no additions or corrections, the minutes stand.

Chairperson's Report

A recount was conducted for the U.S. House of Representatives-District 10 on the Democratic ballot. There were no changes in the totals.

Ms. Angie McGinnis requested a hand recount for the Board of Education, District 2, race. The difference in the top two candidate totals were more than the legal amount to have a recount involving the SOS. Ms. Dean voluntarily conducted a hand audit recount. There were no changes in the totals.

The Board of Commissioners has submitted a referendum to be placed on the November ballot for the voters to decide on liquor by the drink. A copy of the referendum has been placed in the minutes.

An election contest lawsuit has been filed by Garland Favorito. This lawsuit involves all 159 counties in Georgia and concerns the Republican SOS race in the May 24, 2022, Primary. A copy of the lawsuit and the certified results for the SOS has been sent to the county attorney, Mr. Mike Pruett, and a copy placed in the minutes. Ms. Dean will contact the BOER members when she has a response from Mr. Pruett.

Ms. Dean has been sent another ORR from Mr. Favorito, but it was not sent through the proper county procedures.

The 2023 BOER budget is due July 15, 2022.

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

None

STATEMENTS AND REMARKS FROM CITIZENS:

Mr. Dave Ramsey asked Ms. Dean if she would let the BOER know when she would speak to the BOC about her budget so he and others may be present to support her. She said she would let them know.

NO FURTHER BUSINESS

Ms. Scott made a motion to adjourn meeting. Ms. Dean seconded the motion. The motion was approved.

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 6:15 P.M.

These minutes are hereby approved this 2nd day August, 2022.



Tracy Dean, Chairperson

Madison County Board of Elections and Registration