

Cherokee County Voter Registration & Elections

Minutes for Canvass Meeting held 6.30.2022

Board Members Present: James "Ed" Elliott, Richard Baines, Lamar Batchelor, Carlton Bridges, Mike Watson, Ben Taylor, and Jerry Bridges

Board Members Absent: Jason Blanton and Jimmy Cash

**also in attendance was Amanda Walker (director) and Cassidy Nichols (deputy)

Call to order: 9:01am; Richard led in prayer

Minutes:

Ed administered oath to board members; Lamar administered oath to Ed.

BW2 had one provisional ballot due to lack of ID; voter came into office on 6.29.22 and brought ID; Lamar made a motion to accept; Richard seconded; all were in favor.

Alma had one provisional due to reasonable impediment; Jerry made a motion to accept; Richard seconded; all were in favor.

Amanda and Jerry went and tabulated those ballots and finalized the results.

Amanda updated the board on the hand-count audit that was performed on 6.29.22 by Lamar Batchelor, Andra Wood, and Abi Reid. SEC ordered Ashworth precinct for County Council Dist. 2 and BW2 for State House Dist. 30. All totals matched.

Lamar made a motion to certify the Democratic Primary Runoff; Mike seconded; all were in favor; everyone signed.

Mike made a motion to certify the Republican Primary Runoff; Jerry seconded; all were in favor; everyone signed.

Ben made a motion to end canvass meeting; Mike seconded; all were in favor.

Next scheduled board meeting is Friday, August 12, 2022, which will also be a canvassing for August 9, 2022 election.

Amanda informed the board that county council approved a \$40 increase to the supplement they provide to poll workers.

Amanda asked for 2 people to deliver equipment, 2 people to return equipment, and election day helpers. No one volunteered at that point. Amanda also stressed that the board members needed to attend poll manager training classes.

Richard made a motion to adjourn @ 9:30am; Lamar seconded; all were in favor.

Carlton Bridges Sr.
Carlton Bridges, Secretary

June 30th, 2022
Date

**minutes recorded by Cassidy Nichols