Cherokee County Board of Voter Registration & Elections

Minutes for meeting held Monday, October 3, 2022

The following board members were present: James "Ed" Elliott, Richard Baines, Lamar Batchelor, Jerry Bridges, Jimmy Cash, Carlton Bridges, Ben Taylor, & Mike Watson

**Jason Blanton was absent

**also in attendance: Amanda Walker (director) & Cassidy Nichols (deputy)

Agenda was posted in accordance with the SCFOIA

Call to order: 9:01am; Ed opened in prayer

Minutes:

Everyone had reviewed the minutes form 8.12.2022; Ben made a motion to approve; Jerry seconded; all were in favor.

Along with filing in the Secretary of State's office, the board member oath has to be filed in our local Clerk of Court office; all board members present signed and turned in to Amanda.

Amanda reminded board members of early voting dates and times, as well as absentee by mail deadlines. Public testing of equipment will be 10.5.2022 @ 9:30am. She also made them aware of changes that will be implemented during delivery and pickup of equipment for all future elections, including 11.8.2022.

Mike and Ben volunteered to do the delivery of equipment on Monday, November 7, 2022 @ 8am; Ed and Jimmy volunteered to do pickup of equipment on Wednesday, November 9, 2022 @ 8am; Lamar, Jerry, and Richard all volunteered to be backups if needed. Amanda also said she may have to have help with the auditing process, but will let them know if needed.

Amanda reminded board that all continuing education classes had to be completed by 12.31.2022. Some of our board members will be attending a workshop in Columbia tomorrow, 10.4.2022.

Our next schedule board meeting, as well as canvass meeting for 11.8.2022 election, will be Friday, November 11, 2022 @ 9am; this will fall on a holiday, but by law, we cannot move meeting to alternate date.

Amanda will start interviewing prospects for full-time position starting tomorrow, 10.4.2022. Jerry made a motion to adjourn @ 9:33am; Mike seconded; all were in favor.

Carlton Bridges, Secretary

<u>//-//-2022</u> Date

*minutes recorded by Cassidy Nichols