LEE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS & REGISTRATION Minutes of the May 9, 2023 Board Meeting

The Lee County Board of Elections & Registration held a meeting on May 9, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. in the Elections & Registration Office. Board members present were Mike Sabot, Willie Allen, Charles Johnson, Scott Beeley and George Houston.

Also in attendance was Veronica Johnson, Director of Elections and Registration.

The meeting was called to order.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The Board was presented with the minutes from the April 11, 2023 meeting. Mr. Beeley made a **MOTION** to approve the minutes. Mr. Allen seconded the motion. The motion passed 5-0.

OLD BUSINESS:

Mrs. Johnson shared preliminary information regarding the FYE2024 budget request. The Board of Commissioners will vote on the county manager's proposed budget in June.

The Board was updated on the request for adding additional office space. Mrs. Johnson has met with the several of the commissioners and the building inspector. A draftsman will be providing a detailed drawing of a suggested layout, which will be used to put out a RFP/Bid for Work in the near future

Mrs. Johnson informed the Board the request to use The Bindery as a voting precinct had been tabled by the Library Board of Trustees during their May business meeting. Mrs. Johnson will reach out to the Board of Trustees and see if additional questions can be answered.

NEW BUSINESS:

The Board was presented with current financial statements for review.

The Board was presented with current voter registration totals. As of May 9, 2023 Lee County had 23,067 active registered voters.

The Board was informed the Secretary of State has announced Georgia's Presidential Preference Primary will be held March 12, 2024.

CONCERNS FROM THE BOARD:

None

With no other business, Mr. Allen made a **MOTION** to adjourn. Mr. Johnson seconded the motion. The motion passed 5-0.

Lee County Board of Elections and Registration

Adopted <u>U/13/2023</u>

MIKE SABOT CHAIRMAN