LEE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS & REGISTRATION Minutes of the June 10, 2025 Board Meeting

The Lee County Board of Elections & Registration held a meeting on June 10, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. in the Elections & Registration Office. Board members present were Mike Sabot, Charles Johnson, and George Houston. Scott Beeley was unable to attend.

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

The meeting was called to order.

The Board was informed Board member Willie Allen submitted his resignation due to out of state work obligations. The Democratic Party has appointed a new member, Michelle Dailey, to replace Mr. Allen. Mrs. Dailey was introduced and welcomed at the meeting.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

The Board was presented with the minutes from the April 21, 2025, meeting. Mr. Johnson made a **MOTION** to approve the minutes. Mr. Houston seconded the motion. The motion passed 3-0.

OLD BUSINESS:

The Board discussed the upcoming statewide Special Primary to be held for two Public Service Commission seats June 17, 2025. The Certification of results is scheduled for June 23, 2025 at 4:00 pm.

The possibility of a runoff for the Special Election was discussed. Board Members were advised on a provision in O.C.G.A 21-2-270 that would allow only one precinct to be utilized for the runoff if participation in the Special Election is below 1%.

The Board was updated on the FYE2026 proposed budget. Mrs. Johnson and Mr. Sabot met with members of the county commission pertaining to the budget request. All areas of concern were address, and the Board of Elections and Registration was assured that funding would be available for all requested expenses.

NEW BUSINESS:

Current financial statements were presented to the Board for review.

The Board was presented with current voter registration totals. As of June 4, 2025 Lee County had 23,919 active registered voters.

The Board was informed of the upcoming GAVREO conference to be held August 10-13, 2025 in Savannah, GA. Mrs. Johnson and office staff will attend.

CONCERNS FROM THE BOARD:

None

PUBLIC COMMENT:

None

With no other business, Mr. Johnson made a **MOTION** to adjourn. Mr. Houston seconded the motion. The motion passed 3-0.

Lee County Board of Elections and Registration

MIKE SABOT CHAIRMAN

Adopted June 33, 2005