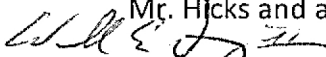


Minutes of the Meeting
Sussex County Electoral Board
June 16, 2022

- ❖ Chairman's Report: The meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m. with Ms. LaVerne Ford presiding. Roll Call: the following Electoral Board members were present for a meeting quorum; Ms. LaVerne Ford, Chairman, Mr. Ronald Hicks, Vice Chairman and Mr. William Drewry, Secretary. The Registrar, Mr. William Jenkins was in attendance with his attorney, Mel Williams and Jeff Gore, the Sussex county attorney, along with members of the public. The Chair made a motion to adopt the agenda for today's meeting, Mr. Drewry seconded the motion, all were in favor, motion passed.
- ❖ Secretary's Report: No minutes were read.
- ❖ Citizen's Comments: Diana Mitchell spoke for two minutes.
- ❖ Mr. Drewry moved to enter into closed session pursuant to 2.2-3711A1 of the code of Virginia to discuss personnel matters. The motion was seconded by Mr. Hicks and was carried unanimously by roll call vote. Upon returning to open session, Mr. Drewry moved to certify that under FOIA and pursuant to code 2.2-3712 only personnel matters were discussed in closed session. Motion was seconded by Mr. Hicks and carried by unanimous roll call vote.
- ❖ Mr. Hicks move to terminate William Jenkins as Sussex County Registrar effective immediately. The motion was then seconded by Mr. Drewry and carried unanimously by roll call vote. Mr. Hicks moved to appoint Ms. Sareese R. Messier as Interim Registrar effective immediately. The motion was seconded by Mr. Drewry and was carried by unanimous roll call vote.
- ❖ William Jenkins and Staff turned in Keys
- ❖ Mr. Drewry made a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Mr. Hicks and all were in favor, the motion passed.


Mr. William E. Drewry III

Secretary,

Sussex County Electoral Board