

# Meeting Minutes of the Sussex County Electoral Board

April 8, 2020

## CALL TO ORDER:

Al Peschke, Electoral Board Member, called the meeting of the Sussex County Electoral Board to order at 2:04 p.m. at the new location of the Office of the General Registrar of Sussex County (old BB&T building).

## PURPOSE OF THE MEETING:

The purpose of the meeting was to elect Officers of the Electoral Board for the 2020/2021 Electoral Board term. It is acknowledged that this organizational meeting is required to be held during the month of March; however, a vacancy on the Board was not filled until March 31, pushing the organizational meeting into the month of April.

## ROLL CALL:

Mr. Peschke called roll and noted Mr. Hicks was not present for reasons unknown, despite receipt of the Meeting Notice seven days in advance of the meeting and the properly posted Public Notice of Meeting.

Ronald Hicks, Electoral Board Member – Absent  
Glover Pegram, Electoral Board Member - Present  
Al Peschke, Electoral Board Member - Present

It was determined that a quorum was established and the meeting properly convened. Also present at the meeting were:

William R. Jenkins, General Registrar of Sussex County  
Sareese Messier, Assistant Registrar of Sussex County

## AGENDA:

### *Old Business.*

- Reading of Minutes. Mr. Peschke read the minutes of the Electoral Board's February meeting. Mr. Peschke moved to approve the minutes as read and Mr. Pegram seconded. The motion was carried unanimously.

### *New Business.*

- Certification of Notice. Mr. Jenkins certified notice for this meeting was properly posted as required by law.
- Organization of Board. Mr. Peschke noted members of opposing parties are required to hold the offices of Chair and Secretary except under mitigating circumstances. Mr. Pegram stated he preferred to serve as Vice Chair. Mr. Peschke volunteered to serve as Secretary, leaving the

position of Chair for the absent Mr. Hicks. Mr. Peschke moved to elect Mr. Ronald Hicks as Chair, Mr. Glover Pegram as Vice Chair and Mr. Al Peschke as Secretary for the upcoming 2020/2021 Electoral Board term. Mr. Pegram seconded the motion. Mr. Peschke called for the vote and the motion was carried unanimously by the members present.

*Adjournment:*

- Mr. Peschke made a motion to adjourn, Mr. Pegram seconded, and the motion was unanimously carried. The meeting adjourned at 2:11 p.m.

*Next Meeting:* To be determined.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Al Peschke".

Al Peschke, Secretary  
Sussex County Electoral Board