

Tuesday, April 25, 2023. The meeting of the Sussex County Electoral Board was called to order at 11:57 a.m. by Acting Chairman, William E. Drewry, III.

Roll Call of Board

William E. Drewry, III, Present

LaVerne D. Ford, Present

Staff Present

Sareese Messier, General Registrar

Chestney Simmons, Deputy Registrar

LaVerne Ford moved to adopt the agenda as presented. The motion was seconded by Will Drewry and carried.

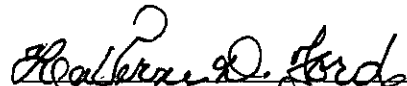
The minutes from the January 12, February 1, February 22, February 24 and March 30, 2023 meetings were approved as read on a motion by Will Drewry, seconded by LaVerne Ford and carried.

Registrar, Sareese Messier reported that she had talked to Sheriff Giles and the county IT person about placing cameras in the Waverly Office and one would be put up there this summer. She also reported that the LESS had been completed and signed off on by IT. Ms. Ford informed her that the board needed to review the standards before taking action on them. Ms. Messier informed the board that she would have copies available the next day.

The board and registrar proceeded to prepare the ballot for the June 20, 2023 Democratic Primary Election. After the ballot had been completed, LaVerne Ford moved to approve the ballot. The motion was seconded by William Drewry and carried.

At 12:12 p.m. Ms. Ford moved to recess the meeting until 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 26, 2023. The motion was seconded by Mr. Drewry and carried.

  
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William E. Drewry, III Acting Chairman

  
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LaVerne D. Ford, Secretary

Wednesday, April 26, 2023. The meeting of the Sussex County Electoral Board reconvened at 10:00 a.m. with Acting Chairman, William E. Drewry, III, presiding.

Roll Call of Board

William E. Drewry, III, present

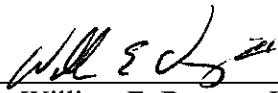
LaVerne D. Ford, present

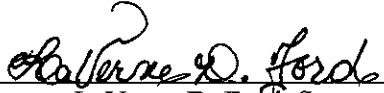
Staff Present

Sareese Messier, General Registrar

Ms. Messier presented the Locality Election Security Standards (LESS). After reviewing the LESS, Mr. Drewry moved to adopt them. The motion was seconded by Ms. Ford and carried.

The meeting adjourned at 11:25 a.m. on a motion by Mr. Drewry and seconded by Ms. Ford.

  
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William E. Drewry, III Acting Chairman

  
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LaVerne D. Ford, Secretary

Wednesday, June 14, 2023. The Sussex Board Special Meeting was called to order at 9:58 a.m. with Acting Chairman, William Drewry, III, presiding.

Roll Call of Board

William E. Drewry, III, present

LaVerne D. Ford, present

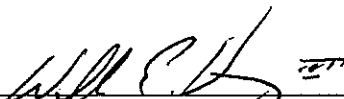
Staff Present

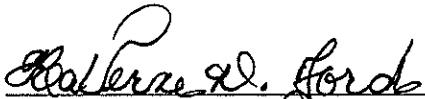
Sareese Messier, General Registrar

Ms. Messier Submitted the name Rhonda Logan for approval as an Officer of Election.

Ms. Ford moved to appoint Rhonda Logan as an Officer of Election for the 2023 Election Year. The motion was seconded by Mr. Drewry and carried.

Mr. Drewry moved to adjourn the meeting at 10:00 a.m. The motion was seconded by Ms. Ford and carried.

  
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William E. Drewry, III Acting Chairman

  
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LaVerne D. Ford, Secretary

Wednesday, June 21, 2023. The Sussex County Electoral Board Meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by Acting Chairman William E. Drewry, III. The purpose of the meeting was to conduct the initial canvass of the June 20, 2023 Election.

Roll Call of Board

William E. Drewry, III, present

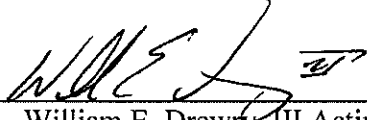
LaVerne D. Ford, present

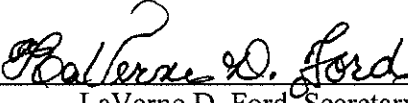
Staff Present

Sareese Messier, General Registrar

Chestney Simmons, Deputy Registrar

After conducting the initial canvass at 12:25 p.m., Ms. Ford moved to recess the canvass until 3:00 p.m., Friday, June 23, 2023. The motion was seconded by Mr. Drewry and carried.

  
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William E. Drewry, III Acting Chairman

  
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LaVerne D. Ford, Secretary

Friday, June 23, 2023. The Sussex County Electoral Board reconvened at 4:00 p.m. with Acting Chairman William E. Drewry, III, presiding.

Roll Call of Board

William E. Drewry, III, present

LaVerne D. Ford, present

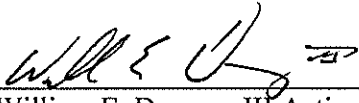
Staff Present

Sareese Messier, General Registrar

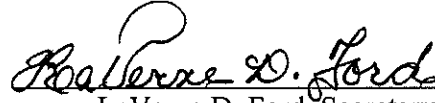
Chestney Simmons, Deputy Registrar

After the completion of the canvass, Ms. Ford moved to certify that Lashrecse D. Aird received 544 votes and Joseph D. Morrissey received 358 votes.

Mr. Drewry moved to adjourn the meeting at 4:57 p.m. The motion was seconded by Ms. Ford and carried.



William E. Drewry, III Acting Chairman



LaVerne D. Ford, Secretary