JULY 24, 2019

The Cumberland County Board of Elections met at the Board of Elections Office at 5:00 pm for a special meeting to consider voter transfers for the Fayetteville municipal primary election in October.

Present:

Floyd W. Johnson, Jr., Chairman

Bobby Swilley, Member Irene Grimes, Member Linda Devore, Secretary Terri Robertson, Director

Staff:

Vicki Hilburn and Mitzie Roberts

Guests:

Sharon Johnson

Chairman Floyd Johnson called the meeting to Order at 5:07PM.

Director Robertson reported that after the filing period for municipal elections closed last week, it was determined that there are two precincts that have very few registered voters eligible to vote in the primary, since only two City Council districts require a primary this year. Only voters in City Council districts 2 and 6 will be voting. District 2 has two split precincts where only a small number of voters reside.

CC09 has only 52 voters eligible to vote in the District 2 primary, and CC15 has only 14 voters eligible to vote in the District 2 primary. The staff recommendation is that we transfer these voters to adjacent precincts for the primary election. The 52 voters in CC09 could be transferred to CC22, and the 14 voters in CC15 could be transferred to CC10. Each of the 66 affected voters will be sent a letter notifying of the change of voting place for the primary.

ACTION:

Devore moved to request approval from the State Board of Elections to transfer the 52 voters from CC09 who reside in City Council District 2 to C22, and transfer the 14 voters from CC15 who reside in City Council District 2 to CC10, for the Fayetteville Municipal primary election in October.

Motion Seconded. Chairman Johnson asked for a show of hands.

Motion passed by unanimous vote.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 5:13PM.

Submitted by,

Linda Devore, Secretary

Chairman

Member

Helen Nelson was absent

Member