July 05, 2022 Absentee Meeting Minutes

Invocation by James Baker; meeting was called to order on July 05, 2022 at 5:00 p.m. at the Cumberland County Board of Elections board room by the Chair.

Present:

Helen Nelson - Chair

Linda Devore - Member Billy King - Member

James Baker - Member

Irene Grimes - Secretary

Staff:

Angela Amaro, Vickie Hillburn

Guests: Sally Shutt, Sandra Walker, Amanda Turnmire

ACTION: Member King moves that the Board approve the agenda.

Second: Secretary Grimes Vote: Unanimous in favor

Staff member Hillburn presents 34absentee ballot envelopes (31 Civilian; 3 Military) that have been received and reports that the staff recommendation is to approve them. Board members spot check the envelopes.

ACTION: Member Grimes moves to approve the 34 absentee ballots presented by staff

following their recommendation.

Second: Member Baker Vote: Unanimous in favor

The 34 ballots were entered into the tabulator, bringing the total absentee ballot count on the DS200 to 40.

ACTION: Member Grimes moves that the Board move into closed session to discuss a

personnel matter.

Second: Member Devore Vote: Unanimous in favor

The Board moved into closed session at 5:13 p.m.

The Board returned from closed session at 5:42 p.m.

Chair Nelson states that there is nothing to report from the closed session.

Adjournment

Motion: Secretary Grimes Second: Member King

Chair Nelson adjourned the meeting at 5:43 p.m.

Submitted by,

Irene Grimes, Secretary

Helen Nelson, Chair

Linda Devore Member

James H. Baker, Member

Billy King, Member

July 05, 2022 Meeting Minutes CLOSED SESSION

(The absentee meeting was called to order on July 05, 2022 at 5:00 p.m. at the Cumberland County Board of Elections by the Chair).

Present:

Helen Nelson - Chair

Linda Devore - Member Irene Grimes - Secretary

Billy King - Member James Baker - Member

.....

Guests: Amanda Turnmire, Sandra Walker, Sally Shutt

The Board moved from open into closed session at 5:13 p.m. to discuss a personnel issue.

TENTATIVE ACTION: Secretary Grimes moves to recommend Angela Amaro to the North Carolina State Board of Elections, for appointment as Director of Elections in Cumberland County.

Second: Member King

Vote: Passed (4/1; in favor: Baker, Nelson, King, Grimes/Opposed: Devore)

Salary recommendation (to be submitted to the County Commissioners) will be discussed on July 12, 2022.

Chair Nelson will inquire of the State Board as to the proper procedure to complete the process.

The Board returned from closed session at 5:42 p.m.

Luce C Grions

Helenfinelson

Submitted by,

Helen Nelson, Chair

Linda Devore, Member

James H. Baker, Member

Billy King, Member