

BOARD MEETING
BALTIMORE CITY BOARD OF ELECTIONS
FEBRUARY 20, 2020

The meeting of the Baltimore City Board of Elections was held at the Election Board Office, 417 E. Fayette Street, Room 129.

IN ATTENDANCE:

BOARD MEMBERS

Bruce Luchansky, President
Joyce Smith, Vice President
Tamara Purnell, Member
Arlene Fisher, Member
Philip a'Becket, Member

ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL

Alan Dunklow

STAFF

Armstead B. Crawley Jones, Sr., Election Director
Abigail Goldman, Deputy Director

The meeting was called to order at 3:10 p.m. by Mr. Luchansky, Board President. A declaration of quorum was present.

The Board and staff stood and recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

There are no additions to the agenda. The agenda is approved as presented.

Work session: The objective of the work session is to be better informed on what are the requirements and processes and the goal is to see how to get more new judges recruited and for them to fulfill their obligation to serve.

Mr. Luchansky asked how many election judges are we required to have per precinct and the formula that is used. Mr. Jones explained how we come up with the Election judge assignments and there is a 4 judge minimum per precinct.

A discussion followed about what we have done before and what works. Mr. Jones said we do outreaches and we take election judge flyers, applications shared, MAEO committee for election judge recruitment, Voter registration form check off box and in March Konan Radio show will be broadcasting from out lobby.

Suggestions from the Board that we should reach out to high school seniors, neighborhood associations, religious associations etc.

Mr. Luchansky said we need a plan for staff to reach out to get election judges.

No minutes were presented to the Board at this time.

BOARD PRESIDENTS REMARKS:

No remarks.

ELECTION DIRECTORS REPORT:

Mr. Jones working on election preparation. We have started to design the specimen ballots. Ballot proofing is underway and we are back to doing outreach for the month of February and March.

The election judge open house will be April 10th and 11th at University of Baltimore.

Mr. a'Becket asked a question of how we will control the ballots at Early voting. Ms. Goldman explained that we send out the ballots in a big cabinet with the ballot styles marked on them and they match it up with the ballot style on their voter authority cards.

ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REPORT:

None

OLD BUSINESS:

None

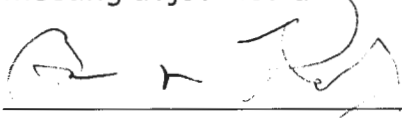
NEW BUSINESS:

None

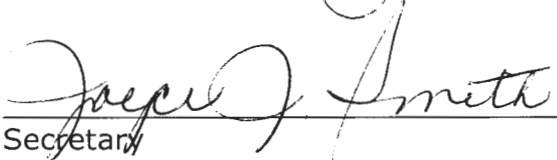
NEXT BOARD MEETING:

The Board confirmed that the next meeting will be March 19, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.

Ms. Tamara Purnell made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Ms. Joyce Smith. The meeting adjourned at 4:53 p.m.



President 4/13/20
Date



Secretary 4/13/20
Date