

# STEPHENS COUNTY BOARD OF REGISTRATIONS AND ELECTIONS

The Stephens County Board of Registration and Elections Meeting was held on May 3, 2022 at 5:30 at the Stephens County Historic Court House.

Roll Call:

Chairman Sean Black	Present
Vice Chair Person Lori McAvoy	Present
Board Member Billy Chism	Present
Board Member Mack Poss	Present
Board Member Fredda Wheeler	Present

Chairman Black opened the meeting and the Invocation was given by Board Member Poss followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag by all present.

Motion by Board Member Chism, seconded by Vice Chair Person McAvoy and unanimously carried to approve the minutes from the last meeting as submitted.

❖ Risk Limiting Audit

Elections Supervisor Terry stated the Audit will provide an added layer of credibility and accountability to the election process. The Audit will be required during the November Election and Stephens County will do a small sampling during the May Primary.

❖ L & A Testing

The entire process went well and the Dominion representative was very helpful and gracious to work with. The L & A data will be closed out when the scanner is received from being repaired.

Supervisor Terry and Assistant Waters are working on certification process.

❖ Early Voting

Has gone very well with 148 in person voters to date, 24 absentee ballots returned and 1 provisional ballot.

Voters are very appreciative of having machines located downstairs.

Working on getting 4 more poll workers on board

❖ **Qualifying Fees Distribution**

County Administrator Ayers reported that 25% of the Democratic qualifying fees are due the state executive committee for the Democratic Party and that 50% of the Republican fee is owed to the local Republican Party.

Communicate with all parties before the next qualifying period as to having spaces made available for parties to conduct their qualifying at the Elections / Registrar's office.

Motion by Chair Person McAvoy, seconded by Board Member Poss and unanimously carried to adjourn the May 3, 2022 Meeting.