

Minutes
State Election Commission Meeting
July 30, 2021

The State Election Commission meeting was called to order by Chairman Blackburn, at 11:00 a.m. Central Daylight Time, July 30, 2021. The following members and staff were telephonically connected: Commissioners Barrett, Blackburn, Duckett, Eldridge, Wheeler and Younce; Coordinator Mark Goins and Kathy Summers, Elections Specialist.

Pursuant to TCA § 8-44-108(a)(3), the determination of necessity for conducting the State Election Commission meeting by phone was to make county election commission appointments.

Commissioner Younce made a motion to adopt the statement of necessity, seconded by Commissioner Barrett. (Roll call vote: Aye votes: Barrett, Blackburn, Duckett, Eldridge, Wheeler and Younce; No votes: None; Abstention: None.)

Commissioner Barrett made a motion pursuant to TCA § § 2-12-101 and 2-12-106, to accept and approve the nomination(s) for county election commission appointments as submitted and to leave the nomination process open until the close of business 4:30 p.m. Central Daylight Time, Friday, July 30, 2021, seconded by Commissioner Duckett. (Roll call vote: Aye votes: Barrett, Blackburn, Duckett, Eldridge, Wheeler and Younce; No votes: None; Abstention: None.) **(See attached list of appointments made.)**

Chairman Blackburn adjourned the meeting at 11:11 a.m. Central Daylight Time.

Respectfully submitted,


Tom Wheeler, Secretary
State Election Commission

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Vacant Status

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Benton	R Donna Barrett / D Greg Duckett
	D
	R
Carroll	R Jimmy Eldridge / D Greg Duckett
	R
Crockett	R Jimmy Eldridge / D Greg Duckett
	R
Jackson	R Kent Younce / D Mike McDonald
	R
Morgan	R Kent Younce / D Tom Wheeler
	D
Rhea	R Kent Younce / D Tom Wheeler
	R

Total Vacancies: 7

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Holdover Status

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		Appointment	Reappointment
Carroll	R Jimmy Eldridge / D Greg Duckett		
	R Julia A. Blanks	5/31/2016	4/1/2019
	R Ronald R. Reiter	5/4/2015	4/1/2019
Stewart	R Jimmy Eldridge / D Greg Duckett		
	D Nellie F. Settle	4/3/1995	4/1/2019
Total Holdovers: 3			

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New Appointment Status

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		Appointment
Crockett	R Jimmy Eldridge / D Greg Duckett	
	R Chad Ray Hutchison	7/30/2021
Jackson	R Kent Younce / D Mike McDonald	
	R Larri Jack Williams	7/30/2021
	Total New Commissioners: 2	

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Mr. Robert Greene, Director
Office of the Secretary of State – Publications Division
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Dear Mr. Greene,

The State Election Commission met by teleconference at 11:00 a.m., CDT on Friday, July 30, 2021, in the Elections Division, 7th Floor, William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower. The notice requirements of TCA § 8-44-108 (b) were fully complied with. A quorum of the Board was not physically present at the location from which the teleconference originated, although a quorum did participate electronically.

In accordance with TCA § 8-44-108 this constitutes the Board's notice of the occurrence of this meeting and the Statement of Necessity.

A telephonic meeting of the Board was required to make county election commission appointments.

A Statement of Necessity to that effect was formally adopted by the Board at the beginning of the teleconference, and the Statement of Necessity was included in the Board's minutes.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mark Goins".

Mark Goins
Coordinator of Elections

Enclosure(s): Meeting Notice and Call Instructions

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