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FAYETTE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS AND VOTER REGISTRATION Regular AUGUST Monthly Meeting RESCHEDULED from AUGUST 28, 2012

AUGUST 13, 2012

The regularly scheduled AUGUST meeting of the Fayette County Board of Elections and Voter Registration was scheduled for August 28, 2012, but was rescheduled back to August 13, 2012 to follow the Special Hearing on the same day. This meeting was called to order by Chairman Addison Lester following the Special Hearing. The record should show that Chairman Lester and Member Hicks were present. Member Watts was absent

A. ELECTION UPDATE

It was reported that the staff continues in the process of finalizing plans for the General Primary Runoff which is to be held on August 21, 2012. Advanced voting has begun which will lead us up to the Runoff Election on August 21, 2012. There will be three races on this runoff ballots

REPUBLICAN BALLOT:

- (1) Commission Post 2: David Barlow versus Sheila S. Huddleston,
- (2) Commission Post 3: Lee Hearn versus Randy C. Ognio.

DEMOCRATIC BALLOT: House District 63

(3) T.J. Copeland versus Ronnie Mabra

The House District 63 includes voters in Fulton County, Clayton County and only 10 Precincts within Fayette County. Board members were cautioned about the voting makeup since all voters will not be voting in the House District 63 race. Only those voters that had voted in the Democratic Primary will be eligible to vote in this race.

Voters must continue to vote the same party in the runoff as the party that they voted for in the General Primary Election held on July 31, 2012. If a voter voted in the Non-Partisan Election in July 31, 2012, they may select a party and vote in the General Primary Runoff which is scheduled for August 21, 2012.

If a voter did not vote in the General Primary Election, this will not prohibit him from voting in the General Primary Runoff.

Supervisor Sawyer reported that all things were running smoothly as we prepare for the runoff, even though the paper has advertised that voting would start last week. We have a number of workers who have been trained to work in the polls and are available on an as needed basis.

We will be having advanced voting at all three locations: Election Department, Peachtree City Library and the Tyrone Town Hall. Board Members are being asked to plan to be here on election day, August 21, 2012, at 6:45. Since this is a follow-up election from

the General Primary, we will not need to have the Election Superintendent(s) and other support staff sworn in by the Probate Judge. We also will ask the Board to be here next Friday at 5:00pm to certify the General Primary Runoff Election.

B. OTHER BUSINESS

NONE.

C. PUBLIC COMMENTS

NONE.

D. OTHER ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION

NONE.

E. ADJOURNMENT

Chairman Lester made a motion and Member Hicks seconded that the meeting be adjourned. There was no opposition.

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