

The Northampton County Electoral Board met on Thursday, January 14, 2021 in the Voter Registration Office in Eastville.

PRESENT: JoAnn Clark, Chair
JoAnne Fitchett, Vice Chair

ABSENT:

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 10:42 A.M. The registrar made the invocation.

The minutes of the Electoral Board meeting on December 10 2020, having been reviewed by the Board were approved and signed.

Board and registrar discussed the departure of Republican member Ralph Orzo and the process to replace him. Registrar was directed to contact Rob Stubbs, Chair of the Northampton Republican Unit, and see if there are any developments. Board discussed their reorganization, but decided to wait until a new Republican member comes on.

Registrar and Board discussed the year ahead. The November election will see the top state offices filled, and on the local level we will have elections for Board of Supervisor districts 1,2 and 3. The redistricting process will determine if we hold a June Primary or an August Primary. Registrar reported that redistricting will be delayed until the census data is sent to localities, and the best estimate seems to be late July, which would be too late to affect this election cycle.

Board adjourned the meeting at 11:15 a. m. after unanimously agreeing to meet again at 10:30, February 4, 2021.
