BOARD MEETING MINUTES APRIL 9, 2024 – 5:00 PM ABSENTEE MEETING

The Rockingham County Board of Elections met Tuesday, April 9, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. at the Board of Elections Office, 240 Cherokee Camp Road, Reidsville.

Board Members Present: Ophelia Wright, Chair; Sarah Totten, Secretary; Nelson Cole, Member; Thurman Hampton, Member; and Tom Schoolfield, Member.

Staff Members Present: Paula Seamster, Director and Kathy Clark, Senior Deputy Director.

ITEM #1 – MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

The Board meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m. by Chair Wright. Chair Wright welcomed the Board Members and those watching via Zoom.

ITEM #2 – APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Member Schoolfield moved, seconded by Member Hampton to approve the agenda. The motion carried unanimously.

ITEM #3 – ABSENTEES

The Director stated that four Absentee Ballots had been mailed out. She had 1 CIV absentee ballot for the Board to review.

The Board began to review and open the 1 absentee ballot that had been received into the office, date stamped when received, and the ballot envelope reviewed by staff to make sure the requirements were met for eligibility.

Secretary Totten moved, seconded by Member Cole to approve the 1 absentee ballot that were received. The motion carried unanimously.

The Director inserted the 1 approved absentee ballot into the DS200 machine.

Chair Wright stated that the next Absentee Board meeting would be held on Tuesday, April 16, 2024 at 5:00 p.m.

ITEM #4 – ADJOURNMENT

At 5:06 p.m. Member Cole moved, seconded by Secretary Totten to adjourn. The motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Paula P. Seamster, Director

Ophelia Wright, Chair