Union County Board of Elections met on May 22, 2021 by Zoom meeting. Those in attendance were William Steele, Chairman; Robert Parrott, Board Member; Rebecca Pokorski, Board Member; Dean Cook, Board Member; Tina LaRoche, Director; Brandon Clay, Deputy Director; Michelle Forrider, Election Specialist; and Renee Error, Election Specialist.

Chairman Steele calls meeting to order at 7:56am.

Rule on Provisionals

Board Member Parrott motions to accept 9 Provisional ballots cast. Board Member Pokorski seconds this motion.

The motion passed unanimously.

Board Member Pokorski motions to reject the 1 Provisional ballot that came in from an unregistered voter. Board Member Parrott seconds the motion.

The motion passed unanimously.

Rule on Absentee

Board Member Cook motions to accept 7 absentee ballots. Board Member Pokorski seconds the motion.

The motion passed unanimously.

Board Member Cook motions to reject the 2 ballots that were postmarked after May 4, 2021. Board Member Pokorski seconds the motion.

· The motion passed unanimously.

Election review

Director LaRoche goes over the election. She spoke on the success of the day and how the staff handled the Knowlnk situation with the PollPads. Board Member Parrott asked if the issue has been resolved with Knowlnk and the Director LaRoche told the board she was informed they are working on it and it will not happen again.

Board Minutes Unofficial May 4, 2021

Board Member Pokorski motions to approve the minutes from the Unofficial Canvass on May 4th. Board Member Cook seconds the motion.

The motion passed unanimously.

Bills

Director LaRoche goes over the bills for the month. Board Member Parrott motions to approve and pay the bills including the ComDoc one she just received. Board Member Pokorski seconds the motion.

The motion passed unanimously.

Budget review

Director LaRoche goes over the yearly budget and lets the Board know where we sit with the budget and the grants.

Misc

Director LaRoche goes over the plan for the staff to return to business as usual starting June 1, 2021. It was then discussed to keep the work from home option open if so needed. That will be decided case by case by the Director and Deputy Director.

Board Member Cook motions to adjourn the meeting at 8:21am. Board Member Pokorski seconds the motion.

Chairman: 💪

The motion passed unanimously.

Michelle Forrider, Election Specialist

William Steele, Chairman