

# PICKENS COUNTY

SOUTH CAROLINA

## BOARD MEMBERS

JAMES LIDDLE, CHAIRPERSON  
CHARLES TITUS, VICE CHAIRMAN  
CHERYL ALLEN BAILEY, SECRETARY  
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## BOARD OF VOTER REGISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Thursday June 16, 2022

Regular Meeting Minutes

Pickens County Administrative Building Conference Room

### Opening:

Chairman Liddle called the meeting to order at approximately 2:30pm, following the Canvassers meeting.

### Roll Call

Jim Liddle

Charles Titus

Cheryl Allen-Bailey via Zoom

Amanda Bauknight

Brian Dismukes

James Schmutz

Dr. Amy Sams

1. Minutes of the May 3, 2022, meeting were reviewed. Amanda Bauknight made motion to approve with one correction on Director's Report, pg. 2, 7.b; name spelling Marsha Christian. Second by Brian Dismukes. All approved.
2. There were no guests present for public comment.
3. Dr. Amy Sams gave an Executive Director's report:
  - a. Election finished.
  - b. Runoff Election will be June 28.
  - c. Anticipates State runoff for:
    - i. Republican - State Superintendent of Education
    - ii. Democrat - US Senate
  - d. She was pleased with the accuracy and integrity.
  - e. She would like to further improve training for all poll workers to improve their confidence.
  - f. Early voting for the Runoff will be in 3 locations on June 22, 23, and 24.
  - g. She emphasized the great need for volunteers and poll workers for the Runoff and needs help in office on June 28.
  - h. There will be a special election in Liberty for City Council seat on August 2, 2022. No

candidates have filed for the election so it will be all write-in.

4. Dates for the Board Meetings for the next few months were discussed and changed as follows:
  - a. No meeting on July 5. July meeting will be held following Board of Canvassers meeting on June 30. Motion by Amanda Bauknight. Second by Jim Schmutz. All in favor.
  - b. No meeting on August 2. August meeting will be held following Board of Canvassers Meeting (Liberty Special Election) on August 4. Motion by Charles Titus. Second by Jim Liddle. All in favor of the following
  - c. September 6 meeting will be cancelled. Motion by Charles Titus. Second by Amanda Bauknight. All in favor.
  - d. No meeting November 1. November meeting will be held following the Board of Canvassers Meeting on November 10. Motion by Jim Liddle Second by Charles Titus. All in favor.
  - e. No changes in the October or December meeting dates.
5. Charles Titus made motion that the Board issue a letter of commendation for several Poll Workers who went above the call of duty to be sure precincts were staffed for the June Primary. Brian Dismukes seconded motion and all were in favor. Charles will prepare letters.
6. Motion to adjourn by Amanda Bauknight. Second by Jim Liddle. All in favor.
7. Adjourned at 3:25 p.m.