

Board of Election Commissioners Meeting
City of Galesburg, Illinois
April 9, 2024 — 9:00 a.m.
City Hall Basement Conference Room

Chairman Roger Williamson called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. Attending were Commissioners Veronica Peoples and Robert Potter, Executive Director Lisa Watson, and Assistant Bill Gohring. Also in attendance were Tony Franklin and Richard Stout.

After reviewing the minutes from the March 28, 2024, meeting, Veronica Peoples made a motion to approve the minutes. Robert Potter seconded. Motion carried.

Public Comment – Richard Stout asked a question about names, addresses, phone numbers, and voters' records being published on Public Radio. Political Parties have access to voter records. The State has expanded this to include all citizens through FOIA requests. More information is needed.

Old Business:

Memo Only Budget— Robert Potter provided an overview of the Memo Only Budget. Expenses were \$27,951. The checking account balance is approximately \$2000 less than for the same period last year. Judges' payroll will show up in April. Proof of payment was requested for STRATUS Grant Reimbursement. The amount was \$3000. Election Judge reimbursement is expected to be \$4000.

March 19, 2024 General Primary Election Canvassing –Veronica Peoples made a motion to approve the March 19, 2024 Election Canvas. Robert Potter Seconded. A roll call vote was called – Roger Williamson voted aye; Veronica Peoples voted aye; Robert Potter voted aye. Motion passed.

2024 Primary Election – March 19, 2024

Bethel – Certificate of Liability Insurance Request – Bethel Baptist Church has requested a copy of the Election Commission's Certificate of Liability Insurance.

New Business:

Invoices & Supplies— Robert Potter made a motion to approve the invoices for the month of April. Veronica Peoples seconded. Motion carried. Veronica Peoples made a motion to approve the supply list for the month of April. Robert Potter seconded. Motion carried.

Schedule May meeting—The next commissioners' meeting was scheduled for May 14, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.

Other: None

Veronica Peoples made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Robert Potter seconded. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 9:18 a.m.