

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
RANDOLPH COUNTY COMMISSION SS:

At a special session of the County Commission held in and for the aforesaid County and State, at the Court House Annex, on the 15th day of June, 2020 at 9:00 A.M.

Present: David Kesling, President of the Randolph County Commission and Chris See and Mark Scott, Commissioners thereof.

Meeting called to order by Commissioner Kesling

Commissioner Kesling announced that the purpose of today's meeting is to Canvass the election results from the Primary Election that was held on June 9, 2020.

Commissioner Scott moved that for anyone that would like to request a recount the bond amount will be \$300.00.

All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Also present were County Clerk Brenda Wiseman, Mark Smith and Shawn Ferguson, Courthouse Maintenance Staff and Patricia Rossi, Democrat Ballot Commissioner.

Clerk Wiseman presented the Commission with 83 mailed absentee ballots that were received after Election Day, but before the start of canvass.

Commissioner Scott moved to approve the absentee ballots that were received in the County Clerk's Office at 4:00, by the mailman, on Election Day.

All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to approve the absentee ballots that were received in the County Clerk's Office, by mail, the day after the Election.

All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to approve the absentee ballots that were hand delivered to the County Clerk's Office, by the postman, the day after the Election.

All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to approve the one absentee ballot that was postmarked by Election Day and received by the Clerk's Office on Thursday June 11th.

All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to not accept the five absentee ballots that were received by mail, without a postmark, and received by the County Clerk's Office two days after the Election.

All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to not accept three absentee ballots that were postmarked the day after the Election.

All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Kesling pulled out precinct 23 to be hand counted.

Clerk Wiseman presented the Commission with the paperwork for each precinct.

Early Voting in Mill Creek had 1 provisional ballot.

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 02EV01 because the voter was not registered to vote. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Early Voting in Elkins had no provisional ballots.

Precinct 23 – One provisional ballot.

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 2301 because the voter was not registered to vote. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 24 – Four provisional ballots.

Commissioner Scott moved to approve provisional ballots 2401 & 2402 because the voters were poll workers. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 2404 because the voter is registered to vote in another County. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to approve provisional ballot 2403 because the voter requested an absentee ballot but decided to come vote in person. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 25 – No provisional ballots

Precinct 27 – One provisional ballot.

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 2701 because the voter voted out of their precinct. All yes – Motion passed unanimously.

Precinct 28 - Four provisional ballots

Commissioner Scott moved to approve provisional ballots 2801, 2802 & 2803 because the voters were poll workers. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 2804 because the voter is not registered to vote. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 28A – No provisional ballots

Precinct 30 – Three provisional ballots

Commissioner Scott moved to approve provisional ballot 3002 because the voter was a poll worker. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to approve provisional ballot 3001 because the voter did not vote absentee and voted on Election Day. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 3003 because the voter was not registered to vote. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 31 – One provisional ballot

Commissioner Scott moved to approve provisional ballot 3101 due to a clerical error. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 75 – One provisional ballot

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 7501 because the voter voted at the wrong precinct. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 80 - Two provisional ballots.

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballots 8001 & 8002 because the voters voted at the wrong precinct. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 85 – One provisional ballot

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 8501 because the voter voted out of precinct. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 150 – No provisional ballots

Precinct 155 – Four provisional ballots

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 15501 because the voter was not registered to vote. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 15502 because the voter was registered to vote out of the County. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 15504 because the voter went to the wrong precinct to vote. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 15503 because the voter is registered to vote in another County. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 160 – One provisional ballot

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 16001 because the voter is not registered to vote. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 165 – Two provisional ballots

Commissioner Scott moved to approve provisional ballot 16501 because the voter came to vote in person instead of voting an absentee ballot. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 16502 because the voter was not registered to vote. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 170 – No provisional ballots.

Precinct 180 – No provisional ballots

Precinct 185 – Five provisional ballots

Commissioner Scott moved to approve provisional ballots 18501, 18502, 18503, 18504 & 18505 because these voters returned their absentee ballots to be spoiled and voted on Election Day instead. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 190 – One provisional ballot

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 19001 because the voter was not registered to vote. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 200 – No provisional ballots

Precinct 202 – One provisional ballot

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 20201 because the voter voted in the wrong precinct. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 205 – Two provisional ballots.

Commissioner Scott moved to approve provisional ballots 20501 & 20502 because the voters were poll workers. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 210 – Four provisional ballots.

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 21003 because the voter insisted on voting the wrong party ballot. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to approve provisional ballot 21001 because the voter was a poll worker. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to approve provisional ballot 21002 because the voter came to vote on Election Day instead of using their absentee ballot. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 21004 because the voter voted in the wrong precinct. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Precinct 215 – No provisional ballots.

Precinct 220 – No provisional ballots.

Precinct 225 – No provisional ballots

Precinct 227 -- Five provisional ballots.

Commissioner Scott moved to approve provisional ballots 227-01, 227-02, 227-03 because these voters were all poll workers. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 227-02 because the voter voted in the wrong precinct. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to deny provisional ballot 227-04 because the voter is not registered to vote. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

The hand count of precinct 23 began.

Commissioner Scott read one paper roll out loud and Brenda Wiseman and Mark Smith tabulated the results.

Commissioner Kesling read the other paper roll out loud and Shawn Ferguson and Patricia Rossi tabulated the results.

The results of precinct 23 did not change and it was determined that the machine tabulated correctly.

Commissioner Scott moved to recess at 12:10 p.m. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

County Clerk staff entered the additional absentee ballots and provisional ballots at this time.

Commissioner Scott moved to come out of recess. All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to declare the election results of the Primary election that was held on June 9, 2020 at 3:05 p.m.
All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Deputy Clerk, Karla Mahanes said this will begin the 48 hour period for a recount. She explained that the Commission will have to meet again to certify the results.

JUNE 25, 2020 9:30 a.m.

Present: Randolph County Commission President David Kesling and Commissioners Chris See and Mark Scott

Clerk Wiseman presented the Commission with the certification forms. (See attached)

Commissioner Scott moved to certify the election results of the June 9, 2020 Primary Election, as submitted.

All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Commissioner Scott moved to adjourn the meeting.

All yes – Motion passed unanimously

Attest: _____