

BLAIR COUNTY
2020 Board of Elections Minutes
Tuesday, May 12, 2020 2:30 p.m.,
Call-in meeting due to COVID-19

In Attendance: Commissioners Webster, Burke and Erb, County Admin Nicole Hemminger, Solicitor Nathan Karn, Director Sarah Seymour and Altoona Mirror Reporter Kay Stephens.

The meeting began at 2:31 p.m.

There was no public comment

The Board unanimously approval the minutes from November 7, 2019 Board of Election Meeting. It was noted that none of the current Board sat on the Board in November 2019.

The Board unanimously approved the minutes from the January 6, 2020 reorganization Board of Election meeting

Director Seymour provided an update on Absentee and Mail-in ballots. Currently, the Voter Registration office have processed 8,486 absentee / mail-in ballots. Our employees are working overtime and on weekends to process and mail ballots. The Voter Registration office has had 2 workers from other County departments helping to send out the ballots. We will also have an additional 2 workers from other County offices beginning 5/11/20 – for a total of 4.

The Board unanimously approved the following temporary move of polling places:

- Altoona 2-2 and Altoona 8-2:
From: The ARC of Blair County
To: Transformation Church - 1001 South 1st Street, Altoona
- Altoona 4-1:
From: Altoona Area High School Auditorium
To: Altoona Area Junior High, 1400 7th Avenue, Altoona
- Altoona 14-1:
From: Woodrow Wilsons Gardens
To: Alliance Church or Transformation Church
- Hollidaysburg Ward 5:
From: The Lutheran Home at Hollidaysburg
To: Hollidaysburg Junior High, 1000 Hewit Street, Holbg
- Hollidaysburg Ward 7:
From: Blair Regional YMCA (if the Y has day care
To: Hollidaysburg Junior High, 1000 Hewit Street, Holbg
- North Woodbury Township:
From: Homewood Nursing Home
To: Valley Rural Electric Co-Op, 2585 Cove Mountain Road, Martsb

- Tyrone Ward 5:
From: Epworth Manor
To: Church of the Good Shepherd, 1650 Clay Avenue, Tyrone
- Altoona 2-1 – MDJ, 615 4th Street, Altoona
Double up with 10-1, Bethany Lutheran Church, 200-04 3rd Ave, Altoona
- Altoona 6-4 – Jaggard United Methodist Church, 1801 Pleasant Valley Blvd
Doubled up with 6-3, Altoona Bible Church, 3017 Union Ave, Altoona
- Altoona 8-2 – ARC of Blair County
Doubled up with Altoona 2-2 at the Transformation Church
- Altoona 12-4 – St. George Orthodox Church, 519 58th St., Altoona
Double up with Logan 5, Kittaning Trail Comm. Hall, Poland Ave & 58th St.
- Altoona 14-3 – St. George Orthodox Church, 519 58th St., Altoona
Double up Allegheny 4, Canan Fire Station, 751 Sugar Run Rd, Altoona
- Blair Twp 1 – Blair Twp Water & Sewer, 377 Cedarcrest Dr. Duncansville
Doubled up with Newry Boro – St. Pat's School, 731 Patrick Ln, Newry
- Frankstown District 4 – Frankstown Municipal Bldg, 2122 Frankstown Rd
Doubled up with Frankstown 5 – Geeseytown Vol, Fire Co 215 Mary St.
- Freedom Twp 1 – Blue Knob Valley Airport, 200 Airport Road, Duncav.
Doubled up with Freedom Twp 2 – Freedom Twp Vol. Fire Co.
139 Municipal Drive, East Freedom
- Roaring Spring 3 – Garver YMCA, 820 Grove Street, R.Spring
Doubled up with Roaring Spring 1 – Garver YMCA
- Tyrone Boro 2 – Epworth Manor, 951 Washington Avenue, Tyrone
Doubled up with Tyrone Boro 6, Church of Good Shepherd, 1650 Clay Ave.

The meeting adjourned at 3:01 p.m.