

M I N U T E S

MEETING OF THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

MONDAY, MAY 6, 2019, 5:00 P.M., IN CONFERENCE ROOM #1, FIRST FLOOR COURTHOUSE,
PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA 15219.

BOARD MEMBERS: HONORABLE THOMAS BAKER, CHAIR-present
HONORABLE KATHRYN M. HENS-GRECO, VICE CHAIR-present
HONORABLE ROBERT PALMOSINA, MEMBER-present

IN ATTENDANCE: JERRY TYSKIEWICZ – DIRECTOR, DEPT. OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES
DAVID VOYE – MANAGER, DIVISION OF ELECTIONS
ALLAN J. OPSITNICK - ASST. COUNTY SOLICITOR, LAW DEPT.

I. CALL TO ORDER – The meeting of the Allegheny County Board of Elections commenced at 5:00 PM. Meeting called to order by Chair Baker.

II. PUBLIC COMMENT-

Jill Diskin of Pittsburgh, 14th Ward, was presenting for Ron Bandes. Ms. Diskin presented a statement, included in the Minutes entitled “Public Comment for Board of Elections 2019/05/06”. There was no other public comment.

III.

Mr. Voyer discussed the May 21, 2019 Municipal Primary indicating that there were 2,900 absentee ballots applied for which he termed as a slow absentee response. Mr. Voyer further predicted turnout at 25% Democratic, 20% Republican and distributed sample absentee ballots to each member of the Board for their home district.

Mr. Voyer mentioned the air gap test and other security measures and further indicated that, as required by law, the County must announce that four private residences will be used on Election Day, all accessible. Those locations were as follows: Brentwood Borough, Pittsburgh 15th Ward, Pittsburgh 20th Ward Second District, Pittsburgh 31st Ward Second District.

IV. NEW BUSINESS

Mr. Opsitnick indicated that the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board would be Monday, June 10th at 10:00 AM for the primary purpose of certifying the results from the May 21, 2019 Primary Election.

V. ADJOURNMENT –Meeting adjourned at approximately 5:17 PM.