

Electoral Board Meeting May 5, 2020

The Chesapeake Electoral Board held an emergency board meeting via Zoom on Tuesday, May 5, 2020 at 9:00 A.M. Those in attendance were:

Elizabeth “Beth” Banks, Chairman;
Duane McNair, Vice Chairman;
David “Dave” Midkiff, Secretary;
Mary Lynn A. Pinkerman, General Registrar;

Agenda:

- Emergency Relocation of Polling Places for the May 19, 2020 General Election
- COVID-19 Safety precautions during election procedures

The meeting was called to order at 9:08 a.m.

Mary Lynn presented the facilities which will be unavailable for use during the May 19, 2020 General Election as polling places as well as the recommended relocations to the next closest polling place.

Precinct	Unavailable Facility & Address	Relocation & Address
0004-Churchland	New Creation UMC- Aldersgate (4320 Bruce Road)	Jackson Memorial Baptist Church (4316 Bruce Road)
0024- Oaklette	Oaklette United Methodist Church (520 Oaklette Drive)	Laurel Avenue Church of Christ (1126 Laurel Avenue)
0029- Tanglewood	Elizabeth River Baptist Church (601 Sparrow Road)	Sparrow Road Intermediate School (1605 Sparrow Road)
0043- Pleasant Crossing	Great Bridge United Methodist Church (201 Stadium Drive)	Great Bridge Middle School (441 Battlefield Blvd., S.)
0057- Cypress	Unity Renaissance Church (1120 Eden Way, North)	Greenbrier Library (1214 Volvo Parkway)
0052- Shipyard Road (if necessary)	Grassfield Baptist Church (1772 Cedar Road)	New Light Church (2418 Cedar Road)

David made a motion to approve the relocated polling places for the May 19, 2020 General Election, Duane seconded, none opposed.

There was discussion regarding signage, posting someone at the normal locations to redirect voters, and mailing postcards to all effected voters.

Duane made a motion to approve the mailing of postcards to all effected voters notifying them of the change in location for the May 19, 2020 General Election, David seconded, and none opposed.

The board discussed notifying candidates and party chairmen of the expectation of outside poll workers to adhere to the 6 foot social-distancing rule when interacting with voters on Election Day and that they would not be allowed to get results at the Registrar’s Office on election night as city

offices are closed to the public. The board agreed that the police would be notified if there were any problems complying.

The board discussed social distancing upon pick-up and return of supplies by the Officers of Election which should be limited to no more than three Chiefs entering the building at a one time.

The board will observe the 6-foot social distancing rule and wear masks at CANVASS.

Mary Lynn will get the information to the board to join in the conference call with the Emergency Management Team on Thursday mornings at 8:45 a.m.

David motioned to adjourn, Duane seconded.

Beth Banks adjourned the meeting at 9:41 a.m.

Elizabeth "Beth" Banks, Chairman;

Minutes submitted by Mary Lynn A. Pinkerman, General Registrar