

MINUTES OF  
CATAWBA COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS  
November 17, 2022

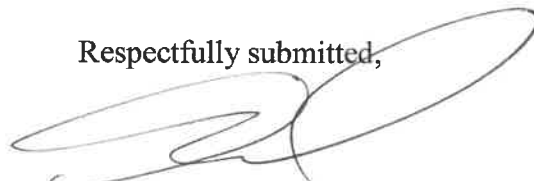
Board Chair Barry Cheney called the meeting to order at 8:15am. Member Culbreath-Setzer was not present. The minutes from the November 7 and November 8 meetings were unanimously approved.

The Board proceeded to review supplemental absentee ballots received by the deadline of Monday November 14. 218 Civilian, 4 Military and 5 Overseas were unanimously approved by the Board, then the ballots were fed into the tabulators.

Director Amanda Duncan presented the proposed provisional ballots for approval. 64 were recommended to be counted in full, 3 for partial count (where the wrong ballot style had been filled out by the voter) and 137 not to be accepted due to the voters not being registered to vote in Catawba County. One of the 64 for full counting is an empty envelope because the provisional ballot was mistakenly placed into the tabulator on election day. Another of the 64 came from a voter who attempted to vote one-stop, the ballot was rejected twice before being accepted by the machine the third time, which caused the voter to worry that the vote would not be counted. That voter filled out a provisional ballot and asked that the Board remove the voter's submitted ballot from the one-stop tabulator. The Board unanimously approved these recommendations.

There being no other items of business, Board Chair Cheney then adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'David W. Hood', is written over the text 'Respectfully submitted,'.

David W. Hood, Secretary