

**BURKE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS**  
**2128 SOUTH STERLING ST. SUITE 100 MORGANTON NC 28655**  
**TUESDAY JUNE 07, 2022**  
**REGULAR MEETING MINUTES**  
**BOE BOARD ROOM**

Attending: Chairman LH Kirksey, Sandi Walker, Linda Walker, Anthony Iovino, and Beverly Carlton    Staff; Director Debbie Mace    Guests; Leslie Kern

Chairman LH Kirksey called the meeting to order at 10:00 AM, led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a moment of silence.

Public comment; None

Anthony Iovino made a motion to amend the agenda to add the approval of closed session minutes from May 10, 2022 with the other minutes, add discussion on workshops for training the public on elections, and approve the agenda as amended. All approved.

Linda Waker made a motion to approve the minutes for May 10, 2022 regular/absentee meeting, May 10, 2022 closed session meeting, May 16, 2022 absentee meeting, May 17, 2022 absentee meeting, May 20, 2022 provisional/supplemental absentee meeting, and May 27, 2022 canvass meeting. All approved.

**Old Business:**

Board members signed the resolution to permanently combine the precincts approved in the May 27, 2022 meeting. This combines Lower Fork A & B to one precinct now named Lower Fork. Silver Creek 3 will be combined with Burkemont, now to be named Pilot Mountain.

Director Mace is waiting on the SBoE to send paperwork to finalize the submission to the SBoE.

**New Business:**

**FYI** Director Mace presented the ballot style for the July 26, 2022 Hickory Municipal Election. If needed, absentee meeting dates are: June 21, June 28, July 5, July 12 Reg./absentee, and July 19 at 10AM.

Early voting location will be the Burke County Board of Elections.

Discussion was held on possibility of workshops to educate voters on elections and ideas on sharing information with the public. No decisions were made. There will be further discussion at the next meeting.

Sandi Walker made a motion to adjourn at 11:10 AM. All approved.

Submitted by Sandi Walker, Secretary