



MONTGOMERY COUNTY **BOARD OF ELECTIONS**

John Adams, Chair
Teddi Benson, Secretary
Kelsey Brown, Member
Debbie Burris, Member
Dree Wynkoop, Member

BOARD MINUTES **Tuesday, June 9, 2026** **5:30PM**

The Montgomery Board of Elections (BOE) met for the regularly scheduled monthly meeting on June 9, 2026, at the Montgomery County Board of Elections office located at 327 N Main Street in Troy. Members Teddi Benson, Kelsey Brown, Debbie Burris, and Dree Wynkoop attended in person. Chair John Adams attended via online connection. BOE staff, Director Kimberly Walter and Deputy Director Donna Moore were present.

Secretary Teddi Benson called the meeting to order at 5:30PM.

The Board Meeting Agenda was presented. Member Wynkoop made a motion to approve the agenda. Member Burris seconded the motion. All were in favor. The agenda was approved.

The Board Meeting Minutes from May 12, 2026, were presented. Chair Adams made a motion to approve the minutes. Member Brown seconded the motion. All Members were in favor. The minutes were approved, signed and returned to BOE office staff to file and to post on the BOE website.

Director Walter read the Director's Report dated 6/9/2026 regarding activities initiated and/or completed since the last Board meeting. A copy of the Director's Report is attached.

Old Business

There was no old business

Public Comment

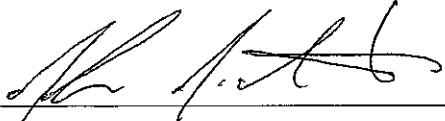
No one made any public comments at this meeting.

New Business

Candidate Filing

Director Walter announced that candidate filing for Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor began at noon on Monday, June 8, 2026, and will continue until 5PM on Monday, July 6, 2026. She also reported that candidate filing for the Municipal Elections for Town of Star and Town of Troy and for Handy Sanitary District will begin at 8AM on July 6, 2026, and end at noon on July 17, 2026.

With no further comments or business to discuss, Member Brown made a motion to adjourn. Member Wynkoop seconded. All were in favor. The meeting adjourned at 5:45PM.



Jeddi Benson

Dale C Brown

Greg J Wynkoop



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Director's Report

June 9, 2026

- I have been going through GIS Audits with a fine-tooth comb. Making updates where needed and I have received some detailed joint training with Bladen and Moore County Directors through a Teams meeting. Matthew Stone, our Field Support Specialist, will meet with me tomorrow here at the office to go over the District Relations Report, to ensure the changes that were seen and made are correct.
- I have been able to begin ADA inspections on the closest precinct locations.
- We are prepped and ready as Candidate Filing for Soil and Water began yesterday at noon.
- Registrations have been made for the Summer Conference on August 9-11.
- Our office was notified that voter registration mailings from the Voter Participation Center (VPC) and the Center for Voter Information (CVI) would be received by residents of our state on approximately June 5th. I have a copy of those mailings if you would like to review them. Montgomery County had 374 VPC mailings and 74 of the CVI mailings sent out by these organizations.
- Letters to voters with unvalidated DL & SSN will go out from the State at the end of August.
- Donna is continuing to research and work through each year of DHHS reports; making sure voters that are deceased have been removed correctly from the voter rolls.



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- On May 27th we received a phone call from a grandmother about an incomplete letter her granddaughter received from our office concerning updates needed to a registration we had received. The grandmother let me know that some of the information on the registration that was supposed to be her granddaughter's information was not accurate and the signature was not her granddaughter's. I requested to speak to the granddaughter, confirming this information was true and told her I would contact the state to find out the process to get this taken care of.
- Once the state was contacted, they instructed the next steps to get this fraudulent registration to them for investigation. The voter was contacted and came to the office to fill out the Voter Statement that was recommended by the state investigator and that form along with the fraudulent registration was sent to the Investigations Team on May 28th.
- The investigations team member let me know that these types of instances are becoming more widespread, so her top priority right now is voter registration fraud. There were no changes to this voter's record other than all documentation concerning this occurrence being scanned into her record.
- Today I received a Petition from the NC Forward Party. The Petition only had one signature and that voter is not registered in Montgomery County. I followed the required process in preparing the necessary documents. I just need John's signature when he returns to be able to mail those forms to the Forward Party's Chair.