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BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS MEETING

Minutes of November 16th, 2018

The meeting of the Cambridge Election Commission was called to order at 5 p.m. on November 16th at 51 Inman Street. Present were Commissioner Charles Marquardt, Commissioner Victoria Harris, Commissioner Larry Ward, Commissioner King, Executive Director Tanya Ford, Assistant Director Lesley Waxman, and members of the staff. Members of the Public included Gary Mello and Matthew Doherty.

I: MINUTES

The Minutes of November 6th, 2018 were reviewed and accepted with corrections.

Motion: To approve the Minutes of November 6th, 2018 with corrections.

Moved: Commissioner Marquardt

Seconded: Commissioner Harris

The Motion passed: 4-0

II: REPORTS

Executive Director's Report -

- A. Ms. Ford reported on a Home Rule Petition entitled "An Act Authorizing The City of Cambridge to offer Early Voting in Municipal Elections," which was adopted on October 29th. (R2)
- B. Ms. Ford reported on meeting of the City Council's Government Operations, Rules and Claims Committee regarding the publicly Financed Municipal Election Program and the Cambridge Municipal People's Pledge Program (R3)
- C. State Election, Tuesday, November 6th, 2018

Request to dispose of unvoted ballots from the November 6th, 2018 State Election.

Motion: To dispose of unvoted ballots from the November 6th, 2018 State Election

Moved: Commissioner Marquardt

Seconded: Commissioner Harris

The Motion passed: 4-0

Assistant Director's Report

None

Commissioner Reports

Commissioners Marquardt and Harris attended the City Council Government Operations committee meeting on November 14th.

III: PUBLIC COMMENT

Mr. Mello submitted a Springfield Election Returns document

IV: ACTION AGENDA

Old Business

2018 State Election, Tuesday, November 6th

Election Commission Provisional Ballot Count 11/16/18

Ward	Pct.	Ballots	Reason	Vote	Moved/2nd
5	1	0			Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
5	2	0			Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
8	3	0			Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
10	3	0			Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
11	3	0			Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
3	2-A	0			Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
1	1	1	Too late	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
1	1	2	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
1	1	3	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
1	2	1	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
1	3	1	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
1	3	2	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
1	3	3	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
2	1	1	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
2	2	1	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
2	3	1	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
2	3	2	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
2	3	3	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King

2	3	4	Spoiled		Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
3	1	1	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
3	2	1	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
3	2	2	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
3	2	3	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
3	2	4	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
3	2	5	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
3	3	1	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
3	3	2	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
3	3	3	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
4	1	1	Spoiled		Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
4	1	2	Spoiled		
4	1	3	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
4	2	1	Voted counted on election day		Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
4	2	2	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
4	3	1	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
5	3	1	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
5	3	2	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
5	3	3	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
5	3	4	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
5	3	5	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
5	3	6	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
6	1	1	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
6	2	1	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
6	2	2	Spoiled		Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
6	2	3	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King

6	2	4	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
6	2	5	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
6	3	1	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
6	3	2	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
6	3	3	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
7	1	1	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
7	1	2	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
7	1	3	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
7	1	4	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
7	1	5	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
7	2	1	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
7	3	1	Count vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
7	3	EV 1	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
8	1	1	Count Vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
8	1	2	Count Vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
8	2	EV1	Count Vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
8	2	EV2	Count Vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
9	1	1	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
9	2	1	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
9	2	2	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
9	2	3	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
9	2	4	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
9	2	5	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
9	3	1	Count Vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
9	3	2	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
9	3	3	Count Vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt

					Commissioner King
10	1	1	Count Vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
10	2	1	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
10	2	2	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
10	2	3	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
10	2	4	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
11	1	1	Count Vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
11	2	1	Count Vote	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
11	2	2	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King
11	2	3	Not Registered	4-0	Commissioner Marquardt Commissioner King

Election Commission Overseas Ballot Count 11/16/18

Motion: To accept and count all overseas ballots except for one in 10-2 that did not have a postmark.
 Moved: Commissioner Marquardt
 Seconded: Commissioner King

Ward	Pct.	Accepted	Rejected
1	1	2	
2	1	1	
3	1	6	
4	1	1	
4	2	4	
5	1	1	
5	3	1	
6	2	1	
6	3	2	
7	1	3	
7	2	1	
7	3	1	
8	2	3	
8	3	2	
9	1	1	
9	2	2	
10	1	1	
10	2	6	1
10	3	2	
11	3	1	

New Business

Next meeting will be Friday, November 28th, at 5:30 p.m. at 51 Inman Street.

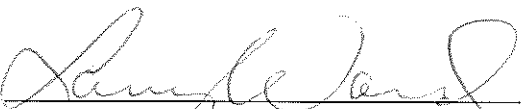
Motion: To accept the official results of the November 6th, 2018 State Election
Moved: Commissioner Marquardt
Seconded: Commissioner Harris
The Motion passed: 4-0

Motion: The commissioners go on record thanking the entire elections staff for their diligent and hard work during the 2018 elections.

Motion: The commissioners go on record sending their heartfelt thanks and gratitude to Nancy Cotto-Morales and Catiria Cotto-Morales and for their exemplary tallying efforts during the 2018 election.

Motion: To adjourn the meeting at 6:25 p.m.
Moved: Commissioner Marquardt
Seconded: Commissioner King
The Motion passed: 4-0

A True Record

Attested by: 
Larry W. Ward, Secretary