



# CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

## BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS

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### COMMISSIONERS

Ethridge A. King, Jr.

Larry W. Ward

Charles J. Marquardt

Thomas J. Stohlman, Jr.

### EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Tanya L. Ford

### ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

Lesley A. Waxman

## BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS MEETING

### Minutes of October 21, 2025

The meeting was called to order at 2:02 pm October 21, 2025, via Zoom. Present were Commissioner King, Commissioner Ward, Commissioner Stohlman, Executive Director Ford, and Assistant Director Waxman. Commissioner Marquardt was late arriving.

### **Roll Call**

Commissioner Ward – Present

Commissioner Stohlman – Present

Commissioner King – Present

Commissioner Marquardt – Absent

Commissioner Marquardt joined the meeting at 2:06 pm.

### **I. PUBLIC COMMENT**

Gary Mello provided comment regarding the reappointment of Commissioner Marquardt.

#### **Motion: To close Public Comment**

Moved by Commissioner Ward

Seconded by Commissioner King

Commissioner Ward – Yes

Commissioner Stohlman – Yes

Commissioner King – Yes

Commissioner Marquardt – Yes

Passed 4-0

## **II: MINUTES**

**Motion: To approve the minutes of October 15, 2025 with corrections.**

Moved by Commissioner Stohlman

Seconded by Commissioner King

Commissioner Ward – Yes

Commissioner Stohlman – Yes

Commissioner King – Yes

Commissioner Marquardt – Yes

Passed 4-0

## **III. Reports**

### **1. Executive Director's Report**

- No Report, will discuss under Old Business

### **Assistant Director's Report**

- No Report, will discuss under Old Business

### **Commissioners' Reports**

- Commissioner Stohlman reported that he had signed up residents at his DHCF sites for absentee ballots.
- Commissioner Stohlman reported that he had visited CRLS and registered and preregistered students.
- Commissioner King reported that he recorded 4 PSAs for the municipal election on Monday.

## **IV. Action Agenda**

### **Old Business**

Advanced processing will be Wednesday October 29<sup>th</sup> through Friday October 31<sup>st</sup> at the City Hall Annex, 344 Broadway starting at 9:00 am.

Commissioners reviewed the schedule for the week prior to the election with some changes made to accommodate scheduling conflicts.

There was discussion of whether to set up the election night meet for remote viewing.

Commissioner Stohlman suggested using the Owl device to provide for a better viewing experience. In light of the time remaining until the election it was determined to table this idea for after the election. The election night meeting will be available on Zoom.

### **New Business**

Next meeting will be October 28, 2025, at 2:00 pm on Zoom.

**Motion: To adjourn at 2:35 pm**

Moved by Commissioner Ward  
Seconded by Commissioner King

Commissioner Ward – Yes  
Commissioner Stohlman – Yes  
Commissioner King – Yes  
Commissioner Marquardt – Yes

Passed 4-0

A True Record

Attested by:   
Charles Marquardt, Secretary