

McIntosh County Board of Elections and Registration

Board Meeting

August 25, 2025

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: Mary Fly, Chair, called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM.

INVOCATION/PLEDGE of ALLEGIANCE

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Mary Fly – CHAIR, Rhoda Stachur – SECRETARY, Toniae Thomas, George Trextler, and Robert Mucha. Doll Gale – ELECTION SUPERVISOR and Jason Nix – ATTORNEY. Mrs. Fly recognized that there was a quorum.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: None

REPORTS:

SUPERVISOR: Currently working on building the November ballot. There are two City Council seats up for election in the Nov. 4 General Election. For the South Ward, Russ Quarterman is running unopposed. North Ward has three candidates, Mayor Pro Temp Griffith Lotson, Kevin Brown and Lori Patricia Daughtry. Also, on the ballot will be a TSPLOST and the Public Service Commissioner. The State sent roughly 500 names of people to be moved from inactive status to a canceled status on the voter registration rolls due to Georgia Code 21-2-234 and Georgia Code 21-2-235. This is the result of a voter who has not had any contact with the election officials and has not voted in two consecutive federal general elections can be moved from inactive to canceled registration.

ATTORNEY: No update on the Sapelo Island case. Suggested the Board go into executive session. Chair Mrs. Fly made the motion to go into executive session, Ms. Stachur 2nd. Motion carried. Board went into executive session at 6:17pm. Motion to return to public meeting made by Ms. Thomas, Mr. Trexler 2nd, motion carried. The Board returned to public meeting at 6:37pm.

ADDITIONS to and APPROVAL of AGENDA: Ms. Thomas made a motion to approve the agenda without additions. Mr. Trexler seconded the motion. Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Ms. Thomas made a motion to approve July 7, 2025, minutes. Mr. Trexler seconded the motion. Motion carried with Mr. Mucha abstained.

Old Business: none

New Business:

1. Develop policy regarding dangerous activity, i.e. active shooter
2. Develop policy regarding inclement weather

Ms. Gale has contacted other coastal communities to get a copy of their policies regarding the above-mentioned. Board members discussed multiple scenarios that could arise that might possibly disrupt the election process at precincts. Policies and training to be developed for all election workers. Motion made by Ms. Thomas to table any more discussion on the matter until the next meeting. Mr. Trexler 2nd motion carried.

Mr. Trexler proposed the Board meet at 4:00pm going forward. All members agreed.

Next Board Meeting: September 8, 2025, at 4:00 PM at the Board of Elections and Registration office.

MOTION TO ADJOURN Made by Ms. Thomas and seconded by Ms. Stachur. Motion carried.

Meeting Adjourned at 6:13 PM

Mary Fly, Chair

Rhoda Stachur, Secretary