

**PRINCE EDWARD COUNTY
ELECTORAL BOARD**

P.O. Box J
Farmville, Virginia 23901

CANVASS MINUTES

DATE: **April 22, 2026**

PURPOSE: **Electoral Board Business Meeting**

PRESENT:

Members: David Stockment, Chairman, Helen Pearson, Vice Chair, and Secretary Gwendolyn Akers-Booker; General Registrar Lynette Wright and Caitlin Childers, Deputy Registrar

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: N/A

The Prince Edward County Electoral Board meeting was held in the Registrar's office on Wednesday, April 22, 2026 to begin the Canvass of results on Election Day, Tuesday, April 21, 2026. All members were present. The Chairman, David Stockment, called the meeting to order at 10:00 am. Upon a motion made by Gwen Akers-Booker and seconded by David Stockment, permission was granted for Envelope 1A to be opened to make copies so that verification of applications could be reviewed in VERIS by the Assistant Deputy Registrar. Next, the provisional ballots were discussed first, and the Canvass was processed and recessed by 1:15 pm. At that time, the Chair asked the board to recess and reconvene on Friday, April 24th, at 2:00 pm to continue canvassing and review the post-mail-in ballots. With no further to do, the meeting adjourned at 1:15 pm.

Friday, April 24, 2026

The Prince Edward County Electoral Board meeting was held in the Registrar's Office on Friday, April 24th at 2:00 pm. David Stockment, Chairman, asked that we go into Closed Session at 2:01 pm pursuant to the Code of Virginia 2.2-3711 (Business Matter), upon motion carried made by Stockment and seconded by Helen Person, all in favor by the usual sign of voting. With no further discussion on the matter at hand, it was motioned by Helen Person and Gwen Akers-Booker to come out of closed session, and all were in favor and returned to the regular scheduled meeting at 2:45 pm. The General Registrar informed us that the staff were able to enter all voter applications that were received during Election Day in the VERIS System. The entries of these applications were needed as soon as possible so that the State Department of Elections would be able to check for duplicates. Until this process is done, we will not be able to get a printout until after all localities have their applications entered. The General Registrar informed us that as soon as she was able to secure the duplicate listing, we would be contacted. The Chair asked that we recess and reconvene on Monday, April 27th at 10:00 am. Meeting adjourned at 5:45 pm.

Monday, April 27, 2026

The Prince Edward County Electoral Board meeting was held in the Registrar's Office and was called to order at 10:00 am. We were able to accurately report that all totals were processed as called in by each locality. Upon finalization of all counts along with proper documentation of envelopes regarding all ballots, etc, the Electoral Board Meeting adjourned at 1:30 pm with final deliveries to the Clerk of Circuit Court. The Chairman of the Electoral Board was able to sign the statements indicating that information was delivered to the Clerk's Office as required. To review the results, you may access this information by logging on to www.elections.virginia.gov for the 2026 Special Election Results.

With no further to do, the Electoral Board Members requested that the meeting be adjourned at 1:30 pm.

Gwendolyn S. Akers-Booker

Electoral Board Secretary, Gwendolyn Akers-Booker