

**ELECTION BOARD MINUTES
OCTOBER 15, 2025**

Those present at the public meeting of the Venango County Commissioners held in Room 100 of the Courthouse Annex:

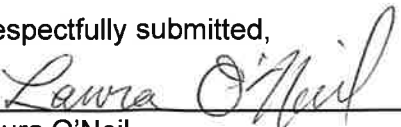
Commissioner Samuel Breene
Commissioner Kenneth J. Bryan
Commissioner Albert "Chip" Abramovic
Dorothy "Dottie" Tawney, Chief Clerk
Laura O'Neil, Admin. Assistant
Rich Winkler, Solicitor
Jeannie Ritchey, Treasurer
Diona Brick, Fiscal

Amie Wood-Wessell, Human Services
Laura Anna, Elections
Joshua Sterling, Planning
Justin Wolfe, Human Resources
Douglas Strawn, Pastor
Kara O'Neil, The Derrick
Donna Fletcher, Concerned Citizen
Diane Gramley, Concerned Citizen

Pastor Doug Strawn, Canal Wesleyan Methodist Church, said the invocation before the meeting. All rose and said the Pledge of Allegiance.

1. Commissioner Breene called the meeting to order at 3:03 p.m.
2. Commissioner Bryan made a motion to approve the minutes from the September 9, 2025 meeting, seconded by Commissioner Abramovic, aye all.
3. There was no public comment on the Election Board Agenda.
4. Election Board Items for Consideration: Election Updates
 - a. Ballots began being mailed October 6.
 - b. Oct. 20 is the last day to register to vote or make changes before the election
 - c. Oct. 28 is the last day to request a mail-in or absentee ballot
 - d. The public testing of election equipment will be held in Room 100 of the Courthouse Annex at 9 a.m. Oct. 31; anyone is invited to attend
 - e. Poll workers are being trained; a few more poll workers are still needed
 - f. There are 32,804 registered voters in Venango County
 - g. There have been about 3,000 mail-in ballots mailed, and about 500 returned
5. There was no other business.
6. Public Comment: Diane Gramley gave a statement on concerns regarding the referendum question for the library tax.
7. The meeting adjourned at 3:13 p.m. upon a motion by Commissioner Abramovic, and seconded by Commissioner Bryan, aye all.

Respectfully submitted,

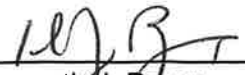


Laura O'Neil
Administrative Assistant

Reviewed by:



Samuel H. Breene



Kenneth J. Bryan



Albert A. Abramovic