

ELECTION BOARD MINUTES

May 12, 2026

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 Timothy Heffernan
Dorothy "Dottie" Tawney, Chief Clerk
Laura O'Neil, Admin. Assistant
Rich Winkler, Solicitor
Diona Brick, Fiscal
Laura Anna, Elections
Justin Wolfe, HR
Isaac Hastings, Court Supervision

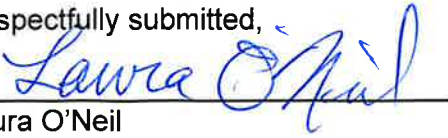
Joshua Sterling, Planning
Amie Wood-Wessell, HS
Kara Kauffman, Park
Michael Anderson, Fiscal
Helen Fielding, The Derrick
Kelsi Boyles, Remake Learning Days
Delea Motter, Remake Learning Days
Christie, Remake Learning Days
Randy Stachelrodt, Remake Learning Days

Commissioner Sam Breene said the invocation before the meeting.

All rose and said the Pledge of Allegiance.

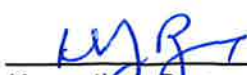
1. Commissioner Bryan called the meeting to order at 4:33 p.m.
2. Commissioner Heffernan made a motion to approve the minutes from the April 14, 2026 meeting, seconded by Commissioner Bryan, aye all.
3. There was no public comment on the Election Board Agenda.
4. Election Board Items for Consideration: Election Updates
 - a. Voter Registration Statistics
 - b. 2495 mail-in/absentee ballots have been requested, and 1395 returned so far
 - c. Today is the deadline to request a mail-in/absentee ballot for the primary
 - d. The primary election is 5/19/26
 - e. Mail-in/absentee ballots must be returned no later than 8 p.m. on 5/19/26
5. There was no other business.
6. Public Comment: Commissioner Bryan said that Election Director, Laura Anna, does an excellent job and we run free and fair elections in Venango County.
7. The meeting adjourned at 4:35 p.m. upon a motion by Commissioner Heffernan, and seconded by Commissioner Bryan, aye all.

Respectfully submitted,


Laura O'Neil
Administrative Assistant

Reviewed by:


Vince Witherup, Election Board


Kenneth J. Bryan

Timothy M. Heffernan