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WYANDANCH UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION MINUTES OF THE
ANNUAL DISTRICT MEETING
2016 BUDGET VOTE & SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION
HELD ON TUESDAY, MAY 17, 2016
CENTRAL ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
1445 DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., BOULEVARD
WYANDANCH, NEW YORK 11798

Stephanie Howard, District Clerk, arrived at 6:20 AM. Rutha Bush, Chairperson, and Juanita Jones, Chief Inspector, arrived at 6:05 AM. Joseph Hagelmann, the custodian from Suffolk County Board of Elections, arrived at 6:00 AM. Mr. Hagelmann opened Voting Machine #2 (#T1049) at 6:09 AM, under the observation of the Chairperson and the Chief Inspector. Poll Inspectors and Chairperson arrived by 6:15 AM. Poll inspectors present: Sadie Badon, Eileen Watson, Lucinda Pierre, Virginia Dawson-Taylor, Vernell Garrett, Carrie King, Erskine Trotman, Florence Collins and Stephanie Williams. Lisa Hutchinson, Esq., General Counsel, arrived at 6:25 AM. District Clerk advised custodian that he was to wait until the District Clerk and School Attorney were present before opening machines. At 6:30 AM, Mr. Hagelmann continued with unlocking Voting Machine #1 (#B287), observed by Chairperson, Chief Inspector, General Counsel, District Clerk, poll inspectors and Trustee James Crawford. The Certification Tape verified that all candidate vote totals were at zero. The custodian verified, with all observing, that the basket within the voting machines were empty, and the voting machines were sealed. The Protective counter for Voting Machine #1 was 678 and for Voting Machine #2 was 2478.

At 6:40 AM, the District Clerk administered the oath of office to the poll inspectors and the Chairperson.

The polls were declared open by Chairperson Bush at 7:00 AM sharp.

Voting continued throughout the day with some incidents: at 11:30 AM, District Clerk checked placement of distance marker signs and saw they were not in the proper location. She accompanied Poll Inspector Trotman to place them in their proper location. Poll Inspector King was excused for ½ hour to get her medication.

Voting continued throughout the day without further incident.

Rutha Bush, Chairperson, declared the polls closed at 9:00 PM. There were two people remaining to vote.

At 9:05 PM the doors were opened for the candidates and poll watchers. Voting results from Machine #1 were announced by Chairperson Bush at 9:10 PM. Voting results from Machine #2 were announced by Chairperson, with the assistance of the District Clerk, at 9:14 PM. Absentee ballots were opened, read and counted by the Chief Inspector at 9:20 PM, with the District Clerk and the Attorney confirming the tabulation. Ballot boxes were emptied by the custodian and observed by the Chairperson, Chief Inspector, Attorney and District Clerk. Ballots, closing voting machine tapes, memory cards and seals were turned over to the District Clerk by the custodian.

At 9:20 p.m., the Chairperson with District Clerk declared the following results:

Proposition #1 (2016-2017 Budget) was carried.

<u>Vote</u>	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>
<u>TOTALS</u>	201	70

Trustee elected to fill the vacancy of James Crawford, 3-year term ending June 30, 2019:

James Crawford, Incumbent	with	146 votes
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Other Candidates

Cerina Flippen	with	18 votes
Celia Bryan-Spencer	with	15 votes
Keasha S. Guerrier, MD	with	116 votes

Trustee elected to fill the vacancy of Yvonne Holder-Robinson, 3-year term ending June 30, 2019:

Yvonne Holder-Robinson, Incumbent	with	141 votes
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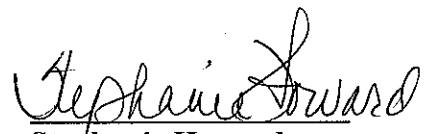
Other Candidates

Grace Johnson	with	35 votes
Barry Sexton	with	123 votes

The Annual District Meeting was adjourned at 9:25 PM.

Minutes Recorded and
Transcribed
By District Clerk

Date of Meeting: Tuesday, May 17, 2016
ANNUAL DISTRICT MEETING


Stephanie Howard