



MINUTES

Cumberland County Board of Elections Meeting

October 30, 2025 at 9:30 a.m.
Commissioners Hearing Room
Courthouse, Carlisle, PA

Phone (717) 240-6150 Website: www.cumberlandcountypa.gov

Present: Commissioners Kelly Neiderer and Gary Eichelberger.

Present Via Zoom: Commissioner Jean Foschi.

Staff Present: Jennifer Hipp, Assistant Solicitor; Desirée Diaz-Ortiz, Executive Assistant; Bethany Salzarulo, Elections; Mark Adams, Mike Carver, IMTO; Ben Burner, Communications.

Staff Present Via Zoom: Stacy M. Snyder, Chief Clerk; Samantha Krepps, Communications.

Others Present: Sam Milkes, Democratic Party.

Media Present: Charlie Thompson, PennLive.

Call to Order: Commissioner Neiderer called the meeting to order.

Roll Call: Commissioners Neiderer, Foschi, and Eichelberger were present.

Public Comment: None.

Approval of Minutes: Commissioner Eichelberger made a motion to approve the minutes of October 1, 2025. Commissioner Neiderer seconded the motion and it unanimously carried.

Discussion and Approval of the Pool of Poll Workers: Bethany Salzarulo presented the Pool of Poll Workers who are willing and to go to any precinct on Election Day to cover last minute vacancies.

Commissioner Foschi made a motion to approve the Pool of Poll Workers. Commissioner Eichelberger seconded the motion and it unanimously carried.

Director Updates: Bethany reported that they mailed out 24,332 mail-in and absentee ballots, of which 13,745 are Democrat, 7,782 are Republican, and 2,805 are registered as other. She reported that 16,740 ballots have been returned of which 9,586 are Democrats, 5,496 are Republicans and 1,658 are registered as other.

Bethany reminded everyone that there will be extra ballot drop off hours on Saturday, November 1, 2025, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Elections office. On election day, voters have from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. to drop off their ballots.

Bethany reported the total number of registered voters in Cumberland County is 180,964 with a breakdown as follows: 60,273 Democratic voters, 88,494 Republican voters, and 32,197 other parties.

Request for Executive Session Re: Security: Commissioner Neiderer reported that an executive session regarding security will be held immediately following the meeting.

Other Business: None.

Adjourn: There being no further business to come before the board, Commissioner Eichelberger made a motion to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,
Desirée Diaz-Ortiz, Executive Assistant