

**POST-ELECTION MEETING OF THE
DELAWARE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS
November 21, 2023**

Present:

Ashley Lunkenheimer, Chair, Delaware County Board of Elections
John P. McBlain, Member, Delaware County Board of Elections
Scott Alberts, Member, Delaware County Board of Elections
Jim Allen, Director of Elections
Nick Centrella, Solicitor
Crystal Winterbottom, Voter Registration
Public Comment:
Caris Coker, Glen Mills
Cathy Buckley, Edgmont Twp.
Christine Reuther
Joy Schwartz, Drexel Hill

Ms. Lunkenheimer called the meeting to order.

Pledge of Allegiance

Mr. Allen reviewed the action and non-action items on the agenda.

Public Comment was received on various election-related topics.

Director of Elections Report. Mr. Allen thanked various people who worked and helped with the election, from staff to poll workers to staff members from other Delaware County departments. Mr. Allen spoke on the return board. Mr. Allen stated that poll worker paychecks were scheduled to begin being mailed the following week. The board responded with thanks to the work of the staff and the poll workers.

Ms. Lunkenheimer stated an executive session was held and then asked Mr. Centrella to state which contests from the Nov. 7, 2023 Municipal Election could or could not be certified.

Certification of Results of the November 7, 2023 Municipal Election. Mr. Allen requested a motion be made to certify all of the results from the November 7, 2023 Municipal Election with the exceptions of two contests in Bethel Township for Supervisor (6-year term) and Supervisor (2-year term), in Edgmont Township for Supervisor (6-year term) and for the four Borough Council members in Glenolden Borough (4-year term). Mr. McBlain made the motion as presented to certify all results with the exception of listed contests. Discussion ensued. Mr. Alberts seconded the motion as presented. Mr. Allen requested an amendment for the successful write-in candidacies of Shawn Sheehan and Vaughn Johnson for Rutledge Borough Council and for the tie between Prospect Park Constable write-in candidates who each received two votes and to conduct a casting of lots to determine which might serve in that capacity. Motion passed 3-0.

Board signed results.

Mr. Allen answered the question of when a written return board report is required.

Next meeting date was discussed and is tentatively scheduled for a date following the recounts that are expected to be conducted the week of Nov. 27, 2023.

Meeting Adjourned.