SUMMARY OF SUBJECTS ACTED ON AT THE APRIL 8, 2019 REGULAR BOARD MEETING OF THE NEWTON COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS AND REGISTRATION

Members present:
   Hugh Steele
   Kelly Robinson
   Dustin Thompson

Members Absent:

Motion passed to approve the Minutes from the March 11, 2019 Regular Board meeting as written.

Motion passed to forward Intergovernmental Agreement to the City of Covington.

Motion passed to remove the challenged deceased voters from the electors list.
NEWTON COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS AND VOTER REGISTRATION
DATE: APRIL 8, 2019

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Hugh Steele called the meeting to order at 4:01 p.m.

Members present were Chairman Hugh Steele, Dustin Thompson, Kelly Robinson, and Angela Mantle, Director.

RECOGNITION OF GUESTS

None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Mr. Thompson made a motion to approve the Minutes of the March 11, 2019 Regular meeting as written. Ms. Robinson seconded the motion and the motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Ms. Mantle reviewed with the Board the change made to the Intergovernmental Agreement. Ms. Robinson made a motion to forward the agreement to the City of Covington. Mr. Thompson seconded the motion and the motion passed.

Chairman Steele inquired about how Family Fun Day went and the turnout. Ms. Mantle said that the day went well and the booth was visited by many; however, only three people registered to vote that day.

Chairman Steele wanted to follow up on the open records request received by the office. Ms. Mantle explained that responses were made to the requests. Ms. Mantle updated the Board on the status of the subpoena regarding the Common Cause Georgia lawsuit against the Secretary of State’s office.

Ms. Robinson informed the Board that she is still researching a matter and would present her findings at the next month’s meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

Mr. Thompson made a motion to remove the challenged deceased voters from the electors list. Ms. Robinson seconded the motion and the motion passed.

SUPERVISOR’S REPORT

The Board was provided with a copy of the monthly status report showing the number of Active and Inactive voters as of April 1, 2019: Active – 72,906 and Inactive – 4,368.
The Board was also provided with a copy of a monthly report showing the breakdown of 2,057 voter registration applications received for the month of March 2019. The office processed 289 transferred out-of-county voters and 66 cancellations.

The Board was provided with a copy of the budget comparison statement as of April 1, 2019.

Ms. Mantle told the Board that the conference was good and that HB316 had been signed by Governor Kemp. Ms. Mantle explained some of the changes to the law with the passage of HB316. Ms. Mantle also advised the Board of the change to the voting equipment and would provide updated information when received from the State.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Chairman Steele asked if anyone had any other business to discuss before adjourning the meeting. Mr. Thompson made a motion to adjourn. Ms. Robinson seconded the motion. The motion passed and the meeting was adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

Minutes Prepared by: Angela Mantle, Director

Minutes Approved By: [Signature]  
Date: May 13, 2019