

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL CALLED MEETING
OF THE BEN HILL COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
HELD ON FEBRUARY 20, 2023 AT 11:45 AM IN THE
BEN HILL COUNTY COURTHOUSE ANNEX

Those present for the meeting were as follow:

Steve Taylor	Chairman
Hope Harmon	Vice-Chair
Daniel Cowan	Commissioners
John Mooney	Commissioner
Michael Dinnerman	County Manager
Donna R. Prather	County Clerk

Commissioner Bennie Calloway was absent.

Chairman Steve Taylor called the meeting to order.

Board of Elections & Registrars Appointment Process Amendment Resolution

County Manager Michael Dinnerman stated the purpose of this Resolution is to introduce legislation to remove political parties from making appointments to the Board of Election and Registration. The Constitution states to serve on boards, it takes an elected official to make the appointment.

Chairman Steve Taylor stated we are changing the way we are appointing members to the Board of Election and Registration.

Chairman Steve Taylor stated it has been determined it would be in the best interests of Ben Hill County and its citizens that the legislation designating the appointment procedures for the Board of Elections and Registration be amended.

Vice-Chair Hope Harmon made a motion to approve the Board of Elections & Registrars Appointment Process Amendment Resolution. Commissioner John Mooney seconded the motion; which passed with Vice-Chair Hope Harmon, Commissioner John Mooney, Commissioner Daniel Cowan, and Chairman Steve Taylor all voting for the motion.

The meeting was adjourned.

Steve Taylor, Chairman

Donna R. Prather, County Clerk