

Friday July 19, 2013

The Graham County Board of Elections met for a special meeting on Friday July 19, 2013 at 5:00 at the Graham County Board of Elections office located at 18 Court Street Robbinsville NC. Present were Chairman Ditmore, Secretary Crisp, Member Colvard and Director Garland.

1. Chairman Ditmore called the meeting to order and asked for a motion to approve or amend the agenda as written. Secretary Colvard made a motion to amend the agenda by adding #3 as discussion of extension of filing period. Chairman Ditmore made a second to the motion. Vote was unanimous.
2. Member Colvard made a motion to certify each candidate; Secretary Crisp made a second to the motion. Vote was unanimous.
3. Director Garland told the board that Guy Owen from Lake Santeetlah came to office at 1:00 pm on Friday July 19, 2013 and wanted to file for council member at Lake Santeetlah. Director Garland told Mr. Owen that filing was closed but he insisted that he wanted his name on the ballot. Deputy Dalrymple Called Don Wright, General Counsel for the SBE, he asked to be put on speaker phone and he told Mr. Owen that Filing was closed. He told Mr. Owen that the Graham County Board of Elections members has the option to extend filing. Mr. Owen stated that he wanted the filing extended and Mr. Wright said it was ultimately up to the board. Director Garland asked the board about extending the filing. Member Colvard made a motion not to extend the filing and Secretary Crisp made a second to the motion Vote was unanimous. Secretary Crisp made a motion to adjourn the meeting; Member Colvard made a second to the motion. Vote was unanimous.

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Billy Ditmore, Chairman

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Lowell Crisp, Secretary

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Juanita Colvard, Member