

ALABAMA VOTER REGISTRATION ADVISORY BOARD NOTES

-Meeting Minutes-

October 21, 2025

2:00 PM

600 Dexter Ave., Montgomery, AL 36104

Members present were Chairman John Lackey, Dr. Benjamin Jones, Kristie Pinyan, Eugenia Stone, and Adonis B. Whitlow. Absent members were Leigh Reed, James Taylor, and Debbie Page. Candace Payne, Supervisor of Voter Registration was present to represent the Secretary of State's Office.

Call to Order/Roll Call/Acknowledgement of Quorum/Review of Minutes from 7/29/2025

Chairman John Lackey welcomed everyone and called the meeting to order. Member Dr. Benjamin Jones led the invocation and Chairman Lackey led the Pledge of Allegiance. Chairman Lackey acknowledged the attendance of five members and affirmed that a quorum was present. Chairman Lackey acknowledged the notification of the meeting on Open Meetings was posted two weeks in advance. The minutes from the July 29, 2025 meeting were approved.

Old Business

No old business to address.

New Business

Member Eugenia Stone recommended Elections Systems & Software give County Boards of Registrars an option to choose "Health Department" in the voter registration system as a source of voter registration.

There were also recommendations for the Photo Voter ID application to be updated. Members gave ideas for the Secretary of State's office to consider.

Updates

Candace Payne discussed the September 2025 Monthly Voter Registration Statistics. She also let the board know that 2026 Voter Guides will be available soon and 2026 Photo Voter ID Guides are now available.

Next Meeting Date

The next meeting is set for Tuesday, January 13, 2026 at 2:00 PM in the Archives Regions Room.

Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Member Adonis B. Whitlow, seconded by Dr. Benjamin Jones; approved by all board members.

Meeting Adjourned at 3:26 PM