

BLAIR COUNTY
2023 Board of Elections Minutes
Monday, October 16, 2023 10:00 a.m.,

In Attendance:

Commissioner Bruce Erb, Board Member Donna Fisher and DeAnna Heichel and Election Director Sarah Seymour.

Public Members present: Kay Stephens, Altoona Mirror.

Commissioner Erb called the meeting to order at 10:04am.

There was no public comment.

Board Secretary Donna Fisher motioned for the approval of the minutes from March 28, 2023 board meeting – seconded by Chair Commissioner Erb – motion carried unanimously.

Director Seymour requested the approval of the following polling place changes for the November 7, 2023 Municipal Election:

- **Altoona 2nd Ward, Precinct 2**
 - From: ARC of Blair County, 431 Jackson Avenue, Altoona
 - To: Altoona School District Field House, 1415 6th Avenue, Altoona

- **Hollidaysburg Ward 5**
 - From: Blair Regional YMCA, 1111 Hewitt Street, Hollidaysburg
 - To: Hollidaysburg Area Junior High, Auditorium Doors, 1000 Hewitt Street, Hollidaysburg

Director Seymour stated new ID cards will be sent to each affected voter with the new polling place. Notices of the new polling locations were posted for at least 5 days and A-frame signs will appear at each of the old locations to direct voters to the new locations.

Commissioner Erb asked Director Seymour to explain how the set up would be at the Field House with 3 precincts present. Director Seymour explained the voting would be moved into the gym. The 3 precincts would be separated by dividers. Each precinct will have its name on the door.

Board Vice-Chair DeAnna Heichel motioned for the approval of the polling place changes – seconded by Board Secretary Donna Fisher – motion carried unanimously.

The meeting was Adjourned at 10:08am.