



UNION COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

**MEETING MINUTES
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2023**

The meeting of the Union County Board of Elections was called to order by Secretary / Commissioner of Registration James Foerst, Esq. at 12:33pm. The following were in attendance: Secretary / Commissioner of Registration James Foerst, Esq.; Commissioner Richard Fortunato, Esq.; Commissioner Dennis Kobitz; Commissioner Debra Varnerin; and Administrator Nicole DiRado. Chair Clara Harelik, Esq. and Commissioner Raymond Szpond were absent.

The Statement of Compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act was read by Secretary / Commissioner of Registration James Foerst, Esq.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

COUNTING CURED BALLOTS AND ON TIME OVERSEAS BALLOTS

The Board counted cured ballots and on time overseas ballots.

REVIEW OF MAIL-IN BALLOTS VOTED IN THE 2023 GENERAL ELECTION

The Board voted to reject mail-in ballots which were not cured on time or received too late.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Commissioner Kobitz to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Varnerin. All Commissioners present voted in the affirmative. Chair Clara Harelik, Esq. and Commissioner Raymond Szpond were absent. The meeting was adjourned at 1:10pm.