



CITY OF WORCESTER, MASSACHUSETTS
CITY CLERK DEPARTMENT

DAVID J. RUSHFORD
CITY CLERK

BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS

Meeting

Monday, September 24, 2007

Convened: 5:10 p.m.

Adjourned: 6:03 p.m.

City Council Chamber

- 1. Call to Order by the Chairperson**
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance**
- 3. Roll Call by the Clerk with Commissioners Rodriguez, Goggins, Dube and Chairperson Stewart in attendance.**
- 4. Acceptance of Minutes from the August 20th, 2007 Meeting was made by Commissioner Rodriguez and seconded by Commissioner Dube.**
- 5. Old Business:**
 - a. Communication from the Office of the Secretary of State concerning photographs of candidates for the 2007 municipal ballots. Commissioner Rodriguez made a motion to Hold and that was seconded by Commissioner Dube.**
 - b. Invitation to City Manager, City Solicitor and City Clerk to a Board meeting.**
 - c. The “150 feet” rule, an update. Commissioner Rodriguez asked that police officers assigned to polling sites be made aware that they shall use the duct tape from the supply boxes to mark the 150 foot mark if a need arises to do so.**
 - d. Reverse 911, an update. Commissioner Rodriguez made a motion to file and it was seconded by Commissioner Dube.**
- 6. New Business:**
 - a. Comments and Suggestions from the Commissioners. Commissioner Dube reviewed verbally the comments she had submitted in writing prior to the meeting. Many of her suggestions will be implemented**

for the November Election. Commissioners thought it a valid and worthwhile effort to view the polling sites on the day before an election to observe missing equipment, signage, etc...

- b. Annual Street Listing: Hold until after the November Election**
 - c. Inactive Voter Listing: Hold until after the November Election**
 - d. Publicity efforts relating to the Voter Registration Deadline and November 6th Municipal Election**
 - e. Chairperson Commissioner Stewart introduced June Johnson as a newly appointed Assistant Commissioner. The Clerk swore her into office at the conclusion of the meeting.**
- 7. 5:30 p.m. - Drawing of lots for ballot position for the November 6th, 2007 Municipal Election for the following offices:**
- 8. The Commissioners severally drew lots for ballot placement for City Councillor At-Large, Mayor, District City Council and School Committee Member which were then entered into the record and emailed to the various candidates.**

The Commissioners discussed covering the extra hours for voter registration.

The next meeting of the Commission will take place on Monday, October 15, 2007 @ 5:00 p.m. in the City Council Chamber.