

**COBB COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS AND REGISTRATION
SPECIAL CALLED MEETING
MAY 16, 2025
BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

995 Roswell Street
9:00 a.m.

Board Member Attendance

	Present	Absent
Tori M. Silas, Chairwoman	X	
Jennifer Mosbacher, Vice Chairwoman	X	
Stacy Efrat, Secretary		X
Debbie Fisher, Assistant Secretary	virtual	
Steve Bruning	X	

Others Present:

Tate Fall, Director of Elections - virtual
Daniel White, Counsel for Board of Elections

CALL TO ORDER

Chairwoman Silas called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.

Cited the Pledge of Allegiance

PUBLIC HEARING

Proposal to temporarily relocate Shallowford Falls 01 currently located at Shallowford Falls Elementary School. Due to scheduled HVAC renovations, the facility will be unavailable and deemed unsuitable for use as a polling location during the summer months.

The temporary relocation will apply to the June 17, 2025 Special Primary Election, as well as the potential July 15, 2025 Special Primary Election Runoff. During this period, the precinct will be temporarily co-located with Hightower 01.

PRECINCT	Shallowford Falls 01	Hightower 01
ACTIVE VOTERS	3,292	4,070

Shallowford Falls 01

- **Current Location:** Shallowford Falls Elementary School
3529 Lassiter Rd, Marietta, GA 30062
- **Temporary Location/Co-Location with Hightower 01:** Shallowford Church
3662 Shallowford Rd, Marietta, GA 30062

Postcards with temporary relocation information will be mailed out to the affected voters and signage will be placed at Shallowford Falls Elementary School.

Director Fall confirmed the co-location would utilize the same check-in and voting equipment, but would have separate ballot scanners for each precinct.

Chairwoman Silas opened the floor for Public Comment; no comments were received.

Motion by Mr. Bruning to approve the co-location of Shallowford Falls 01 with Hightower 01 located at Shallowford Church for the June 17, 2025 Special Primary Election and any subsequent Runoff on July 15, 2025. Second by Ms. Mosbacher. Passed 3-0. Ms. Fisher attended virtually but was not part of the quorum. Ms. Efrat was not in attendance.

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

Chairwoman Silas sought clarification from Director Fall regarding the Board of Commissioners (BOC) vote on precinct card funding, confirming that the amount is included within the current elections contingency budget rather than representing an additional expense. Director Fall explained that any purchase exceeding \$100,000 requires BOC approval, and this vote served as a ratification of previous action.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Mr. White informed the board there were no pending litigation matters to discuss.

Next Meeting

June 17, 2025 @ 7:00 p.m. – Election Night Meeting

- Elections Office – 995 Roswell Street, Marietta

June 20, 2025 @ 3:00 p.m. – Pre-Certification Meeting

- Elections Office – 995 Roswell Street, Marietta

June 23, 2025 @ 3:00 p.m. – Regular/Certification Meeting

- BOC Room – 100 Cherokee Street, Marietta

Adjournment

Chairwoman Silas adjourned the meeting at 9:07 a.m.



May 16, 2025 minutes prepared by:

Debbie VonFeldt, Administrative Assistant

May 16, 2025 minutes reviewed by:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Stacy Efrat", is written over a horizontal line.

Stacy Efrat, Board Secretary