

**COBB COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS AND REGISTRATION
ELECTION NIGHT MEETING
SPECIAL ELECTION – U.S. HOUSE DISTRICT 14
MARCH 10, 2026
BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

995 Roswell Street
7:00 p.m.

Board Member Attendance

	Present	Absent
Jennifer Mosbacher, Chairwoman	X	
Stacy Efrat, Vice Chairwoman		X
Debbie Fisher	X	
Reginald Turner, Secretary	X	
Kendall Watkins	X	

Others Present:

Michael D'Itri, Interim Director of Elections
Daniel White, Counsel for the Board of Elections

CALL TO ORDER

Chairwoman Mosbacher called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

There were no proposed revisions to the agenda.

Motion by Ms. Watkins to approve the agenda as presented. Second by Mr. Turner. Motion passed 4-0. Ms. Efrat was not in attendance.

DIRECTOR'S UPDATE

Election Update

Unofficial numbers as of 6:55 p.m.

COUNTING GROUP	TOTAL VOTERS
Absentee by Mail	341
Advance In-Person Voting	13,581
Election Day	10,977
Unofficial Total	24,855

Absentee by Mail

- 369 ballots issued
- 341 ballots returned and accepted
- 6 ballots returned and rejected
- 14 provisional ballots
- Voters have until 5:00 p.m. on Friday, December 5, to cure their ballots

Advance In-Person Voting

- 13,581 ballots cast

Election Day

- 10,977 ballots cast as of 6:55 p.m.

Director D'Itri reported that no major issues occurred, aside from one voter who attempted to vote at McClure Middle School during dismissal time and was unable to access the parking lot. This location has been co-located for several years, and this is the first complaint received regarding access. The office will follow up with the school to explore options for improving voter traffic flow.

Chairwoman Mosbacher noted that she had received a voter concern that the time displayed on some BMD's were inaccurate. Director D'Itri explained that, based on a 2022 conversation with Dominion, the date and time are maintained by an internal coin battery. When the equipment was purchased, the Secretary of State's office selected a lower-cost coin battery option, and those batteries have not expired. Poll workers are trained to update the date and time when powering on the equipment; however, if a BMD is rebooted or the UPS battery runs down, the settings may revert. He emphasized that the date and time displayed on the BMD has no effect on ballot printing.

MOTION TO RECESS UNTIL ELECTION RESULTS ARE COMPLETE

Motion by Mr. Turner at 7:13 p.m. to recess until election results are complete. Second by Ms. Watkins. Motion passed 4-0. Ms. Efrat was not in attendance.

Motion by Mr. Turner at 10:14 p.m. to reconvene. Second by Ms. Watkins. Motion passed 4-0. Ms. Efrat was not in attendance.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

March 13, 2026 @ 3:00 p.m. – Pre-Certification Meeting

- Elections Office – 995 Roswell Street NE, Marietta, GA 30060

March 16, 2026 @ 3:00 p.m. – Regular/Certification Meeting

- BOC Room – 100 Cherokee Street, Marietta, GA 30090

ADJOURNMENT

Chairwoman Mosbacher adjourned the meeting at 10:37 p.m.



March 10, 2026 minutes prepared by:

Debbie VonFeldt, Administrative Assistant

March 10, 2026 minutes reviewed by:


Reginald Turner, Secretary