

Sylvia Engel – Chairman

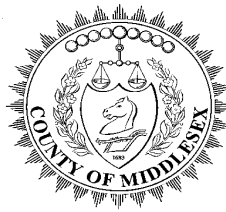
Daniel Frankel – Secretary &
Commissioner of Registration

Donald Katz – Commissioner

Beatrice Moskowitz – Commissioner

Mohamed Jalloh, Commissioner

April Bengivenga, Commissioner



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MIDDLESEX COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS REGULAR PUBLIC MEETING & MAIL-IN BALLOT HEARING DECEMBER 13, 2022

The Public Meeting and Mail-in Ballot Hearing of the Middlesex County Board of Elections was called to order by Chairman Engel at 4:00 p.m. Flag salute followed.

Maria Tani called the roll as follows:

Chairman Engel (present)	Commissioner Frankel (present)
Commissioner Katz (present)	Commissioner Moskowitz (absent)
Commissioner Jalloh (absent)	Commissioner Bengivenga (present)

In attendance were:	Staff:	Thomas Lynch, Administrator
		Valerie Henry, Deputy Administrator
		Linda Palughi, Chief Clerk
		Sharonda Mc Farlane, Deputy Chief Clerk
		Kathy Goddard, Deputy Chief Clerk
		Maria Tani, Administrative Assistant

Guests: None

Chairman Engel announced that the Board would review and vote on the mail-in ballots that staff recommended be rejected.

- Certificate missing – 1
- No ballot enclosed – 2
- Bearer exceeded limit – 1
- Incomplete bearer – 1

Cure letters were sent to voters for ballots with missing signatures and printed signatures on certification.

- Missing signatures – 17
- Printed signatures - 14

A motion was made by Commissioner Katz to reject all the ballots in the categories presented including ballots with missing signatures and printed signatures, to the extent that cure letters are not returned by the voter. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Frankel. Voice vote 4-0.

The Board proceeded to review and vote on additional mail-in ballots.

- Signatures do not match – 10 rejected, 1 accepted

The Board proceeded with the regular public meeting.

A motion was made by Commissioner Katz to approve the minutes of the November meetings. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Frankel. Voice vote 4-0.

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Administration Reports

Administrator Lynch reported that the Perth Amboy Runoff Election is going well. However, there was an issue concerning poll workers going to the polls without credentials. It was determined that these poll workers were sent by John Anagnostis and not by their Party Chair, Sharon Hubberman.

The Milltown recount is tentatively scheduled for December 20th. As of today, the court order has not been signed by the Judge.

Commissioner Comments

The Board wished everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Public Comment

None

A motion was made by Commissioner Frankel to adjourn the meeting at 4:15 p.m. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Bengivenga. Voice vote 4-0.