

**MINUTES OF THE FAUQUIER COUNTY ELECTORAL BOARD  
FEBRUARY 6, 2026**

Present: Chairman Lisa Gerchick, Vice Chairman Linda Boaz, Secretary Jane Hurst, General Registrar Alex Ables, Chief Deputy Registrar Diana Dutton, and Deputy Registrar Matt Nelius.

The meeting was called to order at 9:00am.

The minutes for the January 9, 2026 meeting were approved as written.

Registrar's Report

Mr. Ables discussed the possibilities for the election regarding redistricting. He mentioned the new voter registration system replacing VERIS and the process for registering to vote at the DMV. Also discussed were a few of the bills being put forward in the General Assembly.

Debriefs with the Chiefs and Assistant Chiefs went quite well. This process of reviewing the elections following each will continue to improve processes.

New business

- Officers of the Election appointments were approved.
- The VEBA Annual meeting was discussed. Travel arrangements will be made at the next meeting.
- The next meeting will be on March 20, 2026 at 3:30pm.
- Officers' Training will be on October 14, 2026 at 10:00am and 6:00pm at Laurel Ridge Community College.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 10:00am.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane M. Hurst, Secretary

/s/ Lisa K. Gerchick  
Chairman

/s/ Linda B. Boaz  
Vice-chairman

/s/ Jane M. Hurst  
Secretary