



STATE OF MICHIGAN  
JOCELYN BENSON, SECRETARY OF STATE  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE  
LANSING

**Meeting  
of the  
Board of State Canvassers**

**August 11, 2020  
(Held Remotely)**

**Called to order:** 11:04 a.m.

**Members present:** Aaron Van Langevelde – Vice Chairperson  
Julie Matuzak  
Norm Shinkle

**Members absent:** Jeannette Bradshaw

**Agenda item:** Consideration of meeting minutes for approval (July 31, 2020).

**Board action on agenda item:** The Board approved the minutes of the July 31, 2020 meeting as submitted. Moved by Shinkle; supported by Matuzak. Ayes: Van Langevelde, Matuzak, Shinkle. Nays: None. Motion carried.

**Agenda item:** Report on review of nominating petitions filed with the Secretary of State by candidates for the 30<sup>th</sup> Circuit Court for the November 3, 2020 General Election.

**Board action on agenda item:** The Board approved the nominating petitions sufficient for placement on the November 3, 2020 General Election ballot for the following candidates: Colline Cheltenham, Morgan Cole, Steve Kwasnik, Landis Lain, and Brandon Waddell. Moved by Shinkle; supported by Matuzak. Ayes: Van Langevelde, Matuzak, Shinkle. Nays: None. Motion carried.

**Agenda item:** Consideration of challenges filed against nominating petitions submitted by Carol Koenig for the 30<sup>th</sup> Circuit Court, Regular Term Non-incumbent position for the November 3, 2020 General Election.

**Board action on agenda item:** The Board approved the nominating petitions filed by Carol Koenig sufficient for placement on the November 3, 2020 General Election ballot. Moved by Matuzak; supported by Shinkle. Ayes: Van Langevelde, Matuzak, Shinkle. Nays: None. Motion carried.

**Agenda item:** Consideration of challenges filed against nominating petitions submitted by Kathryn Russell for the 30<sup>th</sup> Circuit Court, Regular Term Non-incumbent position for the November 3, 2020 General Election.

**Board action on agenda item:** The Board determined the nominating petitions filed by Kathryn Russell insufficient for placement on the November 3, 2020 General Election ballot. Moved by Shinkle; supported by Matuzak. Ayes: Van Langevelde, Matuzak, Shinkle. Nays: None. Motion carried.

**Agenda item:** Consideration of the recall petition submitted on July 28, 2020 against Governor Gretchen Whitmer by Chad Baase.

**Board action on agenda item:** The Board determined that the recall petition filed by Chad Baase on July 28, 2020, does factually and clearly state each reason for the recall of Governor Gretchen Whitmer. Moved by Shinkle; supported by Matuzak. Ayes: Van Langevelde, Matuzak, Shinkle. Nays: None. Motion carried.

**Agenda item:** Consideration of the recall petition submitted on July 28, 2020 against Lieutenant Governor Garlin Gilchrist II by Chad Baase.

**Board action on agenda item:** The Board determined that the recall petition filed by Chad Baase on July 28, 2020, does factually and clearly state each reason for the recall of Governor Gretchen Whitmer. Moved by Shinkle; supported by Matuzak. Ayes: Van Langevelde, Matuzak, Shinkle. Nays: None. Motion carried.

**Agenda item:** Consideration of the recall petition submitted on July 28, 2020 against Attorney General Dana Nessel by Chad Baase.

**Board action on agenda item:** The Board was not able to get three affirmative or three rejections. Petition failed.

**Agenda item:** Consideration of the recall petition submitted on July 28, 2020 against Secretary of State Jocelyn Benson by Chad Baase.

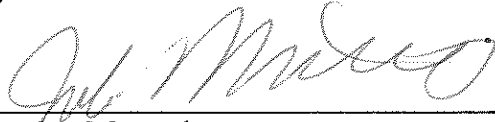
**Board action on agenda item:** Chad Baase withdrew the petition; therefore, the Board did not need to consider it.

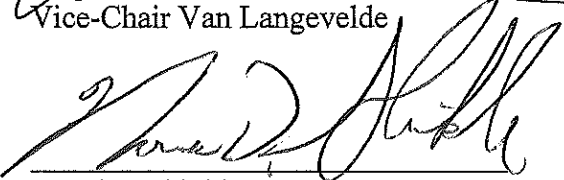
Adjourned:


12:27 p.m.

  
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Chair Bradshaw

  
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Vice-Chair Van Langevelde

  
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Member Matuzak

  
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Member Shinkle

  
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