

Peoria County Board of Election Commissioners

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The Special Meeting of the Peoria County Board of Election Commissioners was held at the Election Commission Office at 4422 Brandywine Dr. on Friday, January 11, 2019 at 4:00 PM.

PRESENT: David Collins, Chairman
Matt Bartolo, Vice Chairman
LaColis Reed, Treasurer
Mark Ketterer, Secretary
Sandra Burke, Commissioner
Thomas Bride, Executive Director
Alex Kurth, Assistant State's Attorney

ABSENT: Elizabeth Gannon, Assistant Executive Director

GUESTS: No Guests

The meeting was called to order at 4:02 p.m.

A Roll Call of the Commissioners was taken by Chairman Collins finding all Commissioners present.

The Board recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Report of the Attorney

Board's issuance of written findings of fact and final decisions on the objections to the nominating papers of Leslie A. Gilbert.

Pursuant to 10 ILCS 5/10-10, in the captioned case, and after a full hearing whereby all parties were given the opportunity to present evidence, present pertinent law, and make argument before the Board, and after hearing the same and deliberating on the matter, the Peoria County Board of Election Commissioners finds as follows:

1. The Board has jurisdiction over this matter;
2. Proper notice regarding the hearing on the petition was provided;
3. The candidate's petitions for the office of Board member for Dunlap School District 323 required 50 signatures and addresses of qualified voters from District 323 to be placed on the ballot;
4. That the objector has proved, by a preponderance of the evidence, that candidate Leslie A. Gilbert's petitions *do not* contain the required 50 signatures and addresses of qualified voters from District 323; and
5. There was sufficient evidence to grant the objector's uncontested motion for directed verdict.

Chairman Collins moved to approve written findings of fact and final decisions on the objections to the nominating papers of Leslie A. Gilbert, Case 18.03. Vice Chairman Bartolo seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

New Business

No New Business

Public Comment

No Public Comment

Adjournment

Treasurer Reed moved to adjourn, Secretary Ketterer seconded. Motion passed unanimously, and the meeting was adjourned at 4:08 pm.