BUNCOMBE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS
MINUTES OF November 24, 2015

THE BUNCOMBE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS MET ON November 24, 2015 AT 5:30 p.m. AT THE BOARD OF ELECTIONS OFFICE AT 77 MCDOWELL STREET, ASHEVILLE:

MEMBERS PRESENT:
Jay Watson, Chairman
George Keller, Member
Lucy Smith, Secretary

STAFF PRESENT:
Trena Parker, Director
Neggy Fox
Joyce Kanavel

OTHERS PRESENT:
Kathy Sinclair
Dick Sinclair
Jake Quinn
Patsy Gardin
Annie Butzner

I. Visitors public comment

Jake Quinn was concerned with the amount of time it would take per voter because Photo ID is being required for the first time.

Patsy Gardin commented that the Election Services staff has already considered that in their proposal.

Kathy Sinclair is concerned with using a Captain for a full day's shift.

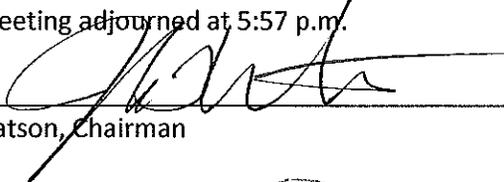### II. Consideration of Hours for March Early Voting

Trena Parker presented a revised early voting plan of 11 sites for a total of 791 hours, utilizing the Central Location for a 12-hour shift every day but the last Saturday (101 hours), and the other 10 sites open from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. with the last day being open 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. (690 hours).

Additional workers will be planned as needed for Photo ID Education and traffic flow.

Discussion: George Keller made the observation that 98-99% of the voters are ready for Photo ID. Lucy Smith commented that the extra worker was very important.

George Keller made a motion to approve the One Stop plan as presented with 791 hours and 11 sites to submit to the State Board of Elections asking for a reduction in hours. It was unanimously approved.

The meeting adjourned at 5:57 p.m.

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Jay Watson, Chairman

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Lucy Smith, Secretary

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George Keller, Member