

**ELECTION COMMISSION  
SPECIAL MEETING  
JUNE 4, 2024**

The Houghton County Election Commission held a Special Meeting on Tuesday, June 4, 2024 at 8:30 am in the Probate/Family Court Courtroom on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the Courthouse, Houghton, Michigan. The meeting was for reviewing and approving the ballot proofing for the August 6, 2024 Election. No public attended in person.

A. Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order by Judge Strome at 8:30 am.

Roll call:

Jennifer Kelly, County Clerk, did a voice roll call and the following board members were present: Fraser Strome-Probate/Family Court Judge and Karen Semmens-Houghton County Chief Deputy Treasurer and Jennifer Kelly-Houghton County Clerk/Register of Deeds.

B. Pledge of Allegiance:

The Committee did the Pledge of Allegiance.

C. Approval of Minutes-September 14, 2023:

A Motion was made by Fraser Strome, seconded by Jennifer Kelly to approve the April 10, 2024 minutes as presented.

The Motion carried by the following vote: Ayes 2, Nays 0.  
Karen Semmens abstained. (1)

D. Public Comments

None.

Old Business:

None.

New Business:

1. Discuss and approve the Ballot Proofing for the August 6, 2024 Election for all precincts in Houghton County

The Commission discussed already reviewing the ballots for Houghton County.

Clerk Kelly informed the Commission that Dennis Raasio and Bruce Petersens's names were incorrect. They have been corrected. It was a vendor issue as the State Voter System is correct.

A Motion was made by Karen Semmens, and seconded by Fraser Strome to approve all of the ballot proofing for all of the precincts in Houghton County for the August 6, 2024 election as presented.

The Motion carried by the following vote: Ayes 3, Nays 0.

Public Comment:

None.

Adjournment:

Motion was made by Fraser Strome, seconded by Karen Semmens to adjourn the meeting at 8:45 am.

The Motion carried by the following vote: Ayes 3, Nays 0.

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Fraser Strome  
Probate Court Judge

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Jennifer Kelly  
County Clerk/Register of Deeds

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Lisa Mattila  
County Treasurer