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PANTON BOARD OF CIVIL AUTHORITY MEETING
Wednesday, May 7th, 2025
Panton Town Hall

Attending: Teresa Boucher, BCA Chair, Kyle Rowe, Town Clerk. Paula Moore, JP, Eileen Brennan, JP, Diana Raphael, JP, Jaime Dayton, JP.

The meeting was convened by BCA Chair Teresa Boucher at 6:00 pm.

The BCA discussed quorum requirements, considering that the BCA has expanded to 11 members (with the addition of 2 members to the Selectboard who haven't been elected yet.) It was determined that he meeting held a quorum, as there were 6 out of 11 members attending.

The Town Clerk gave election updates;

-Ballots are available in the Town Offices
-Sample Ballots have been posted
-Tabulator was tested and found to be in perfect running order
-Fewer ballots were ordered, as lower turnout was expected
-Signups were available for the JPs and other election workers
-The JPs signed up for shifts at the election on May 15th.
-Voter List purge needs to occur this year, a few mistakes were found on the list after Regular Town Meeting, including 2 dead voters. These were challenged by the Town Clerk, but the list will need to be purged in the fall of 2025.

A technical issue was noted in trying to schedule this meeting, and possible solutions presented.

The Town Clerk gave the BCA an update on the property tax collection status;

-Roughly $130,000 in delinquent taxes, higher than normal

-No abatements requested as of yet
-Delinquent Tax Collector and Treasurer/Tax Collector working on handling this.
-No BCA involvement necessary at this step.

Seeing no other matters of discussion, a motion was made to adjourn the meeting, and was seconded.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:13 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Kyle Rowe
Town Clerk/Treasurer

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