

Jackson County
Republican Party
July 27th, 2021
Meeting of the Permanent Rules Committee

Chairman Dusty Durst called the meeting to order at 4:02 pm

Roll call was taken by the Chairman and members Bill Cole, Larry Ewing were present establishing a quorum.

The Chairman stated he would keep the minutes of the meeting and moved that the committee go directly into a work session, there was no discussion and the vote was unanimous.

The Chairman asked if each member had received his email containing a rough "Draft 2" he had created of the new Rules and proposed changes from the July 14th meeting, all members affirmed that they had received it. The chairman then distributed a packet to each member of the committee containing corrections done after "Draft 2" was sent out. The Chairman again provided a corrected "table of contents" in the packet.

After an hour and 15 minutes of clarification and corrections to the draft Larry Ewing made the suggestion that in addition to someone to check punctuation and form for the Rules, that we find an Attorney to review the "Rules" the committee finalized for possible legal omissions or additions. There was discussion and the committee voted unanimously to have those steps followed.

Bill Cole moved to adjourn the meeting and was seconded by Larry Ewing, the vote was unanimous and the meeting was adjourned at 7:15pm.

Shantwon Astin called Chairman Dusty Durst and asked that we have a second meeting of the Rules Committee for those who had conflicts with July 27th could have input. In the interest of time the Chairman agreed and set it for 9am July 30, 2021 at his home in Nicholson Georgia. In attendance were Chairman Dusty Durst, Shantwon Astin and TJ Dearman establishing a quorum.

The Chairman called for the meeting to go directly into a work session. Corrected copies from the July 27th meeting were distributed for additional additions and corrections. Numerous minor changes and corrections were made including deleting a section of duties that were redundant and covered in another section. TJ Dearman made the motion that a section on Precinct Officers and duties be added. The motion was seconded, there was no discussion and the motion passed. The committee spent the rest of the ninety minute meeting crafting those additions and affirming the next steps in the process to have a carefully written, concise and complete new "The Jackson County Republican Party Rules".

The meeting was adjourned at 10:40 am with a unanimous vote.

