

**CITY OF ANN ARBOR ELECTION COMMISSION**  
**July 17, 2012 MINUTES**

The City of Ann Arbor Election Commission Meeting was called to order by the City Clerk Jacqueline Beaudry at 2:03 p.m., in the Council Work Room, Guy C. Larcom Municipal Building, 301 E. Huron Street, Ann Arbor, MI, 48104.

The members present were Interim Police Chief John Seto, City Attorney Stephen Postema and City Clerk Jacqueline Beaudry. Assistant City Attorney Mary Fales was also present.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Postema moved to approve the minutes of the April 17, 2012 meeting as presented. Seto seconded the motion and the motion carried.

**NEW BUSINESS**

EC-12-005

**APPOINTMENT OF ELECTION INSPECTORS FOR THE  
AUGUST 7, 2012 PRIMARY ELECTION**

Postema moved, seconded by Seto, that the appointments be approved. On a voice vote, the chair declared the motion carried unanimously.

**INFORMATION**

None.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

Joe Baublis, member of the public, stated he has been a precinct inspector in the past, but was denied appointment this election due to his candidacy as a County Commissioner. Mr. Baublis stated he believes he is still eligible for appointment in a precinct other than those that are in his County Commissioner district. He stated he has filed a complaint with the Michigan Bureau of Elections and would like the Election Commission to postpone action until that time.

City Clerk Beaudry noted that the 21-day deadline to make election inspector appointments was today and that a decision could not be postponed.

David Parker, member of the audience, stated he too is a County Commissioner candidate and was denied an election inspector appointment in another precinct.

Postema moved, seconded by Seto, that the Commission reconsider Resolution EC-12-005. The motion carried on a voice vote.

The Commission discussed the relevant sections of the law relating to the appointment of election inspectors. Senior Assistant City Attorney Mary Fales was present to discuss the law and answer questions.

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Postema moved, seconded by Seto, that the appointments be approved as originally presented. On a voice vote, the chair declared the motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURN

There being no further business before the City Election Commission, the Chair called the meeting adjourned at 2:26 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by

Jacqueline Beaudry  
City Clerk  
Election Commission Chair