

Approved Minutes

LOUISIANA CLERKS OF COURT ASSOCIATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Wednesday, October 5, 2022

10:00 AM

BATON ROUGE, LA

Zoom Meeting

The Louisiana Clerks of Court Association Board of Directors Zoom meeting was held on Wednesday, October 5, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. Robin Hooter, President called the meeting to order.

Debbie Hudnall called the roll with the following Clerks present:

Robin Hooter, Kim Turlich-Vaughan, Louis Perret, Jill Sessions, Annette Fontana, Randy Briggs, Bridget Hanna, Melissa Henry, Chelsey Richard Napoleon, Susan Racca, Holli Vining, Christy Lee, Shelly Salter, David Dart, Veronica Koclanes and Cherie Lott.

Also, present Debbie Hudnall.

President Robin Hooter informed the Board that First Vice President Randy Deshotel had submitted a letter of resignation from the Board due to health reasons. She stated that Kim Turlich-Vaughan and Louis Perret would automatically move to First and Second Vice President. President Hooter nominated Jeff Skidmore to move from Parliamentarian to Third Vice President. David Dart moved that Jeff Skidmore become 3rd Vice President. Motion seconded by Susan Racca. **MOTION CARRIED**

President Hooter then nominated Chelsey Richard Napoleon to become Parliamentarian. It was moved by Kim Turlich-Vaughan that Chelsey Richard Napoleon become Parliamentarian. Motion was seconded by Bridget Hanna. **MOTION CARRIED.**

President Hooter nominated Darren Lombard as the Second District Board Member. Motion was made by Kim Turlich-Vaughan for Darren Lombard to become the Second District Board member. Motion was seconded by David Dart. **MOTION CARRIED.**

President Hooter asked if any of the Board Members had heard anything further from Mr. Aswell on the Jury Public Records request. There was no response. She reminded the Board of Act 684 of the 2022 Legislative Session which states "Any custodian who releases records in response to a public records request made pursuant to this Chapter shall be immune from any lawsuit for invasion of privacy alleged to be caused by the release of public records provided the custodian acts on advice of counsel."

Debbie Hudnall informed the Board about an article in the Morning Advocate paper on Monday morning entitled "Official Brace for Confrontational Poll Watchers." She said this was on a national level, but the clerks may want to be cautious.

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President Hooter stated the clerks might want to reach out to their District Attorneys to make sure an ADA was on standby on election day and would be reaching out to Jeffrey Wells in the AG's office.

Louis Perret mentioned that he is provided with an ADA cell number on election day and a cell number of a high ranking official in the Sheriff's office.

Jill Sessions also said she had a cell number of a high ranking official in her Sheriff's office on election day. Jill also informed the Board she had learned there would be an election meeting held in her parish the following night led by some of the Patriots.


President Hooter reminded the Board Members to have district meetings before the December meeting and Debbie reminded them to discuss any possible legislation they may want to present at the December meeting.

There being no further business, Kim Turlich-Vaughan moved that the meeting be adjourned. Motion seconded by Susan Racca.

Respectfully Submitted,

Approved:


Debbie Hudnall for
Secretary Jill Sessions


President Robin Hooter