

**STATE BOARD OF CANVASSERS  
MEETING MINUTES  
Friday, January 9, 2026  
2:00 p.m.**

1122 Lady Street, Suite 500  
Columbia, South Carolina 29201

Present: Judge Dennis Shedd, Chairman (via teleconference); Ms. JoAnne Day (via teleconference); Mr. Clifford Edler (via teleconference); Mr. Scott Moseley (via teleconference)

Others Present: Jenny Wooten, Interim Director; Thomas Nicholson, General Counsel; Madelyn Chavis, Senior Paralegal; TJ Lundein, Director of Public Information and Outreach

**THE MEETING OF THE STATE BOARD OF CANVASSERS IS BEING  
HELD PURSUANT TO THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT AND ALL  
REQUIRED NOTIFICATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE.**

**COMMISSIONERS**

HON. DENNIS W. SHEDD

Chairman

JOANNE DAY

CLIFFORD J. EDLER

SCOTT MOSELEY

Chairman Shedd confirmed with Interim Director Wooten a quorum was present and called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m. Wooten noted no members of the public were in attendance.

Interim Director Wooten presented the results of the State House District 98 Special Election for certification. Chairman Shedd opened the floor for discussion. Hearing none, Chairman Shedd moved to certify the election results. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Day and passed unanimously.

Wooten advised the Commission a mandatory recount was required by law.

Upon motion by Chairman Shedd and second by Commissioner Day, the Commission voted unanimously to order the mandatory recount. Wooten stated Dorchester County would be notified to initiate the recount process.

Chairman Shedd stated the Commission would remain in recess and reconvene at the call of the Chair.

At the call of the Chair, the State Board of Canvassers reconvened. Wooten confirmed the meeting remained in a public conference room and no members of the public were present.

Interim Director Wooten presented the recount results and reported that no changes resulted from the recount.

With no further discussion, Chairman Shedd motioned to certify the results of the recount, seconded by Commissioner Day. The motion passed unanimously.

Chairman Shedd confirmed that the next State Election Commission meeting would be on January 21, 2026.

With no further discussion, the meeting adjourned.