

Chairman Rick Combs called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. Tim Rudd led the Pledge of Allegiance. Board Members present were Rick Combs, Paul Campbell, Tim Rudd and Dave Lane. Also present were Judy Miller – Director, Mike Keeley – Deputy Director and Becky Rudd – Clerk taking record. Tim Rudd was appointed to fill the vacancy of Richard P. Ferenc on February 19, 2010.

**OTHER ATTENDEES:** Shekar Jayaraman – Field Liaison, Barrett J. Brunzman – Cincinnati Enquirer, Ed Skelly, Michael Collins, Art Snider and Tom Strickler.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

**2010-12** – Paul Campbell made the motion to accept the minutes of the January 28, 2010. Dave Lane seconded the motion. Upon roll call, all Members voted “yes”.

**APPROVAL OF BILLS:**

**2010-13** – Dave Lane made the motion to accept the February 2010 bills. Tim Rudd seconded the motion. Upon roll call, all Members voted “yes”.

**CERTIFICATION OF CANDIDATES:**

Director Miller reviewed the Petitions of all who filed to be Candidates at the May 4, 2010 Primary Election Ballot. See attachment for Certified list.

**DISTRICT OFFICES**

**2010-14** – Tim Rudd made the motion to accept the Petitions of:  
Danny R. Bulp – (R) – State Representative-88<sup>th</sup> House District,  
Joe Uecker – (R) – State Representative-66<sup>th</sup> House District,  
John Becker – (R) – State Central Committee Man-14<sup>th</sup> District,  
Kay Reynolds – (R) – State Central Committee Woman-14<sup>th</sup> District,  
Thea Shoemake – (R) – State Central Committee Woman-14<sup>th</sup> District,  
Russell E. Arey – (D) – State Central Committee Man-14<sup>th</sup> District,  
Karen Matney Simmons – (D) – State Central Committee Woman-14<sup>th</sup> District,  
Barry A. Cox – (L) – State Representative-66<sup>th</sup> House District.  
Steven Wilton Mault filed a petition for State Central Committee Man-14 District. His petition was invalid and he withdrew his petition on January 22, 2010.  
Paul seconded the motion. Upon roll call, all Members voted “yes”.

COUNTY OFFICES

**2010-15** – Paul Campbell made the motion to accept the Petition of Kathleen M. Rodenberg – (R) – Judge/Domestic Court. Tim Rudd seconded the motion. Upon roll call, Paul Campbell-“yes”, Tim Rudd-“yes”, Dave Lane-“yes” and Rick Combs-“abstained”.

**2010-16** – Paul Campbell made the motion to accept the Petitions of:  
Richard P. Ferenc – (R) – Judge/Common Pleas-unexpired term ending 01-01-2013,  
Thomas R. Herman – (R) – Judge/Common Pleas-term commencing 01-01-2011,  
Daniel J. Breyer – (R) – Judge/Common Pleas-term commencing 01-01-2011,  
Archie Wilson – (R) – County Commissioner,  
Linda L. Fraley – (R) – County Auditor,  
Ken Zuk – (D) – Judge/Common Pleas-unexpired term ending 01-01-2013.  
Tim Rudd seconded the motion. Upon roll call, all Members voted “yes”.

Rick Combs asked the Board Members to review the names/candidates on the County Central Committee Petition List for personal conflicts that would required them to abstain their vote.

CENTRAL COMMITTEE-REPUBLICAN

The Republican Party filed form 2-L Declaration of Candidacy Petition - for a “Four Year Term.” (\* It should be noted that the Clermont County Republican Central Committee voted on December 14, 2009, to change their Constitution to allow for their Central Committee Members to elected to four year terms.” See copy of advisement attached.)

Director Miller advised the Board that there were several Central Committee Petitions (Republican) with problems that required Board review. She then explained the problems.

The Board reviewed the petition of John Dann. Mr. Dann mailed his petition to the office and did not sign the Declaration of Candidacy. The Board determined this was a fatal error.

**2010-17** – Tim Rudd made the motion to reject the Central Committee Petition of John Dann (MI-P1P) because he failed to sign the Declaration of Candidacy on his petition. Dave Lane seconded the motion. Upon roll call, all Members voted “yes”.

Judy explained that Sue Hauck and Dan Rosenbaum incorrectly stated the number of signatures within the circulator’s statement, which is a fatal error.

**2010-18** – Tim Rudd made the motion to reject the Central Committee Petitions of Sue Hauck (TE-E) and Dan Rosenbaum (UN-A) on the staffs recommendation because the circulator’s statement named fewer signatures than were actually on the petition. Paul Campbell seconded the motion. Upon roll call, all members voted “yes”.

Judy explained Emma Breyer’s petitions. She is 17 years old and will be 18 on October 6, 2010, and wants to be a Central Committee Candidate (UN-A). A 17 year old can vote in the Primary Election on nominating candidates for the November Ballot only, not central committee candidates. The information that we originally received from the Secretary of State’s Office implied that she could be a central

committee candidate. Since then we have received a new opinion from the SOS stating that she must be 18 on or before May 4, 2010 to be a candidate in the Primary Election. According to the SOS, this Board is under obligation to not certify her petition.

**2010-19** – Dave Lane made the motion to reject the petition of Emma Breyer because she will not be 18 years of age by May 4, 2010 and therefore is not an elector for nominating candidates for the May Primary Election and can not run for Central Committee Member. Tim Rudd seconded the motion. Upon roll call, all Members voted “yes”.

**2010-20** – Tim Rudd made the motion to accept the staff’s recommendation as to fatal errors as to the following Republican Central Committee Petitions: John Dann, Sue Hauck, Emma Breyer and Dan Rosenbaum, and should be regarded as fatal errors and their petitions rejected. Dave Lane seconded the motion. Upon roll call, all Members voted “yes”.

**2010-21** – Tim Rudd made the motion to accept the staff’s recommendation regarding the remainder of the petitions for the Republican Central Committee with the exception of the petitions of Rick W. Combs and Dave Bednar. Dave Lane seconded the motion. Upon roll call, Tim Rudd-“yes”, Dave Lane-“yes”, Paul Campbell-“yes”, Rick Combs-“abstained”. (See List Attached.)

**2010-22** – Rick Combs made the motion to accept the Republican Central Committee Petitions with the exception of the petitions of J C Rudd, Tim Rudd and Ben Joehnk. Dave Lane seconded the motion. Upon roll call, Rick Combs-“yes”, Dave Lane-“yes”, Paul Campbell-“yes”, Tim Rudd-“abstained”.

Upon discussion it was decided that the two motions should have been to “accept only” those candidates petitions mentioned within the motion, not rejecting.

**2010-23** – Paul Campbell made the motion that the intent of the two previous motions, was to not vote on anyone that could be a conflict and let the motions stand. Dave Lane seconded the motion. Upon roll call, all Members voted “yes”.

#### CENTRAL COMMITTEE-DEMOCRATS

The Democrat Party filed form 2-M Declaration of Candidacy/No Petition - for a “Two (2) Year Term.” (\* The Clermont County Democratic Party voted on December 6, 2009, to replace the use of Form 2-L with the Form 2-M Declaration of Candidacy for Central Committee Persons which does not required signatures. See copy of advisement attached.)

**2010-24** – Paul Campbell made the motion to accept the Democrat Central Committee Petitions of Richard D. Lane and David A. Lane. Tim Rudd seconded the motion. Upon roll call, Paul Campbell-“yes”, Tim Rudd-“yes”, Dave Lane-“abstained” and Rick Combs-“yes”.

**2010-25** – Dave Lane made the motion to accept the petition of Paul Campbell for Democrat Central Committee. Tim Rudd seconded the motion. Upon roll call, Dave Lane-“yes”, Tim Rudd-“yes”, Paul Campbell-“abstain” and Rick Combs-“yes”.

**2010-26** – Dave Lane made the motion to accept the remainder of the Democrat Central Committee Member Petitions. Tim Rudd seconded the motion. Upon roll call, all Members voted “yes”.

At 11:18 a.m. Paul Campbell requested a five minute recess.

At 11:23 a.m. the Board reconvened.

Director Miller advised the Board that there were not any valid candidates that requested a name change.

#### **APPROVAL AND CERTIFICATION OF QUESTIONS AND ISSUES:**

Director Miller explained the Questions and Issues to the Board. Warren County will Certify to us the two (2) Issues for the Little Miami Local School District.

An Annual Income Tax of 1% on Earned Income of Individuals Residing in the District, for a period of 5 years, for Current Expenses, and an Additional Tax Levy (6.48 mills) for a period of 5 years, for Avoiding an Operating Deficit.

**2010-27** – Dave Lane made the motion to accept the following Issues and place them on the May 4, 2010 Primary Election Ballot:

- Clermont County Board of Mental Disabilities Replacement Tax Levy-(0.9 mill) for a continuing period of time for Services, Operation and Facilities
- Amelia Village Replacement Tax Levy-(3 mills) for a continuing period of time for Police and EMS
- Amelia Village Replacement Tax Levy-(7 mills) for a continuing period of time for Police and EMS,
- Village of Bethel Replacement with an Increase Tax Levy-(2.9 mills) for a period of 5 years for Police Services

Tim Rudd seconded the motion. Upon roll call, all Members voted “yes”.

Director Miller explained the two (2) Local Option Petitions that were filed for the May 4, 2010 Ballot.

- Lehigh Gas Ohio LLC-546 Wards Corner Rd., Loveland, OH-Miami Township “A1A”, filed with valid petitions.
- Siler’s Drive Thru, Inc.-986 Old St. Rt. 74, Batavia, OH-Union Township “Z” filed, and had problems with their petitions. When the petition was circulated the petition stated that they were an “applicant for a D-6 liquor permit”. We sent the petition to the Division of Liquor and they advised us that Siler’s is a holder of week day sales C-1 and C-2, and not an applicant of a D-6. Siler’s used Young Independent Consultants as their agent and they have since filed for the D-6 permit and believe the petitions should be valid. Judy checked with the Secretary of State’s Office and they stated that the petition should be rejected.

**2010-28** – Paul Campbell made the motion to accept and Certify the Local Option Petition for Lehigh Gas, Miami Township “A1A” to the May 4, 2010 Primary Election Ballot. Tim Rudd seconded the motion. Upon roll call, all Members voted “yes”.

**2010-29** – Paul Campbell made the motion to reject the Local Option Petition for Union Township “Z”, Siler’s Drive Thru, Inc., based on the information provided by the Department of Liquor Control and the Secretary of State’s Office. Tim Rudd seconded the motion. Upon roll call, all Members voted “yes”.

**DIRECTOR'S REPORT:**

Director Miller reported to the Board regarding the Vote Remote problem that did not allow information to be transferred into the DIMS file. She read the letter/email from Tim Murawski stating the problem and the remedy. Rick Combs reminded the Board that this was the problem when the Vote Remote did not alert us that a voter had voted absentee twice. He also wanted it understood that this problem was not the result of a mistake on our part and when the system was not updated it did cause a critical flaw in the Election process. See attachment.

Judy reported to the Board an email she received from Lt. David Doyle regarding a voter's residence. It stated that Barry S. Beamer presumably cast a vote from an address (4269 Delmont, UN-TWP) other than an address from which he has been contacting Mr. Beamer (3128 St. Rt. 132, ME -TWP). He brought this information to the Director for her review. Rick Combs asked her to turn this over to the Prosecutor's Office, which she had already done. She stated both Mary Lynne Birck (Prosecutor's Office) and the Secretary of State's Office say this is not a formal challenge but it is information that needs to be brought before the Board for action. She said the options were to send a Confirmation Card to him (he will have 30 days to verify his address), state that the Board wants to hold a hearing or do both. The Confirmation Card gives him a chance to change his address. The action decided by the Board was to send the Confirmation Card to him and if he does not return the card then bring this matter back before the Board.

Director Miller addressed the Board on the necessity for part-time employees during the Primary Election. She would like to start looking for part-time employees and start with four (4) on April 1, when we start the absentee voting and then add any as needed later. Rick stated as long as it is within the budget it wasn't a problem.

**2010-30** – Paul Campbell made the motion to staff the office as necessary (part-time employees) for the Primary Election. Dave Lane seconded the motion. Rick Combs asked to stay within the budget and even party numbers. Upon roll call, all Members voted "yes".

Judy updated the Board on the Full-Time Position vacancy. They received about a hundred applications. Judy and Mike selected 20-25 applications each and about 6 of them were the same applicant. Rick suggested to narrow the applicants down to 5 or 6 and then recommend someone who is a good, top qualified candidate (who already has the skills that are needed and understands the overtime involved in the election process) and then let he and Tim know.

Judy advised the Board of the preparation and progress for the Primary Election. She advised that we are proceeding well and moving forward with preparing as early as possible. We started sending the notices to poll workers and have already received responses. We've worked on polling locations and getting the necessary ADA equipment installed, programming the election, ballot language and have been ahead of schedule. Judy and Mike met with Mark Kelley and Bryon Hoffman from ES&S about ballot printing. They do not print ballots on site and they are working on a negotiation with Dayton Legal Blank (DLB) to print our ballots. If DLB does not print the ballots the job will go to Barrett Brothers. They assured us that Barrett Brothers would do a good job. They have new updated equipment; however it will be off set printing. They are going to color code the ballot pads per party. Judy and Mike made it clear that if we have any problems with the ballot printing ES&S will be held accountable. She also brought to the

Board's attention the reimbursement of funds expended for the ADA Polling Location Upgrades. She, Mike, Kim Beard and Shekar have worked to bring all of the Polling Locations into ADA Compliant. The cost of these upgrades was \$8,618 which came out of our budget. This week we were reimbursed that amount from the Federal Grant which has been received by the County Auditor.

Judy gave the Board Members the Directive regarding the procedures for Reorganization which is scheduled for March 3, 2010 at 2:00 p.m.

Judy clarified that the Candidates for the 12<sup>th</sup> District Court of Appeals will be Certified to us from Butler County and the US Representative (2<sup>nd</sup> Congressional District) will be Certified from Hamilton County.

She added that the entire staff worked to check signatures for state petitions and did so in a timely manner.

**DEPUTY DIRECTOR'S REPORT:**

Deputy Director Keeley reported on the request from the Board to look into coding/identifying the "second requested" absentee ballot envelope. He and Edna Owens worked on this project and decided to highlight the name and stamp the envelope as a duplicate. They are also looking into a colored envelope to identify the second ballot.

He forwarded a copy of the Policy Manual to Elizabeth Mason (Prosecutor's Office). She is requesting another re-write.

He is involved in the process to hire the full-time employee.

Rick inquired about the employee evaluations. Mike stated that they are scheduled for March.

**RESOLUTIONS:** None.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION:** None.

Michael Collins (attendee) suggested that if the Board offered a course/workshop on how to fill out a petition there would not be as many problem petitions. Rick stated that they have made offers for training in the past but little interest was shown and not well attended. Tim Rudd and Shekar Jayaraman stated that they are available for assistance in filling out petitions.

He also inquired why we did not have Dayton Legal Blank print the ballots. Rick and Judy explained the bid on ballots process.


**NEXT MEETING DATE AND TIME:**

March 3, 2010 at 2:00 p.m., Board Reorganization Meeting  
March 25, 2010 at 2:00 p.m., Regular Monthly Board Meeting\*  
\*meeting dates to be set by the new Board

**ADJOURNMENT:**

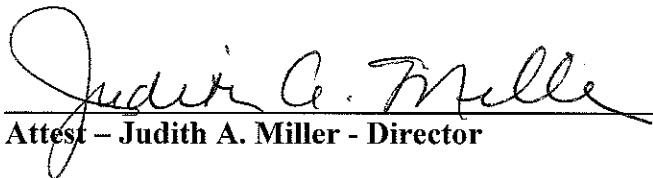
**2010-31** – At 12:23 p.m. Dave Lane made the motion to adjourn. Tim Rudd seconded the motion. Upon roll call, all Members voted “yes”

  
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Timothy R. Rudd – Board Chairman

  
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Dave A. Lane – Board Member

  
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Rick W. Combs – Board Member

  
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Paul L. Campbell – Board Member

  
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Attest – Judith A. Miller - Director

**APPROVAL OF BILLS FOR REGULAR BOARD MEETING  
FEBRUARY 25, 2010**

<b>VENDOR</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION OF PAYMENT</b>	<b>ACCT.</b>	<b>AMOUNT</b>
<b>INVOICES PRE-APPROVED BY DIRECTOR OR DEPUTY:</b>			
ALPINE VALLEY	BOTTLED WATER	5999	\$ 32.50
BARRETT BROTHERS	VOTER ID CARDS (11,000)	5729	\$ 35.00
DE LAGE LANDEN	COPIER MAINTENANCE FOR JANUARY 2010	6123	\$ 147.00
DELL MARKETING L.P.	COMPUTER UPGRADE - MILLER	5999	\$ 56.06
DONNELLON MCCARTHY	COPIER MAINTENANCE FOR (JAN - FEB 2010)	6123	\$ 35.50
HATHAWAY STAMPS	2 SELF INKING STAMPS	5729	\$ 48.15
J. ROBERT TRUE	PHONE BILL FOR JANUARY 2010	6361	\$ 500.76
OFFICE DEPOT	MISC. OFFICE SUPPLIES	5729	\$ 185.12
OFFICE DEPOT	MISC. OFFICE SUPPLIES	5729	\$ 80.45
PITNEY BOWES	POSTAGE MACHINE/LETTER OPENER RENTAL	5453	\$ 321.29
UPS	UPS CHARGES FOR PETITIONS TO S.O.S.	5571	\$ 16.71
<b>INVOICES TO BE APPROVED BY BOARD MEMBERS:</b>			
DAYTON LEGAL BLANK	2 PETITION RECEIPT BOOKS	5729	\$ 60.08
DELL MARKETING L.P.	COLOR LASER PRINTER	5724	\$ 367.83
ELECTION ADMIN REPORT	ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION	5719	\$ 219.00
STAFF SALARIES	PAY PERIOD 01-10-10 TO 01-23-10	5112	\$ 13,071.20
BOARD SALARIES	PAY PERIOD 01-10-10 TO 01-23-10	5116	\$ 1,533.28
OVERTIME	PAY PERIOD 01-10-10 TO 01-23-10	5121	\$ 192.75
STAFF SALARIES	PAY PERIOD 01-24-10 TO 02-06-10	5112	\$ 13,056.11
BOARD SALARIES	PAY PERIOD 01-24-10 TO 02-06-10	5116	\$ 1,465.05
OVERTIME	PAY PERIOD 01-24-10 TO 02-06-10	5121	\$ 76.02
	<b>TOTAL:</b>		<b>\$ 31,499.86</b>

**Clermont County Board of Elections  
Candidates Certified for May 4, 2010 Primary Elections**

**DISTRICT OFFICES**

**Republican**

<b>CANDIDATE</b>	<b>OFFICE FILED FOR</b>
Danny R. Bubp	State Representative - 88th House District
Joe Uecker	State Representative - 66th House District
John Becker	State Central Committee Man - 14th District
Kay Reynolds	State Central Committee Woman - 14th District
Thea Shoemake	State Central Committee Woman - 14th District

**COUNTY OFFICES**

**Republican**

<b>CANDIDATE</b>	<b>OFFICE FILED FOR</b>
Kathleen M. Rodenberg	Judge/Common Pleas (Domestic Court Division)-Full Term Commencing-1/2/11
Richard P. Ferenc	Judge/Common Pleas/ <u>Unexpired</u> Term Ending-01/01/2013
Thomas R. Herman	Judge/Common Pleas/Full Term Commencing- 01/01/2011
Daniel J. Breyer	Judge/Common Pleas/Full Term Commencing- 01/01/2011
Archie Wilson	County Commissioner-Full Term Commencing-1/1/11
Linda L. Fraley	County Auditor

**COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE**

**REPUBLICAN PARTY**

<b>CANDIDATE</b>	<b>PRECINCT</b>
Dave Bednar	LD-B
Charles Tilbury, Jr.	BAV-A
Rex A. Parsons	BAV-B
Connie A. Bare	BAT-B
Roger B. Baxter, Jr.	BAT-B
Dennis Clepper	BAT-C
Suellen M. Brafford	BAT-D
Dan Carpenter	BAT-E
William J. Rapp	BAT-F
Archie Wilson	BAT-G
Linda L. Fraley	BAT-I
Kathy Hlass	BAT-J
William Scharber	BAT-K
Edward Skelly	BAT-K
Bob Proud	BAT-L
Bill Dowdney	BAT-M
Virginia Ann Fisher	FY
J.C. Rudd	FN-A
James L. Napier	FN-C
Ronald G. Buckler	FN-D
Art Snider	GN-A
Lee Lewis	GN-B
G. Elben Miller	GN-C
David W. Perkins Jr.	GN-C

**Clermont County Board of Elections  
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Sandy Graham	GN-D
Thomas G. Risk	GN-D
John F. Downey	GN-E
Rick Rhoades	GN-E
Ken Klosterman	GN-F
Jeff Scheadler	GN-F
P. Sue Bowman	GN-H
Yvonne Vanlandingham	GN-H
Mary Donna Elam	GN-I
Kathleen Alley	GN-J
Neil Bruynis	GN-J
Virgil Murphy	GN-K
Judith Kocica	GN-L
Barbara E. Jones	GN-M
Michael Denman	GN-N
Mike Keeley	GN-N
Marcia Woeste	JN-A
Darrell C. Hawkins	JN-A
Donna M. Stegall	JN-B
Jeannie M. Zurmehly	JN-C
Bryan Hawkins	MD-A
Jason Day	MD-C
Sam Pschesang	MD-E
Yvonne Haight	MD-F
Karen Hunter	MD-H
Albert G. Brauer II	MI-A
Glenn C. Larson	MI-C
Calvin Pauley	MI-C
Rick W. Combs	MI-E
Sue Ellen Kirk	MI-F
Kevin Farrar	MI-G
Brian Treon	MI-H
Mellene Finger	MI-J
Ed Humphrey	MI-L
Mark Keitel	MI-L
George E. Pattison	MI-M
Michael Collins	MI-N
Jim Hudson	MI-N
Bob Chaney	MI-Q
Ann Ferguson	MI-R
Bill Miller	MI-S
Thomas L. Mantel	MI-U
Jeffrey A. Hardin	MI-W
Richard L. Heller	MI-X
Chad Wehrman	MI-X
Rob Hoffman	MI-Y
G. Thomas Ranks	MI-Y
Richard Hoffman	MI-Z
Joe Braun	MI-B1B
George A. Porzuc	MI-B1B
Robert Gorman	MI-C1C
John Rapping	MI-C1C

**Clermont County Board of Elections**  
**Candidates Certified for May 4, 2010 Primary Elections**

Gregory H. Simpson	MI-D1D
Robert Manning	MI-G1G
Geoffrey Pattison	MI-H1H
Robert Turner	MI-H1H
Walter Fischer	MI-I1I
Marie Brown	MI-J1J
Patrick Manger	MI-K1K
Paul Odioso	MI-M1M
Pete Madden	MI-N1N
Jean Schmidt	MI-N1N
Robert Hewlett	MI-P1P
John Gillespie	ME-B
Virginia K. Flynn	ME-E
Eric M. Kelso	ME-F
Michael Bennett	ME-J
David H. Uible	OO-A
Tom Niehaus	OO-B
Naomi Oetzel	OO-C
Kenneth Walston	PE-A
Joann A. Magee	PE-B
Thomas J. Martin	PE-B
Francis A. Rapp	PE-C
Debra A. Shebesta	PE-D
Donna Cann	PE-E
Bonnie Batchler	PE-F
Don Johns	PE-G
Barbara Hartman	PE-I
Gerard W. Seipelt	PE-I
Karen Pointer	PE-J
Curt Carl Hartman	PE-K
Steve P. Strosnider	PE-K
Edwin J. Karlis	PE-L
Kermit Beckworth Jr.	SK-A
Faye E. Miller	SK-B
George J. Martin	SK-C
Charles Shaw	SK-C
Kathleen J. Miller	SK-D
Harry Cooper Snyder, III	SK-G
Robin Stricker-Carnahan	TE-A
David M. Sheppard	TE-D
Kathy Freudenberger	TE-F
Vickie A. Warren	TE-G
Ellie Bailey	TE-H
Doug Barger	UN-A
Ted Stevenot	UN-A
Debra L. Siegroth	UN-B
Jane F. Brandt	UN-D
Barb Wiedenbein	UN-D
Kent Mills	UN-E
Melinda C. Voris	UN-E
Calvin D. Aicholtz	UN-G
Mel C. Behrmann	UN-G

**Clermont County Board of Elections  
Candidates Certified for May 4, 2010 Primary Elections**

Spencer Chroninger	UN-H
William Kautz	UN-L
John C. Aicholtz	UN-M
Deborah J. Merrill	UN-M
Matthew B. Beamer	UN-N
Stuart Kennedy	UN-O
Hans Schnuderl	UN-O
Nick Macke	UN-Q
Ronald B. Campbell	UN-R
Bob McGee	UN-S
Jennifer Bond	UN-T
Holly A. Brock	UN-U
James W. Lewis	UN-U
Judith Eve French	UN-V
Magda Dawson	UN-Y
John Becker	UN-Z
Daniel J. Doogan	UN-A1A
Ben Joehnk	UN-C1C
Richard Lahke	UN-E1E
Patrick Maue	UN-F1F
Paul H. Van Vleet, Jr.	UN-F1F
Rob McMaster	UN-G1G
Richard A. Lammrigh	UN-I1I
Barry Cole	UN-K1K
Richard L. Martin	UN-K1K
Carl Dorsch	UN-P1P
Clinton M. Warren	UN-R1R
Wayne R. Breitenstein	UN-S1S
Travis C. Hall	UN-U1U
James A. Rader	MW
Tim Rudd	WN-A
Tom Dix	WN-B
Jason Ritter	NEW
Don Wilson	NEW
Richard K. Grant	WE-B
Ruth Ann Werner	WE-C
Dennis J. Elchlinger	WE-E
Bob Ring	WGV-C
Greg Carson	WGT-A
Charles L. Ward	WGT-A

**Clermont County Board of Elections  
Candidates Certified for May 4, 2010 Primary Elections**

**DISTRICT OFFICES**

**Democrat**

**CANDIDATE**

**OFFICE FILED FOR**

Russell E. Arey	State Central Committee Man - 14th District
Karen Matney Simmons	State Central Committee Woman - 14th District
Ken Zuk	Judge/Common Pleas/Unexpired Term Ending-01/01/2013

**COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE**

**DEMOCRAT PARTY**

**CANDIDATE**

**PRECINCT**

Jessie McCoy	LD-B
Judy Miller	BAV-A
Charles E. Miller	BAT-A
Pebble Humphries	BAT-B
Sandra E. Zimmer	BAT-C
Al Ison	BAT-H
Edna L. Owens	BAT-M
Kathy Jones	FY
Mary Hull	FN-B
Tonia M. Blackburn	FN-C
Ron E. Rentschler	FN-C
Hayward Beach	FN-D
Bonnie Carlier	GN-D
Carol E. Biehle	GN-L
Holli Phillips	GN-M
Richard D. Lane	JN-A
Charlene Hinnners	MD-A
Nellye E. Bowen	MD-F
Douglas Doherty	MD-H
Terry Alan McCoy	MI-E
Steve Neago	MI-K
Richard L. Jordan	MI-N
Pamela M. Bollinger	MI-R
David A. Lane	MI-K1K
Mary Huttlinger	MI-P1P
Myron W. Reed	ME-E
Paul L. Campbell	ME-F
Karen Herbert	ME-G
Constance Lighthall	NR-C
Kenneth Wright	PE-B
Gregg Conrad	PE-C
Lawrence R. Fisse	PE-D
Robert Ernest Nealan	BL-C
Russell E. Arey	UN-C
Alex Lambros	UN-T
Ronald D. Wuerdeman	UN-U
Kay Newby	UN-W

**Clermont County Board of Elections  
Candidates Certified for May 4, 2010 Primary Elections**

Mary K. Kayata	UN-X
Charlotte Davidson	UN-Y
Erin Kleimeyer	UN-B1B
Teresa J. Conway	UN-F1F
Dennis G. Woods	WN-B
Jackie Smith	WN-C
C. Michael Cook	WGT-A

**DISTRICT OFFICES**

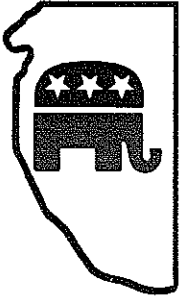
**Libertarian**

**CANDIDATE**

**OFFICE FILED FOR**

Barry A. Cox

State Representative - 66th House District



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December 16, 2009

To: Judy Miller, Director  
Clermont County Board of Elections  
76 S. Riverside  
Batavia, Ohio 45103

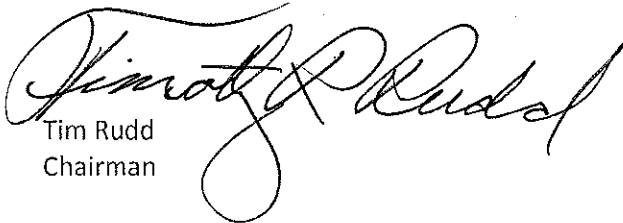
Judy,

This letter is to inform you that the Clermont County Republican Party Central Committee voted at the November meeting to serve for a four year term pursuant to 3517.03. The change to the Constitution of the Republican Party of Clermont County, Ohio is to Article II Section 1 (A) and shall read as follows:

The Clermont County Republican Central Committee (hereinafter "Republican Central Committee") shall consist of the duly elected person from each precinct in Clermont County for a term of four years.

Please allow this letter to serve as notice of the change. The Clermont County Republican Party Secretary will provide you with a new copy of the constitution as soon as it is available.

Respectfully,



Tim Rudd  
Chairman

*Clermont County Democratic Party*  
*Executive Committee*

December 19, 2009

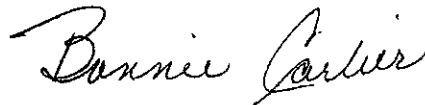
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Dear Board of Elections Officials:

Please be advised that on December 6, 2009 a quorum of the Democratic Central Committee in Clermont county voted to replace the Form 2-L Declaration of Candidacy with the Form 2-M Declaration of Candidacy which does not require signatures, for the May 4, 2010 Primary Election.

Sincerely,

Doug Doherty  
Chairman, Central Committee



Bonnie Carlier  
Secretary, Central Committee

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## Miller, Judy

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**From:** Murawski, Tim [tmmurawski@essvote.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 18, 2010 4:49 PM  
**To:** Miller, Judy  
**Cc:** Keeley, Mike; Underwood, Ross  
**Subject:** RE: Clermont County BOE - Voter Registration File Upgrade & Affecton Vote Remote - Follow-Up

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Judy:

The problem experienced in Clermont County during the November election was due to a change in Dims-NeT that was not addressed in the interface with VoteRemote. Basically, VoteRemote would send the data to Dims-NeT, but the absentee records would not be updated completely. While our developers were working on a permanent fix, a temporary fix was put in place. This temporary fix involved a SQL script being run to fully apply the information to the Dims-NeT absentee record. If this script was run after every series of VoteRemote batches, the system would operate normally. Due to a misunderstanding between us and the county staff, this script was not run daily.

The permanent fix was installed and tested in Clermont County by Robert Barnhouse (from DIMS) and Brett Barrett (from VoteRemote) on February 4<sup>th</sup>.

Moving forward, we are implementing a new testing procedure for the VoteRemote interface. This should allow us to identify any problems before a release is sent to you.

Tim Murawski  
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Voter Registration Division  
Election Systems and Software  
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**From:** Miller, Judy [mailto:jmiller@co.clermont.oh.us]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 03, 2010 1:54 PM  
**To:** Murawski, Tim  
**Cc:** Keeley, Mike  
**Subject:** FW: Clermont County BOE - Voter Registration File Upgrade & Affect on Vote Remote - Follow-Up

Tim –

Our Board asked me to follow up with you with regard to ES&S providing a written explanation (from ES&S) as to how our Vote Remote Problem occurred at the November 2009 General Election and what corrective actions have been taken by ES&S to prevent any future problems. (See original letter below.)

There is a legal action going on in our County with regard to the Moscow Village Council Race and our Board would like some explanation as soon as possible.

I did tell our Board that I had spoken to you at the Elections Conference on January 21st and you were working on the letter.

Thanks.

*Judy Miller, Director*  
Clermont County Board of Elections  
(513) 732-7275

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**From:** Miller, Judy  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 09, 2009 12:32 PM  
**To:** 'Murawski, Tim'  
**Cc:** Keeley, Mike  
**Subject:** Clermont County BOE - Voter Registration File Upgrade & Affect on Vote Remote

Tim –

Per our phone conversation this morning, as you are aware, subsequent to our Board installing a Voter Registration File upgrade in our DIMS Net System back in June 2009, we experience problems with our Vote Remote System in trying to get the scanned data to transfer into our DIMS Net System.

While you were able to eventually get the files to transfer, we incurred a problem whereby a Voter requested a replacement Absentee Ballot because he had lost the first one...and thus a 2nd ballot was issued. Unfortunately BOTH ballots were mailed back, but the 2nd ballot envelope was not "Challenged" by the Vote Remote and thus both ballots were included in the Election Night Count. (To make matters worse, there was a 1 vote difference in the Moscow Village Council Race and this voter lived in Moscow Village.)

While we feel certain that this program problem has been corrected, our Board would like some explanation from ES&S as to how the problem actually occurred and what corrective measures have been taken so this does not happen in future elections.

Thank you for providing our Board with an explanation. We will holding a Board Meeting on December 17, 2009, but if you cannot get this until January we will understand.

Wishing you and your family a Merry Christmas and the Best in the New Year!

Judy Miller, Director  
Clermont County Board of Elections  
(513) 732-7275

**Rudd, Rebecca**

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**From:** Rudd, Rebecca  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 03, 2010 10:52 AM  
**To:** 'therron@communitypress.com'  
**Subject:** bd mtg notice  
**Attachments:** feb 25, 2010-time chg.doc

Theresa,

This is to advise you and please run the attached "psa" notice (no cost) in next week's paper (week of Feb 8). Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you,

**Rudd, Rebecca**

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**From:** Rudd, Rebecca  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 03, 2010 10:59 AM  
**To:** 'clermontsun@fuse.net'  
**Subject:** bd mtg notice  
**Attachments:** feb 25, 2010-time chg.doc

This is to advise you and please run the attached "psa" notice (no cost) in next week's paper (week of Feb 8). Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you,

Becky Rudd

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Notice of Time Change  
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The time for the Regular Monthly February 25, 2010 Clermont County Board of Elections Board Meeting has been changed to 10:00 am. The Board will Certify Partisan Candidate Petitions and Questions and Issues to the May 4, 2010 Primary Election Ballot.

Rick W. Combs – Board Chairman  
Judith A. Miller – Director

Dated: January 25, 2010