

BLAND COUNTY ELECTORAL BOARD
Bland County Voter Registration and Elections Office
20 Fairground Street
Bland, VA 24315
April 25, 2026

- Call meeting to order
-Molly called the meeting to order at 2:10 pm. In attendance: Molly Thompson- Chair, Brandon Bitic- Vice Chair, Dorothy (Dot) Kidd- Secretary, and Stacy Tibbs Grady- General Registrar and Director of Elections
- Approve agenda
-Brandon made the motion to approve the agenda as is
-Dot seconded the motion
-All in favor, motion passed
- Public Comment
--No speakers
- Continue Canvass of April 21, 2026 Special Election:
 - - Closed, limited attendance, session: Provisional ballot meeting to determine the qualifications of person(s) who cast provisional votes.

Virginia Freedom of Information Act, § 2.2-3700 et seq. (Code authority for closed session.)

Brandon made a motion:

*****I move that the Electoral Board and Director of Elections of Bland County convene in closed session pursuant to section § 24.2-653.01. Provisional ballots; electoral boards to make determination as to validity; seconded by Dot.

Vote on the motion was as follows: Molly P. Thompson, Yes; Brandon Bitic, Yes; and Dorothy Kidd, Yes. The motion passed. Closed session start- 2:18 pm.

Brandon made a motion:

*****I move that the Electoral Board and Director of Elections of Bland County certify that in the closed session just concluded the only matters discussed was the determination of the qualifications of persons who cast provisional votes., as directed by § 24.2-653.01 of the Code of Virginia, and as identified in the motion to close the meeting pursuant to the Virginia Freedom of Information Act.; seconded by Dot.

Vote on the motion was as follows: Molly P. Thompson, Yes; Brandon Bitic, Yes; and Dorothy Kidd, Yes. The motion passed. Closed session end- 2:25 pm. Open session resumed at: 2:25 pm.

-After reviewing all qualifications, Brandon made the motion to qualify the provisional votes cast (10 total) for the April 21, 2026 Special Election
-Dot seconded the motion

Roll call vote: Molly: Yes Brandon: Yes Dot: Yes

-The Board ascertained and signed the final results of the April 21, 2026 Special Election

- Adjourn meeting-
- Brandon made the motion to adjourn the meeting
- Dot seconded the motion
- All in favor, motion passed

There being no further business Molly adjourned the meeting at 3:19 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Dorothy S. Kidd". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Dorothy S. Kidd, Secretary
Bland County Electoral Board