

**CALHOUN COUNTY ELECTIONS COMMISSION MEETING**

**TUESDAY, March 1, 2022 at 1:30pm**

**CALHOUN COUNTY CLERKS OFFICE**

**ROOM 2-100A 315 W GREEN STREET, MARSHALL MICHIGAN 49068**

**AGENDA**

1. Call to Order

*Notice posted 2/24/2022, 8:00am at County Clerk – Elections webpage & Marshall County Building Entrance Board & the Elections Office Window*

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Approval of Agenda

4. Approval of Minutes – August 20, 2021

5. Citizens' Comments ( *limited to 3 minutes*)

6. Review ballot content for the May 3, 2022 Special Elections – refer to proposal language  
2 precincts open, 3 ballot styles, 4 proposals

7. Consideration of Precinct Consolidations for Climax-Scotts Community Schools / Gull Lake Community Schools / Hastings Area School Systems – reference [MCL 168.659](#) (consolidating precinct detail)

- CLERKS RECOMMENDATION: consolidate Climax-Scotts Community Schools at same location (Leroy Twp. Pct. #1. Includes Battle Creek City pct. #20 & Leroy Twp. #1)
- CLERKS RECOMMENDATION: Gull Lake Community Schools – open Bedford pct. #1 for elections day
- CLERKS RECOMMENDATION: Hastings Area School System – open Bedford pct. #1 for election day
- CLERKS RECOMMENDATION: Hillsdale Intermediate School District – “Opt-Out” Homer Twp., consolidate to City of Litchfield, pct. #1

8. Review Ballot printing bids submitted, Award printing order – refer to attached bid responses

- ELECTION SOURCE: .....\$0.42 for 11” ballot, red numbers: 0.46 for 11”
- PLERUS.....Declined to quote this election due to short notice & loss of representative
- SPECTRUM PRINTERS, INC. ....\$0.295 for 11” ballot, folded: add \$0.08

9. Option to purchase more ballots if needed 2 weeks prior to election

10. Future Elections:

- August 2<sup>nd</sup> – proposal deadline May 10, 2022, 4:00pm
- November 8<sup>th</sup> – proposal deadline August 16, 4:00pm

11. Ballot proofing of May 3<sup>rd</sup> ballots (date to be determined soon. need member availability)

12. Other Business

13. Citizens' Comments ( *limited to 3 minutes each* )

14. Election Commissioners Comments

15. Adjournment