## Election Commission City of Aurora, Colorado

February 19, 2020 6:00 p.m. City Clerk's Office

Carolyn Boller called the meeting to Order.

## Barbara called roll.

Carolyn Boller Jessica Chauvin Scott Irvin William McCartin Joanna Floribus

Staff Present; Stephen Ruger, City Clerk, Barbara Dahl, City Clerk Analyst Guest Present; Council Member Juan Marcano, Jack Becker, Linda Templin, Emma Donnahue

Approval of minutes January 15, 2020- Carolyn moved and Jessica 2<sup>nd</sup> to approve the minutes. Motion passed.

Due to the current weather conditions, the agenda was adjusted to allow the guests to present first to allow them to get home before road conditions got worse.

## **New Business:**

Jack Becker gave a brief presentation in regards to the upcoming Census and what we can expect. There are several significant changes including the 9 questions, Website, race/gender issues and 12 different languages it is now offered in. The U.S. Census is actively looking for workers to assist.

Emma Donahue and Linda Templin gave a presentation in regards to Rank Choice Voting. We participated in an actual exercise to help better understand the process. There were still many questions including voter by in, education, how we process Write in candidates and many more.

## Old Business:

Steve updated us on the Caring for Aurora Ballot Initiative question. They would need to collect 11,501 valid signatures. There may be a quarter cent sales tax ballot initiative on the 2020 ballot. This would provide \$16.5 Million dollars for Aurora Mental Health. Steve will keep us abreast of these developments.

Due to scheduling conflicts, the next meeting will be March 11, 2020. The Meeting was Adjourned @ 8:19p.m.

Cardyn Boller, Chair