

## **Iowa Voter Registration Commission**

**Minutes: 28 June 2023, 10:00 AM CT**

The Voter Registration Commission convened on Wednesday, 28 June 2023, via telephone. Commissioners Bonham, Burhans, Marshall, and Smithson participated via phone. Legal Counsel Eric Gookin also participated in the meeting.

### **1. Call to Order**

Meeting officially called to order by Chairwoman Burhans at 10:00 AM CT.

### **2. Approval of Minutes**

Commissioner Bonham moved to approve the minutes from the 21 April 2023 meeting; Commissioner Marshall seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

### **3. Business**

The commissioners briefly recapped the items they discussed at their previous meeting held on 21 April regarding comments received in public hearing for proposed rulemaking ARC6772C held on 13 March 2023.

Commissioner Smithson suggested focusing only on what really needs to be addressed now—political purpose and political research.

Commissioners Marshall and Smithson suggested that hashing or watermarking voter lists will resolve some of the public's concerns with the original proposed rulemaking.

Chair Burhans will work with Legal Counsel to draft rulemaking language based on Commissioners' discussions throughout previous VRC meetings and then work with Commissioners to determine next VRC meeting to review and propose new rulemaking.

### **4. Adjournment**

Commissioner Smithson moved for the Commission to adjourn; Commissioner Marshall seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned.