

Armada Township Board  
23121 East Main Street  
Armada, MI 48005

Election Commission Minutes

September 6, 2023 10 a.m.

**CALL TO ORDER:** 10 a.m. by Clerk Swiacki

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Murray, Paterek, Swiacki  
Also present: Dawn Boyd, Deputy Clerk

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** None

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:** None

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Early Voting Discussion:** Clerk Swiacki informed the election commission that the Secretary of State has allocated 30 million dollars in grant money for early voting sites. We are not guaranteed to receive 100% of the funding we request in our application. We are requesting \$19,573.54 mainly for the purchase of an additional DS200, laptop and election inspector wages. The Macomb County Clerk will not be assisting any of the Macomb County jurisdictions in setting up an early voting site for Macomb County. The Macomb County Clerk indicated that we should partner up with other municipalities. He suggested that Armada partner with Ray, Richmond Township and maybe Lenox Township. Clerk Swiacki indicated that the residents of Armada Township and The Village should not have to go out of their jurisdiction to vote and to keep early voting in Armada Township. Clerk Swiacki will present a resolution to the board on September 13 to establish an early voting precinct in Armada Township.

**ADJOURNMENT:** Motion by Swiacki seconded by Paterek to adjourn the meeting at 10:17 a.m.

**Motion CARRIED**

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Mary K. Swiacki, CMMC, MiPMC  
Armada Township Clerk

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