

COUNCIL OF ELECTION OFFICIALS
MEETING MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 16, 2009

At a regular meeting of the Council of Election Officials held on September 16, 2009 at 2:00 p.m. at the Lansing City Hall, Clerk's Conference Room, Lansing, Michigan:

Evan Hope (Delhi Township Clerk) called the meeting to order.

Members present: County Clerks – Diane Zuker (Clinton), Tim Snow (Kalamazoo), Susan Kaltenbach (Saginaw), Lauri Braid (Shiawassee), Larry Kestenbaum (Washtenaw County) Local Clerks – Evan Hope (Delhi Township), Kathy Dornan (Farmington Hills Township), Todd Blake (Freemont City), Chris Swope (Lansing), Terri Kowal (Shelby Township), Sharon Tischler (Southfield Township).

Others present: Chris Thomas (BOE)

Legislation:

Chris Thomas – talked about federal election bills – Military and Oversees votes

The bill matrix: MAMC will review the legislative bill matrix at their next meeting. MACC changed opposition to support on HB 4087.

Discussion HB 4640 regarding notary bills.

NEW BUSINESS

Larry Kestenbaum would like to see elections moved to May primaries and November general elections and only have two elections a year.

The meeting adjourned at 2:30 p.m.

Lauri L. Braid
Shiawassee County Clerk