

SUBJECT:

Board of Elections appointment.

MEETING DATE:

July 18, 2023

SUBMITTED BY:

Cherokee Admin

SUGGESTED ACTION:

The Board of Elections and Registration appointed Steve Divine to the Board of Elections by unanimous vote at their July 3, 2023 meeting. Mr. Divine is an at large appointment and will serve as the Board's Chairperson for a two-year term beginning July 3, 2023 and expiring July 2, 2025.

FACTS AND ISSUES:

HB 642 and 644 were signed by the Governor on May 1, 2023 and became effective immediately. HB 644 abolished the current Board of Elections on June 30, 2023. HB 642 established the creation of a new Board of Elections as of July 1, 2023. The Act provides how the new members will be appointed - four members to be appointed by the Board of Commissioners and one member appointed by the Board of Elections to serve as an at large appointment with the position of Chairperson.

ATTACHMENTS:

[HB 642 and 644 Elections.pdf](#)