

**Takoma Park Board of Elections Agenda Thursday,
January 12th, 2023, 7:30 p.m., online**

- 1. Call to order**
- 2. Agenda approval**
- 3. Approval of minutes from December 8th Meeting**
- 4. Election of officers**
- 5. Review of campaign finance reports**
- 6. Election report**
- 7. Deferred Items**
- 8. Other Business**
- 9. Adjourn**

Next Meeting: Thursday, February 9th, 2023, 7:30pm, online

Deferred:

- **Short term**
 - **Soliciting feedback from community & candidates**
 - **Development work with KnowInk**
- **Longer term**
 - **Board business & organization**
 - **Developing internal protocols/procedures**
 - **Merging elections with County**
 - **Mail-in vs. in-person (with opt-in mail-in)**
 - **Ranked choice voting**
 - **Election auditing**
 - **Build internal protocols for how to investigate and remedy potential violations of Takoma Park Election Code**
 - **Preparing “stock” letters (eg, Takoma Park equivalent of FEC Request for Additional Information)**
 - **Review of “vote by email” protocol**
 - **Do we want this and how do we want this to work?**
 - **Build FAQ/knowledge database of how to fill out campaign finance reports**
 - **Simplify campaign finance reporting process?**
 - **Turnout in wards 4-6?**
- **Code amendments**
 - **Candidate registration deadlines (regarding differences for incumbent/challenger)**
 - **Clarification of use of surplus funds**

- **Increasing time between day for last receipt of ballots and certification**
- **Adding a provision allowing for confidential voters**
- **Adding a provision clarifying Clerk's discretion in releasing voter list**
- **Adding a provision clarifying process for how to handle anonymous donations**
- **Clarification of how loans work**
- **Clarification of Board's discretion/authority to issue fines**
- **Handling voter complaints**