



PUBLIC COMPLAINT

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COMPLAINANT INFORMATION

WRONGDOING

Summary

I attended poll worker training today, Oct 8, 2024 at 9 AM held at Fairfield County Board of Elections. I have worked the polls in the past and was aware of new information to be presented regarding voter ID. When the trainer, Tara spoke about the acceptable forms of ID and what to look for I asked if that was to include the new Non citizen, non transferable and non renewable notation that is now designated on licenses. She said that our duty is to follow what is outlined in the book and what was presented on the slide. It did not include that new information yet the new SOS Manual discusses this information. She then stated we are not to be the ID police and if that is we do and that look further, then we should consider a different part of the election process (not sure what she meant by this) and if we did pursue that line then we would be removed from our duties as a poll worker and not be allowed to serve again. With that, I let my line of questioning go. After the training, I was in the office and saw the other trainer, Josh. I brought up the ID question to him and mentioned that Tara was a bit defensive to my line of questions. He then reiterated that we are not to be an investigator. I asked as to why they were not using the latest training manual released that had the new ID information. Josh said that they use what they feel is important and relevant and that the SOS doesn't really have rule over the individual BOE offices and that they follow the ORC. He also stated that if anyone questioned those IDs then that person would be removed from their duties and not permitted to serve again. I was shocked that they feel that verification of ID is not important or needed especially now that it is denoted on licenses being issued. It is one thing to see this ID denoting a non citizen and requiring provisional ballot, it is quite different allow non citizen to vote and have their ballot counted which dilutes my vote or votes of others.

Occurred

From: 10/8/2024
Thru: 10/8/2024

Location Name

Fairfield County BOE

Description

Training Room

Address

951 Liberty Drive
Lancaster, OH 43130

PERSON(S) INVOLVED

Involvement

Subject

Name

N/A

Primary Phone

Email

Address

Comment

Employer

Name:

Address:

Title:

RELATED FILES

File

Description

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Complainant Signature