



# Fulton County

## Legislation Details (With Text)

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**Type:** CM Action Item - Open & Responsible Government      **Status:** Passed  
**File created:** 8/28/2023      **In control:** Board of Commissioners  
**On agenda:** 9/20/2023      **Final action:** 9/20/2023  
**Title:** Request approval to increase the compensation for the Fulton County Board of Registration and Elections ("BRE"). If approved, the monthly compensation for the BRE chairperson will increase from \$300.00 to \$600.00, and the monthly compensation for the remaining BRE Members will increase from \$250.00 to \$500.00. This increase will be effective upon the BOC's approval. (APPROVED)

**Sponsors:**

**Indexes:**

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**Attachments:**

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
9/20/2023	1	Board of Commissioners	approve	Pass

### Department

Registration & Elections

### Requested Action *(Identify appropriate Action or Motion, purpose, cost, timeframe, etc.)*

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### Requirement for Board Action *(Cite specific Board policy, statute or code requirement)*

Pursuant to Fulton County Code section 14-43, the compensation of each member of the BRE, shall be fixed by the BOC and shall be paid wholly from County funds.

### Strategic Priority Area related to this item *(If yes, note strategic priority area below)*

Open and Responsible Government

### Commission Districts Affected

- All Districts
- District 1
- District 2
- District 3
- District 4
- District 5
- District 6

## Is this a purchasing item?

No

**Summary & Background:** At the August 10, 2023, BRE meeting, Chairperson Perkins-Hooker entertained a motion to request a stipend increase for the BRE to \$600 for the Chair and \$500 for all other board members. The motion was made by Mr. Heekin, seconded by Mr. Johnson, and carried by a unanimous vote.

At the 12/19/2018 Regular BOC meeting, the BOC voted to approve an increase in the compensation for the BRE chairperson to \$300 per month, and an increase for the remaining BRE members to \$250 per month, to make BRE compensation comparable to the majority of metro county election boards. This increase became effective on January 1, 2019.

**Scope of Work:** Request approval of the BRE increased compensation from \$300 to \$600 per month for the chairperson of the BRE and from \$250 to \$500 per month for all other BRE members.

**Community Impact:** The Department of Registration & Elections staff is not aware of any community impact.

**Department Recommendation:** The Department of Registration and Elections recommends approval.

**Project Implications:** The Department of Registration & Elections staff is not aware of any project implications.

**Community Issues/Concerns:** The Department of Registration & Elections staff is not aware of any community issues or concerns.

**Department Issues/Concerns:** The Department of Registration & Elections staff does not have any issues or concerns.

## Fiscal Impact / Funding Source

### Funding Line 1:

350-265-2880-1169 - Elections, Registration & Elections, Stipends - \$1,300.00

### Funding Line 2:

350-265-2881-1169 - Elections, Registration & Elections, Stipends - \$1,300.00