

**Help America Vote Act  
Local Election Professionals Working Committee  
June 5, 2003**

Meeting Summary

The Local Election Professionals Working Committee met Thursday, June 5, 2003, at 9:30 a.m. in the office of the Oklahoma County Election Board in Oklahoma City. Members attending the meeting were: **Connie Parnell**, Cherokee County Election Board Secretary; **Shelly Boggs**, Tulsa County Election Board Assistant Secretary; **Doug Sanderson**, Oklahoma County Election Board Secretary; **Joyce Smith**, Grady County Election Board Secretary; **Joyce Thornburgh**, Alfalfa County Election Board Secretary; **Terri Thomas**, Rogers County Election Board Secretary; **Paula Roberts**, Cleveland County Election Board Secretary; and **Pam Strawn**, Cleveland County Election Board Assistant Secretary.

State Election Board staff members in attendance included **Michael Clingman**, State Election Board Secretary; **Carol Slater**, State Election Board Assistant Secretary; **Fran Roach**, Support Services Director; **Montie Fisher**, Information Services Director; **Karen Mobly**, Regional Coordinator Supervisor; **Carol Morris**, Training Coordinator; **Suzanne Cox**, Publications Editor; and **Vada Holstein**, Information Representative.

1. Clingman provided a brief update of the status of the federal funds supporting HAVA implementation.
2. The State Election Board staff is in the process of applying for a federal grant of approximately \$144,000 for the purpose of making polling places accessible.
3. Clingman also briefly reviewed the major provisions of new state legislation.
4. The group discussed the voter identification requirements and has tentatively agreed to recommend only the minimum required by HAVA.
5. Clingman led the committee through the most recent draft of the state plan.

The Working Committee scheduled its next meeting for Tuesday, July 22, 2003, at 9:30 a.m. at the Oklahoma County Election Board office.