

GRADY COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING MINUTES

September 17, 2019 Regular Meeting

The Grady County Board of Commissioners met on September 17, 2019 at 6:00 pm for the regular scheduled meeting. Chair LaFaye Copeland, Vice-Chair Keith Moye, Commissioners Phillip Drew, June Knight, County Clerk John White, and Finance Director, Holly Murkerson were present. Commissioner Ray Prince and County Administrator Buddy Johnson were absent from the meeting.

Mrs. Copeland opened the meeting with prayer and the pledge to the flag.

Motion by Mr. Drew, second by Mrs. Knight to adopt the agenda as presented. The motion was approved.

Public Comments

Tony Ward, US 319 South

Mr. Ward urged the Board of Commissioners to find a way to fund the Boys and Girls Club \$20,000.00 as it has in the past with the DATE funds.

Peter Wright, 304 Stephens Rd

Mr. Wright stated that the Boys and Girls Club is part of the Lake Effect. He stated it appears we are positioning ourselves to refinance some of the bonds or borrow some more money to get \$6.9 million as recommended by some think tank session.

PRESENTATIONS

None

CORRESPONDENCE

The Calendar of Events was reviewed.

Grady Grown – October 5, 2019

SPLOST Referendum November 5, 2019

October 22, 2019 – Tentative Public Hearings 9:00 am and 6:00 pm.

November 7, 2019 – Tentative Public Hearing (Time TBD)

CONSENT ITEMS

Motion from Mrs. Knight, second by Mr. Moye to approve C020-19- Minutes from regular meeting on September 3,2019. The motion was approved.

Motion from Mr. Moye, second from Mr. Prince to approve C019-19- Land Plat for Chris Boswell. The motion was approved.

FORMAL ACTIONS

FA033-19 Motion by Mr. Moye, second by Mr. Drew to approve the Archway partnership MOU at \$10,000.00 for the 2019-2020 fiscal year invoice. The motion was approved.

FA034-19 Motion by Mr. Moye, second by Mr. Drew to approve Mrs. LaFaye Copeland to represent Grady County at the ACCG Legislative Leadership Conference Business Session. The motion was approved.

FA035-19 Motion by Mr. Drew, second by Mrs. Knight to approve SWGRC Support/Maintenance of Geographic Information System Tax Parcel Data, Soil and Land cover data – Memorandum of Agreement. The motion was approved.

FA036-19 Motion by Mr. Moye, second by Mr. Drew to approve Rumbles Copier Lease for Registrar's Office, Sheriff's Department, 60-month lease includes 7 new computers at a monthly cost of \$480.60. The motion was approved.

NEW/UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Commissioner Knight stated that something needs to be done about our county roads.

Commissioner Copeland and Commissioner Drew spoke about the importance of the upcoming SPLOST and the potential confusion with some citizens having to vote twice since it is a City and County Election on November 5, 2019. Early voting was suggested to help avoid confusion.

REPORTS

- 1. Animal Control
- 2. Code Enforcement
- 3. Buildings and Grounds
- 4. Roads and Bridges

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Moye and second by Mr. Drew. The motion was approved.

LAFAYE COPELAND, CHAIR

KEITH MOYE, VICE-CHAIR

ATTEST:

RAY PRINCE, COMMISSIONER

JOHN WHITE, COUNTY CLERK

JUNE KNIGHT, COMMISSIONER

PHILLIP DREW, COMMISSIONER