

**CAMDEN COUNTY, GEORGIA
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
REGULAR MEETING
FEBRUARY 15, 2022, 6:00 PM**

Present: Chairman Gary Blount; Vice-Chairman Ben L. Casey; Commissioner Lannie Brant; County Clerk Katie Bishop and Deputy County Administrator Shawn Boatright.

Attending Virtually: County Attorney John S. Myers

Absent: Commissioner Chuck Clark; Commissioner Trevor Readdick and County Administrator Steve Howard

Chairman Blount called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Commissioner Lannie Brant delivered the invocation.

Chairman Blount led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Agenda Amendments:

Removal of Item 1 under Old Business:

1. Consideration of Request for Special Use approval for a Private Airstrip on 100 acres. Parcel is zoned (A-F) Agricultural Forestry and is located off Charlie Smith Sr. HWY. Tax Map 132 001. Trevor & Crystal Readdick, owner, Trevor Readdick, applicant.

Addition of Regular Agenda Item 4 and renumber the agenda accordingly:

4. Adoption of the Language Access Plan for the Community Development Block Grant.

Vice-Chairman Casey made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Brant to approve the agenda amendments as presented.

The motion carried unanimously.

Motion to Adopt the Agenda:

Commissioner Brant made a motion, seconded by Vice-Chairman Casey to adopt the agenda as amended.

The motion carried unanimously.

Approval of the Minutes

- February 1, 2022 Public Hearing and Regular Meeting Minutes

Commissioner Brant made a motion, seconded by Vice-Chairman Casey to approve the February 1, 2022 Regular Meeting Minutes.

The motion carried unanimously.

Presentations

- Georgia Rental Assistance Program presented by Waldron Hamilton, GRA Outreach Coordinator, Georgia Department of Community Affairs

Waldron Hamilton, GRA Outreach Coordinator, Georgia Department of Community Affairs, presented a PowerPoint presentation on the Georgia Rental Assistance Program.

- Mid-Year Budget Report presented by Chief Financial Officer Nancy Gonzalez

Chief Financial Officer Nancy Gonzalez presented a PowerPoint presentation on the Mid-Year Budget Report.

Public Comments

Ben Goff, Harriett's Bluff Road
Strategic plan updates

What are they and where can the average person find those discussions?
What amount is the county paying Lyle Sumak: consulting annually to produce the "strategic" plan updates, why is it not done in house?

Regular Agenda

1. Adoption of the 2022 Action Agenda for the Strategic Plan

Commissioner Brant made a motion, seconded by Vice-Chairman Casey to adopt the 2022 Action Agenda for the Strategic Plan

The motion carried unanimously.

2. Acceptance of grant award for ACCG – 2022 Georgia County Internship Program.

Vice-Chairman Casey made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Brant to accept the grant award for ACCG – 2022 Georgia County Internship Program.

The motion carried unanimously.

3. Acceptance of the Community Development Block Grant – COVID-19 Grant Award through the Georgia Department of Community Affairs.

Commissioner Brant made a motion, seconded by Vice-Chairman Casey to accept the Community Development Block Grant – COVID-19 Grant Award through the Georgia Department of Community Affairs.

The motion carried unanimously.

4. Adoption of the Language Access Plan for the Community Development Block Grant.

Commissioner Brant made a motion, seconded by Vice-Chairman Casey to adopt the Language Access Plan for the Community Development Block Grant.

The motion carried unanimously.

5. Approval of purchase two (2) Lucas Devises from Stryker Medical for the two (2) new ambulances.

Commissioner Brant made a motion, seconded by Vice-Chairman Casey to approve the purchase two (2) Lucas Devises from Stryker Medical for the two (2) new ambulances.

The motion carried unanimously.

6. Approval of purchase of 2022 Ford F-350 4 x 4 regular cab service truck.

Commissioner Brant made a motion, seconded by Vice-Chairman Casey to purchase a 2022 Ford F-350 4 x 4 regular cab service truck from Duval Fleet.

The motion carried unanimously.

Reports

- **Calendar** - February & March 2022

County Clerk Katie Bishop noted that the Board of Elections and Registration scheduled for Thursday, February 17, 2022 has been cancelled.

- **County Administrator Comments**

No comments were offered during this time.

Additional Public Comments

Matt Jordan, Woodbine

Mr. Jordan stated that on Highway 110 heading towards the Landfill there is a trash problem. He explained that trucks are allowed to transport trash on dump trailers that are not tarped. He stated that this leads to trash falling out onto the

road and right-of-ways. He explained that he has contacted GADOT and the Sheriff's Office regarding this matter. He asked that the enforcement of requiring tarps on the dump trailers for travel to the landfill would alleviate the problem.

Ben Goff, Harriett's Bluff

At this time, Mr. Goff approached the Commissioners and passed out to books to each one.

Books are donated to the commissioner positions, not the individuals currently sitting in them. In an effort to prepare for eventual live streaming of Commissioners meetings, we would like to see a more professional atmosphere at the commissioners dais, consequently as wearing a hat in doors or in meeting is considered by most folks to be disrespectful, we ask that the chairperson to take whatever steps necessary to produce a more "respectful" atmosphere during meetings Agenda "old business"? Generally used improperly as in this case ... See "Roberts rules" Proper accepted term is unfinished business Proper terminology and actions for " tabling a motion" is not "table" although acceptable, a motion lay on the table should be brought back before the end of the meeting and not later than the next scheduled meeting as in the case of Item one on this agenda. See "Robert's Rules for proper handling.

Adjournment:

Commissioner Readdick made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Brant to adjourn the February 15, 2022 regular meeting. The vote was unanimous to adjourn the meeting at 7:02 PM.

The motion carried unanimously.