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**Camden County Receives
 Flood Mitigation Assistance**

WOODBINE, GEORGIA – March 22, 2019 – The Camden County Board of Commissioners is pleased to announce that it is a recipient of Flood Mitigation Assistance from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the Georgia Emergency Management Agency (GEMA). The \$95,714 grant will assist in the acquisition, demolition, and clearance of a repetitive loss property.

“We are happy to receive this funding from FEMA and GEMA,” said Scott Brazzell, Community Rating System (CRS), Erosion & Sedimentation (E & S) Coordinator. “Clearing this property will provide additional points towards improving our CRS score and allow unincorporated Camden County residents to enjoy a greater discount on their flood insurance.”

With 75%, \$84,454, from FEMA and 10%, \$11,260, from GEMA, Camden County will add 15%, \$16,891, through in-kind funding, demolition, and clearance assistance. This property will be cleared of any structures and returned to a natural state of vegetation. Additionally, this property will be deed restricted to prevent future residential use.



From Left: Commissioner Lannie Brant, CRS, E&S Coordinator Scott Brazzell, Commission Vice-Chair Gary Blount, Commission Chair Jimmy Starline, Commissioner Ben Casey, Grants Manager Julie Haigler, and Commissioner Chuck Clark.

About Camden County: Located in the extreme southeast corner of Georgia, Camden County truly is “Georgia’s Coastal Community of Choice.” Originally formed in 1777, Camden County is best known for its rich history, natural scenic beauty and Southern hospitality. Our vision is helping to make this the best place to live by preserving and enhancing the history and quality of life, while promoting smart growth and providing an efficient, effective and responsive government.

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