July 06, 2021, Meeting

The Grady County Board of Commissioners met on July 06, 2021, at 9:00 am for a regular meeting. Commissioners Keith Moye, June Knight, Phillip Drew, Ray Prince, County Administrator Buddy Johnson, County Finance Director Holly Murkerson, and County Clerk John White were present. Commissioner LaFaye Copeland participated by telephone.

Mr. Drew opened the meeting with the invocation and pledge to the flag.

Motion by Mr. Prince, second by Mrs. Knight to amend the agenda by adding an executive session to discuss personnel. The motion was approved.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

PRESENTATIONS

None

CORRESPONDENCE

The Calendar of Events was reviewed.

Lake Authority Meeting, 07/12/2021, 8:30 am at the Commissioners Chambers.

Regular Board meeting, 7/20/2021, 6:00 pm.

CONSENT ITEMS

Motion by Mr. Prince, second by Mr. Moye to approve

C034-21 Regular Meeting Minutes and Executive Session Minutes from 06/15/2021 meeting.

C035-21 Department Heads for the county: Road Department, Stanley Elkins, County Shop, Chris Dix, Recreation Department, Becky Bracewell, Grady EMS, Rodney Gordon, EMA Director/Fire Chief, Richard Phillips, Animal Control, Jeff Ezell, Buildings and Grounds/Code Enforcement, Brian Harrison, Finance Director, Holly Murkerson, and Human Resources Director, John White.

C036-21 Approve the Burgess Estate Plat, Jeffery Sellars Plat, and Theresa Yates Plat.

The motion was approved.

FORMAL ACTIONS

FA033-21 Motion by Mr. Moye, second by Mr. Prince to approve an Ordinance Adopting and enacting a New Code for the county. The motion was approved.

FA030-21 Motion by Mr. Moye, second by Mr. Prince to approve Changes to the Variance of the Land Use Ordinance, which was tabled from the June 15, 2021, meeting. The motion was approved.

FA034-21 Motion by Mr. Moye, second by Mr. Prince to approve purchase of stock pipe from Southern Pipe and Supply for $28,393.53. The only other bid received was from Gulf Atlantic Culvert Co. for $28,608.04. The motion was approved.

NEW/UNFINISHED BUSINESS

County Administrator’s Report.

• Pre-Construction meeting held 6-17-2021
• Pine Park Road set for August 1
• LMIG Safety Action Plan
• Approved for Grady County at 150,000.00
• Courthouse Closed July 9-12
• ABM-HVAC Replacement
• Server Replacement in Commissioners Office, old, failed and outdated
• Updating SO CAD and MDT systems
  o Requesting the Use of ARPA funding – Quotes to come
• Hotel/Motel Tax Ordinance, Gabe is reviewing and will give guidance
• Planning Commission met recently
  o Looking at Zoning plan from 2011
• Phishing Emails rampant, be aware
• Scott Blount from Tifton assisting us with possible Grant ops through USDA
• Evaluations turned in for mid-point reviews.
• Financial Report has been filed by Raymond James and Associates.

EXECUTIVE SESSION
Motion by Mr. Knight, second by Mr. Moye to enter Executive Session to discuss personnel. The motion was approved.

Motion by Mrs. Knight, second by Mr. Prince to exit Executive Session. The motion was approved.

REPORTS
  A. Attorney’s Report – None
  B.
  C.

RESOLUTIONS, PROCLAMATIONS, AND AGREEMENTS

ADJOURNMENT
Motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Prince and second by Mrs. Knight. The motion was approved.

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PHILLIP DREW, CHAIR

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KEITH MOYE, VICE-CHAIR

ATTEST:

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RAY PRINCE, COMMISSIONER

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JOHN WHITE, COUNTY CLERK

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JUNE KNIGHT, COMMISSIONER

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LAFAYE COPELAND, COMMISSIONER