

# Board of Commissioners Wilkinson County

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COMMISSION MEETING  
JANUARY 21, 2019  
5:00 PM

The Wilkinson County Board of Commissioners met in a Regular Session at 5:00 P.M... on JANUARY 21, 2020 at the Commission Chambers in the Courthouse. The following Commissioners were present: Chairman Michael Gotell, Commissioner John Williams, Commissioner Pete Williams and Commissioner Glen Kester.

Commissioner James Hagins not present.

The following staff was present: County Manager Joseph Mosley, County Attorney DuBose Porter and Sr. Account Tech I Deborah Osborne.

## Invocation

Chairman Gotell asked Commissioner John Williams, District-4 to lead the invocation.

## Pledge of Allegiance

Chairman Gotell asked Commissioner Glen Kester, District-1 to lead the pledge.

## Agenda

Chairman Gotell entertained a motion to approve the Agenda. Motion was made by Commissioner John Williams and seconded by Commissioner Kester to approve the Agenda for January 21, 2020. Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner Williams voted yes, Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner Kester voted yes. Motion carried there were none opposed.

## Minutes

Chairman Gotell entertained a motion to approve the Regular Session Minutes of the January 7, 2019. Moved by Commissioner Pete Williams and seconded by Commissioner John Williams to approve the Minutes of the Regular Session Meeting. Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner Williams voted yes, Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner Kester voted yes. Motion carried there were none opposed.

Visitors' Present

Willie C. Cobb, Ulyses B. Wilson, Donna Asbell, Marty Dominy, Johnathan Jackson, Cheryl Crumbly and Tracy Strange

Recognition of Visitors / Presentations

- a. Cheryl Crumbly, Chair of Fall Line Regional Development Authority provided the Board of Commissioners with an up-date of the activities of the FLRDA.

Old Business

None

New Business

- a. Motion to reappoint Mr. DuBose Porter as County Attorney for calendar year 2020. Motion was made by Commissioner John Williams to reappoint Mr. Porter as County Attorney for the calendar year 2020. Commissioner Kester seconded the motion. Commissioner Kester voted yes, Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner John Williams voted yes. Motion carried there were none opposed.
- b. Motion to approve or deny a request by Johnathan Jackson to contract services with Baldwin County. Motion made by Commissioner Kester to deny the request. Seconded by Commissioner John Williams. Commissioner Kester voted yes, Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner John Williams voted yes. Motion carried there were none opposed.
- c. Motion to approve by resolution the setting of qualification fees for the offices of Sheriff, Clerk of Superior Court, Probate & Magistrate Judge and Tax Commissioner.

Sheriff	\$1,407.54
Superior Court Clerk	\$1,229.04
Magistrate & Probate Judge	\$1,578.31
Tax Commissioner	\$1,229.04.

Commissioner Kester voted yes, Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner John Williams voted yes. Motion carried there were none opposed.
- d. Motion to approve by resolution the setting of qualification fee for the office of Coroner. Motion was made by Commission Pete Williams seconded by Commissioner John Williams to set the qualification fees

for the office of Coroner.

Coroner \$582.12

Commissioner Kester voted yes, Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner John Williams voted yes. Motion carried there were none opposed.

- e. Motion to approve by resolution a joint request for technical assistance to the University Of Georgia School Of Environment Design to develop a concept plan for the East Wilkinson County Park. Motion was made by Commissioner John Williams seconded by Commissioner Kester to approve by resolution of a joint request for technical assistance with the University Of Georgia School Of Environment Design to develop a plan for the East Wilkinson County Park. Commissioner Kester voted yes, Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner John Williams voted yes. Motion carried there were none opposed.
- f. Motion to declare as surplus two freezers at the Wilkinson County Sheriff Department. Motion by Commissioner Kester seconded by Commissioner Pete Williams to declare two freezers surplus. Commissioner Kester voted yes, Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner John Williams voted yes. Motion carried there were none opposed.
- g. Motion to approve the purchase of a new server from Southeast Regional Technology Group in the amount of \$8,519.20. Motion made by Commissioner John Williams seconded by Commissioner Kester to purchase a new server in the amount of \$8,519.20 from Southeast Regional Technology Group. Commissioner Kester voted yes, Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner John Williams voted yes. Motion carried there were none opposed.
- h. Motion to approve a contract with Southeast Regional Technology Group in the amount of \$530.00 per month (\$6,360.00). Motion by Commissioner Kester seconded by Commissioner John Williams to approve the contract in the amount of \$530.00 per month (\$6,360.00 annually). Commissioner Kester voted yes, Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner John Williams voted yes. Motion carried there were none opposed.
- i. Motion to approve an engagement letter with TJS Dana Deemer in the amount of \$10,000.00 to provide accounting services. Motion by Commissioner Pete Williams seconded by Commissioner John Williams to approve letter of engagement with TJS Dana Deemer in the amount of \$10,000.00 for accounting services. Commissioner Kester voted yes, Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner John Williams voted yes. Motion carried there were none opposed.
- j. Motion to approve an alcohol license by AARush Inc. dba K&J Food Mart, at 2433 GA Hwy 57, Gordon, GA. Motion made by

Commissioner Kester and seconded by Commissioner John Williams to approve Beer & Wine License for off premises consumption for AARush Inc., dba K&J Food Mart in Gordon, Georgia. Commissioner Kester voted yes, Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner John Williams voted yes.

Chairman's Report:

County Managers Report:

Motion made by Commissioner J. Williams seconded by Commissioner Kester to go into Executive Session on a personnel matter. Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner John Williams voted yes and Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner Kester voted yes. Motion Carried there were none opposed.

Motion made by Commissioner J. Williams and seconded by Commissioner Kester to exit Executive Session. No action taken. Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner John Williams voted yes and Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner Kester voted yes. Motion Carried there were none opposed.

Adjournment

- a. Moved by Commissioner J. Williams and seconded by Commissioner P. Williams to adjourn the meeting. Chairman Gotell voted yes, Commissioner Williams voted yes, Commissioner Pete Williams voted yes and Commissioner Kester voted yes. Motion carried there were none opposed.

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