

AGENDA
REGULAR MEETING
5:00 P.M.
February 1, 2021

1. Call to Order
2. Invocation and *Pledge of Allegiance*
3. Approval of Agenda
4. Old Business
 - a. Discussion of Notice of Annexation from the City of Metter
 - b. Felicia Oglesby – Consideration of a request to add a license for off-premises consumption of beer for Felicia Ray’s Package Store
5. Adjournment

Board of Commissioners of Candler County
Regular Meeting
February 1, 2021
5:00 p.m.

The Board of Commissioners of Candler County met for the regular monthly meeting on Monday, February 1, 2021, at 5:00 p.m., in the Commissioners' boardroom at 1075 East Hiawatha Street, Suite A, Metter, Georgia. Those attending the meeting were Candler County Chairman, Glyn Thrift; Vice-Chairman Brad Jones attended virtually; Candler County Commissioners, David Robinson, and Blake Hendrix; Candler County Administrator, Bryan Aasheim; Candler County Attorney, Kendall Gross attended virtually; Candler County Clerk, Kellie Lank. There were no other guests attending the meeting. This meeting was offered via teleconference to the public. The Metter Advertiser was notified but did not attend this meeting. Commissioner Gregory Thomas was unable to attend this meeting.

Call to Order

Commissioner Robinson called the meeting to order at 5:04 p.m.

Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance

Commissioner Robinson delivered the invocation and led the *Pledge of Allegiance*.

Amendment to the Agenda

Due to circumstances, Mr. Aasheim requested amending the agenda to defer all items except for two items. Commissioner Hendrix made a motion to amend the agenda with the removal of all items except of the following. Commissioner Robinson provided a second. The motion carried 4-0.

4.a Discussion of Notice of Annexation from the City of Metter

4.b. Felicia Oglesby – Consideration of a request to add a license for off-premises consumption of beer for Felicia Ray's Package Store

Old Business

Discussion of Notice of Annexation from the City of Metter

A discussion was held about the letter of notification of proposed annexation dated January 11, 2020 and received January 12, 2021 received from the City of Metter regarding parcel 037 030 presently owned by Ganesh SV Metter MPMP, LLC. Mr. Aasheim and Mr. Gross inspected the property and Mr. Gross researched the County's legal options regarding annexation. After discussing the options, it was determined that the County had no legal reason to object or agree to the annexation. Mr. Gross phrased and recommended a motion be made that the County has no legal opposition to the City of Metter's letter of annexation.

Commissioner Hendrix made a motion that the County has no legal opposition to the City of Metter's letter of annexation. Vice-Chairman Jones provided a second. The motion passed 3-1 with Commissioner Robinson voting against. Commissioner Robinson stated he is opposed due to the fact that the City of Metter is not annexing both parcels as a result leaving an island of one parcel.

Felicia Oglesby – Consideration of a request to add a license for off-premises consumption of beer for Felicia Ray’s Package Store

Mr. Aasheim reported that the County failed to consider and provide Felicia Oglesby with a permit for the off-premises sale of beer during the process of the licenses issued to Ms. Oglesby for the sale of liquor and wine. The State Department of Alcohol and Tobacco had reached out to Mr. Aasheim and after a discussion made the request that the Commissioners consider adding a license for off-premises consumption of beer. Mr. Aasheim stated that in light of the omission, Ms. Oglesby has applied for that additional permit to be amended to her existing permit. Ms. Oglesby has paid the fee. Mr. Aasheim recommended the license be granted to Ms. Oglesby.


Vice-Chairman Jones made the motion to grant Felicia Oglesby a license for off-premises consumption of beer for Felicia Ray’s Package Store and that additional permit to be amended to her existing permit. Commissioner Hendrix provided a second. The motion carried 4-0.

County Administrator’s Report

Mr. Aasheim reported there were two potential applicants for the paramedic position at the Candler County EMS. Corey Monroe and James Marcum be hired on a trial basis at \$14.00 per hour. Action will be ratified in the next meeting.

Adjournment

Commissioner Hendrix moved to adjourn the meeting 5:22 p.m. Commissioner Robinson provided a second to the motion. The motion carried 4-0.



Maranda K. Lank, Clerk
Attest



Chairman, Glyn Thrift