### Called Meeting September 21, 2018 9:00 A.M.

The Board of Commissioners of Candler County held a called meeting on Friday, September 21, 218, at 9:00 a.m. at the Board of Commissioners of Candler County office at 1075 East Hiawatha Street, Suite A, Metter, Georgia. The purpose of the called meeting was to adopt resolutions pertaining to County 9-1-1 Prepaid and Wireless Collections. Attending the meeting was Candler County Chairman Glyn Thrift; Candler County Commissioners Donny Wells, David Robinson and Wayne Culbertson; Bryan Aasheim, Candler County Administrator; Maranda K. Lank, County Clerk. Guest who attended was Jerri Goodman from The Metter Advertiser. Candler County Vice-Chairman Brad Jones was unable to attend this meeting.

#### Call to Order

Chairman Thrift called the meeting to order at 9:04 a.m.

#### Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance

Commissioner Wells delivered the invocation. Chairman Thrift led the Pledge of Allegiance.

To Adopt a Resolution for County 9-1-1 Charges Other than Prepaid Wireless 2018 Commissioner Robinson made the motion seconded by Commissioner Culbertson to Adopt a Resolution for County 9-1-1 Charges Other than Prepaid Wireless 2018. The motion passed unanimously. (Exhibit A)

To Adopt a Resolution for County 9-1-1 Prepaid Wireless Charges 2018

Commissioner Culbertson made the motion seconded by Commissioner Robinson to Adopt a Resolution for County 9-1-1 Prepaid Wireless Charges 2018. The motion passed unanimously. (Exhibit B)

### Adjournment

With no further business to discuss, Commissioner Wells made the motion seconded by Commissioner Culbertson to adjourn the meeting at 9:06 a.m. The motion passed unanimously.

Maranda K. Lank, Clerk

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A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF CANDLER COUNTY, GEORGIA UPDATING AND AUTHORIZING 9-1-1 CHARGES ON TELEPHONE SERVICES AND WIRELESS ENHANCED 9-1-1 CHARGES OTHER THAN PREPAID WIRELESS SERVICES; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; REPEALING PRIOR RESOLUTIONS IN CONFLICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the general law regarding 9-1-1 charges has been substantially modernized and revised by Ga. L. 2018, p. 689, HB 751; and

WHEREAS, many of these revisions include oversight and administration of 9-1-1 matters by the Georgia Emergency Communications Authority and the Department of Revenue; and

WHEREAS, Candler County, Georgia desires to update its 9-1-1 charges in accordance with revisions to state law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of Candler County, GEORGIA as follows:

### **Section 1. Definitions**

Unless specified otherwise in this resolution, all terms shall be defined in the same manner as specified in O.C.G.A. § 46-5-122.

# Section 2. 9-1-1 Charges on Monthly Services

- (a) Pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 46-5-133(a), there is imposed a monthly 9-1-1 charge upon each telephone service, subscribed to by a telephone subscriber, whose exchange access lines are in the areas served or which could be served by the 9-1-1 service. Pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 46-5-134(a)(1)(A), the amount of such 9-1-1 charge shall be \$1.50 per month per telephone service provided to the telephone subscriber.
- (b) Pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 46-5-133(a), there is imposed a monthly wireless enhanced 9-1-1 charge upon each wireless telecommunications connection, other than a connection for prepaid wireless service, subscribed to by a telephone subscriber whose place of primary use is within the geographic area that is served by Candler County, Georgia, or that would be served by Candler County, Georgia, for the purpose of such an emergency 9-1-1 system. Pursuant to O,C.G.A. 46-5-134(a)(2)(A), the amount of such enhanced wireless 9-1-1 charge shall be \$1.50 per month per wireless telecommunications connection provided to the telephone subscriber.

(c) The 9-1-1 charges under this section shall commence January 1, 2019.

# Section 3. Collecting and Remitting of 9-1-1 Charges

All such 9-1-1 charges collected by service suppliers shall be remitted to the Georgia Department of Revenue, as the contracted collection partner of the Georgia Emergency Communications Authority, at the times and in the manner provided by O.C.G.A. § 38-3-185, O.C.G.A. § 38-3-186, and any other Georgia Department of Revenue or Georgia Emergency Communications Authority rule or regulation adopted pursuant to Article 12 of Chapter 13 of Title 38 of the O.C.G.A. and Chapter 13 of Title 50 of the O.C.G.A., the "Georgia Administrative Procedures Act".

### Section 4. Deposit and Use of Proceeds

Pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 46-5-134, all proceeds received by Candler County from 9-1-1 charges imposed by this resolution shall be deposited in the Emergency Telephone System Fund maintained by the county; kept separate from general revenue of the county; and used exclusively for the statutorily authorized purposes.

# Section 5. Resolution Filing Requirements

The Clerk of the County shall file with the state revenue commissioner a certified copy of this resolution within ten (10) days of the adoption thereof. Any subsequent amendment to this resolution shall likewise be so filed by the clerk within ten (10) days of the adoption thereof.

# Section 6. Effective Date and Applicability

This resolution shall become effective on January 1, 2019. Any prior resolution establishing such 9-1-1 charges shall remain in effect until January 1, 2019. On such date, such 9-1-1 charges shall be governed by this resolution.

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# Section 7. Repealer

All resolutions, or parts of resolutions, in conflict with this resolution are repealed as of January 1, 2019.

This 21st day of September, 2018.

Candler County, Georgia

Chairperson

Attest: Marando & Dark

County Clerk

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF CANDLER COUNTY, GEORGIA UPDATING AND AUTHORIZING 9-1-1 CHARGES ON PREPAID WIRELESS SERVICES; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; REPEALING PRIOR RESOLUTIONS IN CONFLICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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By: Chairperson

Attest: Maranda K. Jank

County Clerk

