

Board of Commissioners of Candler County
Work Session
March 6, 2017
5:00 p.m.

The Board of Commissioners of Candler County held a work session on Monday, March 6, 2017, at 5:00 p.m., in the Commissioners' boardroom at 1075 East Hiawatha Street, Suite A, Metter, Georgia. The purpose of the work session was to hear any business brought before the Board prior to the regular business meeting to be held at 6:00p.m. Those attending the meeting were Candler County Chairman Glyn Thrift, Vice-Chairman Brad Jones and Commissioners Donny Wells, David Robinson and Wayne Culbertson; Candler County Administrator, Doug Eaves; Candler County Clerk, Maranda K. Lank; and Candler County Attorney, Kendall Gross; Candler County EMS Director, Melburn Kelly; Metter/Candler County Recreation Department; Tina Crooms, Communities and Schools Coordinator accompanied by Paige Jones, MHS Site Coordinator and Roberta Graham MIS Site Coordinator; Coach Mike Robins, Candler County Recreation Department; Candler County EMA Director and City of Metter Fire Chief Jason Douglas; Candler County Public Works Director, Jerry Lanier; Candler County Solid Waste/Landfill Director, Robert Hendrix; Candler County DFCS County Administrator, Rose Morris; Candler County Clerk of Court, Jenny Grimes. Other guests attending the meeting included Caroline Fondern, and the Metter Advertiser representative, Jerri Goodman;

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Thrift called the work session to order at 5:00 p.m.

Melburn Kelly – EMS Report

Candler County EMS Director, Mel Kelly opened his monthly report with the statistic of calls for the month of February, which included one hundred thirty-six calls, thirty-three Non-Transports, Ninety-nine Emergency Transports. Patients were transported 76% of the total calls for the month of February where 24% were non-transports. One patient was AirEvaced, zero mutual aid assisted and zero fatalities. Mr. Kelly elaborated on the destination of each transport for the month which included Candler County Hospital to have fifty-eight; Candler General in Savannah had one; East Georgia Regional Statesboro had twenty-one with nine transported from Candler County Hospital; Meadows Regional in Vidailia had two; Saint Joseph's in Savannah had two; Emanuel Medical Center in Swainsboro had one; Georgia Regents (MCG) in Augusta had two; Memorial Medical in Savannah had six; Tattnall Memorial in Reidsville had one; Joseph M. Still Burn Center of Augusta had one and the V.A. Hospital in Augusta had two. Of these transports, nine were nursing home responses and twenty-one hospital transfers.

See the February 2017 Report Mr. Kelly submitted to the Board below:

Candler County EMS

February 2017 Report

Total Call's for month of February – (136)

Non-Transports – (33)

Emergency Transports – (99)

Non-Emergency Transports – (4) 3-Hospice 1-Nursing Home

Transport % - (76%)

Non-Transport % - (24%)

Fly Outs – (1)

Mutual Aide – (0)

Fatality Auto Accidents – (0)

Destination Name

Candler County Hospital -----	(58)
Candler General Hospital Savannah -----	(1)
East Georgia Regional Hospital Statesboro -----	(21) From CCH (9)
Meadows Regional Hospital Vidalia -----	(2)
Saint Joseph's Hospital Savannah -----	(2)
Emanuel Medical Center Swainsboro -----	(1)
Georgia Regents Hospital (MCG) Augusta -----	(2)
Memorial Medical Center Savannah -----	(6)
Tattnall Memorial Hospital Reidsville -----	(1)
Joseph M. Still Burn Center Augusta -----	(1)
V.A. Hospital Augusta -----	(2)
Nursing Home Responses – (9)	Hospital Transfers – (21)

Mr. Kelly continued his report with an update on the EMS Building upgrades. He stated the floor covering and furniture had been ordered with an expected two weeks before deliver.

Mr. Kelly briefly explained why he felt the Board should consider changing billing companies again. Mr. Kelly stated due to a significant loss of approximately been an \$8,000.00 monthly reduction, nearly \$100,000.00 per year when the Board decided to change from EMS Consultants to C&S Healthcare Billing. Mr. Kelly concluded that Mr. Eaves is to elaborate more in depth on the proposed billing company during the regular meeting.

With nothing further discussed, Mr. Kelly excused himself from the workshop.

Tina Crooms – Community and Schools

Tina Crooms, Director of Communities and Schools delivered the annual report. She began by thanking the Board for the continued support. She introduced the site coordinators, Paige Jones and Roberta Graham, who work closely with the student at each school. They connect mentor to mentee, currently twelve mentors are participating providing assistance to seventeen mentees. The site coordinators also monitor attendance, behavior and academics are which are tracked for all case managed students, nearly one hundred. Ms. Crooms thanked the Board once again for their support and funding, and asked they would consider them in the future.

With no further discussion, Ms. Crooms excused herself from the meeting.

Mike Robins – Recreation Department Monthly Report

Coach Mike Robins, Candler County Recreation Department Director, approached the Board to deliver his monthly report.

- Baseball Registration
- T-Ball facility
- Strickland Building – floor, tables, exterior
- SPLOST Parking lot
- Minor league football team

Catherine Muse – Archway Partnership Update

Not Present

Rose Morris – DFCS Annual Report

Candler County DFCS County Administrator, Rose Morris presented the FY2016 Annual Report to the Board along with a brief description of the report included below:



STATE OF GEORGIA
Division of Family and Children Services

Annual Report
FY2016

July 1, 2015 – June 20, 2016

Candler County Department of
Family and Children Services

750 South Leroy Street
Metter, Georgia 30439

DFCS Mission and Vision:

Vision

Safe Children. Strengthened Families. Stronger Communities.

Mission

We prioritize the **safety** of Georgia's children in the decisions we make and the actions we take. We **strengthen** families toward independence and build stronger communities with **caring, effective** and **responsive** service.

A note to the Candler County Community:

The Candler County Department of Family and Children Services would like to express our sincere appreciation to the support we have received from the community and partners over this last year. We have a new practice model *Solution Based Casework* for child protective services and a new Gateway system for eligibility coming in the summer and fall of 2017. We hope that both have a positive impact on the families we serve. We appreciate the community and our partners for working together to serve the families of Candler County and the State of Georgia.

We give a special thanks to our dedicated Board, the County Commissioners, various city and county officials and our law enforcement who have worked with us, supported us and stood with us to serve the community. To our Foster Parents and volunteers, we salute you for your faithfulness.

Sincerely,



Rose Morris, County Administrator
Candler County DFCS

Candler County Board Members:

- Charles Collum, Chair
- Judy Jones, Vice-Chair
- Yadira Morales
- Lena Brazel
- Jerry Gibson

Candler County FY 2016
Office of Family Independence (OFI)
 Monthly Average unless noted

Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF)

Families	29
Adults	2
Children	58
Recipients	60
Total Annual Benefits	\$89,839
Caseload Count-June 2015	14
Caseload Count-June 2016	27
TANF with mandatory Employment Services Requirements	2

Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP or Foodstamps)

Households	1,168
Recipients	2,605
Total Annual Benefits	\$3,814,627

Medicaid

RSM (children/Pregnant women)	449
LIM (Low Income includes adults)	293
Other ARM cases	156
Aged, Blind and Disabled	631
Total	1,391

Payment by Category for Children in Childcare

TANF Applicant Services	0
TANF Ongoing Services	0
Transitional	0
Low Income Working	42
Pre-K	1
Foster Care Supplemental Supervision	2
Total	53
Total Annual Payments	\$65,810

Social Services
Monthly Average unless noted

Foster Care

Family Foster Care	3
Family Annual Expenditures	\$18,033
Specialized Foster Care	1
Specialized Annual Expenditures	\$5,645
Total children served SY 2015	4

Child Protective Services

Total Reports Received SY2016	141
Screened Out	22
Unsubstantiated	49
Substantiated	20
Family Support	50

Family Preservation Services

		Annual Expenditures
Child and Family Assessment	5	\$ 2,550
Early Intervention	0	\$ 0
Homestead	16	\$ 3,200
Parent Aide	6	\$ 500
Prevention of out-of-home placement	49	\$ 10,000

Population

Census 2010 10,998 Population Estimate as of 7/1/2015 10,380
Resident Total Population Change percent April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2015: -5.02%

Poverty in 2010 Census

Individuals in Poverty: 3,398 Individual Poverty Rate: 31.8%
Ages 0-17 in Poverty: 1,304 Ages 0-17 Poverty Rate: 38.3%

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SFY 2016

Child Protective Services

The number of reports made to Child Protective Services during SFY 2016 were: 141

Report Disposition	Number	%
Screened Out	31	21.99
Accepted for Service	69	48.94
Substantiated, Open	32	22.76
Substantiated, Closed	7	4.97
Unsubstantiated, Open	4	2.84
Unsubstantiated, Closed	38	26.95
Family Support	30	21.28

The number of children who were involved in CPS Investigations were: 79

The total children served in child protective services are categorized by age, race, ethnicity, and gender in the following tables.

Age Category	Number	%
Under 1	3	3.80
1-3	10	12.66
4-6	22	27.85
7-9	14	17.72
10-12	8	10.13
13-15	8	10.13
16-17	7	8.86
Not Indicated	0	0.00

Race	Number	%
Black	17	21.52
White	60	75.35
Asian	0	0.00
Am. Ind. ¹	0	0.00
Multiracial ²	1	1.27
Unable to Det.	1	1.27
Not Indicated	0	0.00
Ethnicity ³		
Hispanic	4	5.06

Gender	Number	%
Male	38	48.10
Female	41	51.90
Not Indicated	0	0.00

Foster Care Services

The total number of children who were served during SFY 2016 were: 9

Population Category	Beginning of SFY	Entries During SFY	Exits During SFY	Remaining At End of SFY
Number of Children	5	3	2	7
% of Children Served	66.67	33.33	22.22	77.78

The following tables categorize the total children who were in Foster Care by age, race, and gender.

Age Category	Number	%
Under 1	1	11.11
1-3	0	0.00
4-6	1	11.11
7-9	1	11.11
10-12	2	22.22
13-15	3	33.33
16-17	1	11.11
Not Indicated	0	

Race	Number	%
Black	2	22.22
White	3	33.33
Asian	0	0.00
Am. Ind. ¹	0	0.00
Multiracial ²	0	0.00
Unable to Det.	0	0.00
Ethnicity		
Hispanic	1	11.11

Gender	Number	%
Male	5	44.44
Female	4	33.33

1. Includes American Indian and Hawaiian
2. Includes children identified as having more than one race

Children in custody are categorized by current placement type and by the number of placements they have had during the current episode of foster care.

Placement Type	Number	%
Pre-Adoptive Home	1	11.11
Relative Foster Home	0	0.00
NonRelative FHEmerg. Shltr	4	44.44
Institution (less than 12 child)	0	0.00
Institution (13 or more child)	4	44.44
Runaway	0	0.00
Trial Home Visit	0	0.00

Number of Placements	Number	%
1	3	33.33
2	1	11.11
3	3	33.33
4	1	11.11
5 or more	2	22.22

Cases are categorized by the child's current placement at the end of the state fiscal year and the number of placements during their latest episode in foster care.

Number of Placements	Pre-Adoptive	Rel Foster Home	Non-Rel Foster Home	Institution (12 or less)	Institution (13 or more)	Runaway	Trial Home Visit
1	0	0	1	0	2	0	0
2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
5 or more	0	0	0	0	2	0	0

Cases are categorized by permanency plan (case plan goals) and the length of time in care.

Length of Time in Care	Total Children	Adoption	Emancipation	Guardianship	Reunification	Other Rel.	Long-Term FC	Not Yet Determ.
Less than 1 Year	5	0	1	0	2	0	0	0
At least 1 yr, less than 2 yrs	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
At least 2 yrs, less than 3 yrs	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
At least 3 yrs, less than 4 yrs	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
4 yrs or more	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

Children are categorized by their permanency plans and achieved permanency decisions (reason for discharge).

Permanency Goal	Number	%
Adoption	1	44.44
Emancipation	2	22.22
Guardianship	0	0.00
Reunification	3	33.33
Other Relative	0	0.00
Long Term Foster Care	0	0.00
Not Yet Determined	0	0.00

Discharge Reason	Number	%
Reunification	0	0.00
Other Relative	0	0.00
Adoption Finalized	1	50.00
Emancipation	1	50.00
Guardianship	0	0.00
Transfer to Another Agency/(RYDC)	0	0.00
Runaway	0	0.00
Death of Child	0	0.00

**Georgia Department of Community Health
IT - Decision Support Services**

Total Medicaid and Peachcare Expenditures by County - FY 2016

County	Medicaid		Peachcare	
	Net Payment	CMO Paid Amount	Net Payment	CMO Paid Amount
Appling	\$ 13,771,035.22	\$ 6,832,325.48	\$ 33,817.74	\$ 306,335.14
Atkinson	\$ 4,931,670.80	\$ 3,835,758.93	\$ 25,214.15	\$ 244,997.07
Bacon	\$ 10,140,520.81	\$ 4,253,310.52	\$ 8,528.39	\$ 333,235.60
Baker	\$ 1,882,753.16	\$ 1,196,286.81	\$ 2,572.92	\$ 46,660.53
Baldwin	\$ 33,056,100.39	\$ 10,749,970.68	\$ 35,064.02	\$ 472,845.37
Banks	\$ 9,492,304.75	\$ 4,964,685.19	\$ 29,521.45	\$ 545,220.81
Barrow	\$ 34,792,368.29	\$ 24,895,771.65	\$ 127,155.06	\$ 2,459,279.72
Bartow	\$ 51,622,950.05	\$ 37,364,145.60	\$ 122,379.29	\$ 2,570,828.19
Ben Hill	\$ 20,735,628.93	\$ 9,060,681.23	\$ 21,081.64	\$ 384,397.83
Berrien	\$ 15,737,373.20	\$ 7,859,073.13	\$ 24,767.24	\$ 714,992.02
Bibb	\$ 166,945,165.66	\$ 67,034,792.58	\$ 17,167.45	\$ 1,844,001.42
Bleckley	\$ 8,949,558.17	\$ 4,394,028.57	\$ 9,625.68	\$ 219,395.08
Bracon	\$ 10,017,333.52	\$ 7,829,874.18	\$ 19,354.87	\$ 500,850.38
Brooks	\$ 14,764,085.53	\$ 5,639,379.09	\$ 7,175.32	\$ 327,299.19
Bryan	\$ 11,699,476.17	\$ 6,985,684.28	\$ 7,518.21	\$ 662,911.35
Buflord	\$ 36,802,025.84	\$ 20,989,069.43	\$ 90,806.30	\$ 1,049,324.14
Burke	\$ 15,914,753.68	\$ 10,259,711.14	\$ 15,494.97	\$ 457,044.56
Butts	\$ 17,211,294.91	\$ 8,288,443.21	\$ 25,659.05	\$ 458,310.24
Calhoun	\$ 8,398,232.72	\$ 1,916,392.53	\$ 15,526.07	\$ 130,507.08
Camden	\$ 11,650,521.57	\$ 10,971,874.38	\$ 21,192.19	\$ 487,433.02
Candler	\$ 16,908,149.88	\$ 4,211,984.77	\$ 19,771.08	\$ 223,809.87
Carroll	\$ 65,236,338.25	\$ 38,572,631.35	\$ 99,813.20	\$ 2,302,241.99
Catoosa	\$ 22,643,467.24	\$ 23,181,064.17	\$ 49,794.91	\$ 1,242,055.39
Charlton	\$ 6,993,165.61	\$ 3,014,523.77	\$ 7,801.99	\$ 135,559.02
Chatham	\$ 146,979,860.60	\$ 71,756,763.21	\$ 175,064.56	\$ 3,289,636.62
Chattahoochee	\$ 1,577,962.43	\$ 1,172,604.20	\$ 906.89	\$ 118,376.78
Chattooga	\$ 20,024,364.85	\$ 9,804,368.79	\$ 16,598.40	\$ 554,205.77
Cherokee	\$ 45,137,210.01	\$ 38,694,691.47	\$ 256,649.31	\$ 4,801,099.39
Clarke	\$ 64,014,798.47	\$ 41,295,890.19	\$ 100,321.68	\$ 1,326,785.55
Clay	\$ 1,064,228.77	\$ 1,126,493.21	\$ 1,351.62	\$ 52,628.86
Clayton	\$ 155,431,146.32	\$ 121,907,549.73	\$ 384,959.26	\$ 6,126,614.68
Clinch	\$ 7,774,680.32	\$ 2,714,829.08	\$ 15,117.10	\$ 152,972.91
Cobb	\$ 227,706,157.66	\$ 137,155,021.62	\$ 543,737.56	\$ 14,624,032.15
Coffee	\$ 31,955,428.50	\$ 17,220,867.28	\$ 101,647.08	\$ 934,527.44
Colquitt	\$ 42,561,469.74	\$ 18,312,984.48	\$ 29,605.90	\$ 866,125.37
Columbia	\$ 33,484,382.79	\$ 21,003,214.34	\$ 52,921.57	\$ 1,685,835.11
Cook	\$ 13,838,912.91	\$ 7,323,483.43	\$ 39,839.66	\$ 884,351.36
Coweta	\$ 38,847,839.17	\$ 31,104,987.02	\$ 150,753.24	\$ 2,464,545.03
Crawford	\$ 6,808,401.68	\$ 3,244,548.82	\$ 10,458.84	\$ 269,254.00
Crisp	\$ 21,476,518.44	\$ 9,329,709.51	\$ 54,116.66	\$ 584,784.00
Dade	\$ 7,567,227.87	\$ 4,721,984.79	\$ 9,915.34	\$ 187,245.17
Dawson	\$ 8,559,725.98	\$ 5,062,200.11	\$ 27,625.25	\$ 839,398.54
DeKalb	\$ 428,639,408.02	\$ 220,257,025.67	\$ 434,903.37	\$ 11,935,531.53
Decatur	\$ 20,383,968.36	\$ 10,747,464.72	\$ 29,831.02	\$ 774,942.31
Dodge	\$ 15,317,396.45	\$ 7,296,460.24	\$ 15,285.96	\$ 364,296.69
Doyle	\$ 12,698,143.00	\$ 3,405,059.09	\$ 30,641.56	\$ 146,475.62
Dougherty	\$ 88,227,153.42	\$ 40,858,129.60	\$ 75,349.23	\$ 984,422.73
Douglas	\$ 61,292,123.27	\$ 43,269,180.68	\$ 134,218.76	\$ 3,419,275.24
Early	\$ 9,842,205.96	\$ 4,525,113.64	\$ 11,796.34	\$ 656,633.54
Echols	\$ 778,738.55	\$ 7,140,547.46	\$ 7,192.32	\$ 67,543.67
Effingham	\$ 16,076,632.08	\$ 13,341,388.42	\$ 48,847.32	\$ 1,204,709.81

**Georgia Department of Community Health
IT - Decision Support Services**

Total Medicaid and Peachcare Expenditures by County - FY 2016

County	Medicaid		Peachcare	
	Net Payment	CMO Pass Amount	Net Payment	CMO Pass Amount
Eibert	\$ 12,169,416.53	\$ 7,476,843.09	\$ 30,412.98	\$ 159,951.00
Emanuel	\$ 25,567,864.75	\$ 9,894,431.83	\$ 70,243.00	\$ 582,377.57
Evans	\$ 9,465,187.64	\$ 4,489,376.81	\$ 14,603.43	\$ 27,048.76
Fannin	\$ 11,319,417.57	\$ 7,208,298.23	\$ 30,658.68	\$ 744,466.35
Fayette	\$ 27,091,541.46	\$ 14,103,100.21	\$ 80,669.99	\$ 1,789,504.11
Floyd	\$ 80,552,683.02	\$ 38,515,686.56	\$ 116,718.03	\$ 1,957,133.67
Forsyth	\$ 28,342,715.87	\$ 20,846,142.96	\$ 158,389.48	\$ 3,117,895.15
Franklin	\$ 19,459,954.97	\$ 8,179,037.08	\$ 27,649.08	\$ 518,388.43
Fulton	\$ 534,652,350.54	\$ 264,546,700.07	\$ 445,043.67	\$ 11,370,533.38
Gilmer	\$ 15,875,163.31	\$ 8,256,553.57	\$ 35,491.17	\$ 617,774.61
Glascok	\$ 4,593,383.22	\$ 991,491.21	\$ 1,473.73	\$ 75,209.06
Glynn	\$ 42,385,970.07	\$ 23,591,822.52	\$ 49,729.36	\$ 1,680,313.71
Gordon	\$ 27,474,350.98	\$ 18,338,866.76	\$ 354,514.55	\$ 1,729,576.36
Grady	\$ 16,240,276.65	\$ 8,779,801.27	\$ 30,567.51	\$ 533,543.73
Greene	\$ 11,711,710.83	\$ 3,361,724.17	\$ 41,401.73	\$ 180,445.15
Gwinnett	\$ 745,771,201.14	\$ 398,325,151.24	\$ 897,749.55	\$ 27,861,329.51
Habersham	\$ 21,058,396.40	\$ 11,387,057.77	\$ 46,768.17	\$ 1,125,833.82
Hall	\$ 80,509,915.14	\$ 41,255,618.36	\$ 312,189.22	\$ 5,413,196.10
Hancock	\$ 11,450,871.84	\$ 2,156,401.42	\$ 3,101.92	\$ 77,417.86
Haralson	\$ 73,083,879.53	\$ 11,130,538.87	\$ 3,334.36	\$ 505,438.21
Harris	\$ 10,232,970.42	\$ 4,666,985.57	\$ 5,165.28	\$ 278,958.83
Hart	\$ 15,241,912.80	\$ 6,539,106.34	\$ 22,311.53	\$ 532,245.57
Heard	\$ 9,195,169.06	\$ 4,508,373.46	\$ 7,266.24	\$ 220,688.54
Henry	\$ 70,525,959.24	\$ 54,587,637.17	\$ 312,016.86	\$ 4,813,263.77
Houston	\$ 64,175,472.10	\$ 41,367,137.48	\$ 185,223.88	\$ 3,306,321.01
Ibom	\$ 5,807,581.65	\$ 3,545,338.28	\$ 15,731.24	\$ 320,652.87
Jackson	\$ 78,425,942.36	\$ 14,373,106.79	\$ 76,447.76	\$ 1,574,966.54
Jasper	\$ 6,869,358.43	\$ 4,494,527.61	\$ 13,925.32	\$ 259,797.87
Jeff Davis	\$ 9,164,832.32	\$ 6,970,607.68	\$ 18,834.48	\$ 394,271.37
Jefferson	\$ 18,974,468.43	\$ 6,395,824.41	\$ 6,965.27	\$ 452,574.84
Jones	\$ 9,902,686.65	\$ 3,081,124.94	\$ 9,059.24	\$ 129,365.02
Jones	\$ 10,765,811.20	\$ 2,874,801.51	\$ 4,390.05	\$ 104,350.80
Jones	\$ 11,357,326.56	\$ 6,839,333.04	\$ 18,127.57	\$ 472,398.38
Lincoln	\$ 11,816,671.13	\$ 7,460,996.01	\$ 15,915.62	\$ 343,551.21
Lanier	\$ 7,143,271.42	\$ 3,209,892.26	\$ 7,877.14	\$ 156,728.07
Lauderdale	\$ 42,995,446.89	\$ 22,251,692.27	\$ 39,815.51	\$ 1,055,216.65
Lee	\$ 9,831,692.21	\$ 7,639,505.37	\$ 23,310.02	\$ 491,178.92
Liberty	\$ 32,508,440.48	\$ 13,873,928.37	\$ 45,566.71	\$ 772,515.68
Lincoln	\$ 3,205,924.23	\$ 2,575,297.62	\$ 6,961.27	\$ 109,431.52
Long	\$ 8,623,318.51	\$ 4,791,913.17	\$ 36,190.27	\$ 60,657.12
Lowndes	\$ 80,803,433.17	\$ 34,956,111.36	\$ 267,909.39	\$ 1,934,673.02
Lumpkin	\$ 13,358,584.37	\$ 7,611,231.30	\$ 32,336.29	\$ 699,671.28
Macon	\$ 17,170,098.11	\$ 3,993,102.85	\$ 26,223.02	\$ 118,511.18
Madison	\$ 19,287,286.89	\$ 8,407,442.95	\$ 57,315.82	\$ 583,381.13
Marion	\$ 4,852,787.95	\$ 2,609,038.76	\$ 10,339.30	\$ 115,210.00
McCluff	\$ 16,768,028.71	\$ 9,959,302.49	\$ 30,018.82	\$ 472,562.25
McCluskey	\$ 4,268,786.17	\$ 3,220,400.64	\$ 8,461.16	\$ 171,736.07
Meriwether	\$ 19,861,602.43	\$ 7,253,825.70	\$ 30,798.25	\$ 417,991.17
Miller	\$ 15,284,239.14	\$ 2,034,437.85	\$ 1,649.12	\$ 70,111.18
Mitchell	\$ 20,458,106.88	\$ 9,015,157.51	\$ 122,569.87	\$ 151,409.18
Monroe	\$ 16,695,587.07	\$ 5,722,020.57	\$ 19,507.23	\$ 313,641.98

**Georgia Department of Community Health
IT - Decision Support Services**

Total Medicaid and Peachcare Expenditures by County - FY 2016

County	Medicaid		Peachcare	
	Net Payment	CMD Paid Amount	Net Payment	CMD Paid Amount
Montgomery	\$ 5,774,395.83	\$ 2,670,331.09	\$ 17,101.44	\$ 197,034.71
Morgan	\$ 3,396,220.45	\$ 4,163,705.50	\$ 5,850.15	\$ 308,710.09
Murray	\$ 21,252,300.28	\$ 13,733,483.48	\$ 65,536.28	\$ 1,172,667.67
Mulcooke	\$ 146,455,463.52	\$ 66,525,436.99	\$ 58,987.08	\$ 2,253,790.24
Newton	\$ 51,040,518.97	\$ 34,866,171.44	\$ 38,432.41	\$ 2,177,858.21
Oconee	\$ 8,795,587.03	\$ 1,197,440.93	\$ 33,468.66	\$ 667,470.32
Oglethorpe	\$ 5,614,500.51	\$ 2,945,375.58	\$ 18,891.65	\$ 247,311.51
Paulding	\$ 34,716,829.74	\$ 37,732,436.10	\$ 279,910.53	\$ 4,308,680.13
Peach	\$ 19,428,669.53	\$ 7,004,572.86	\$ 16,505.44	\$ 412,607.88
Pickens	\$ 17,147,517.34	\$ 8,425,236.23	\$ 153,857.95	\$ 1,030,989.11
Pierce	\$ 12,722,096.11	\$ 6,527,381.31	\$ 37,257.17	\$ 464,894.88
Pike	\$ 8,270,824.35	\$ 5,271,092.83	\$ 12,603.55	\$ 503,814.84
Polk	\$ 35,015,906.02	\$ 21,353,463.07	\$ 53,983.23	\$ 953,687.40
Pulaski	\$ 8,689,498.17	\$ 3,375,524.32	\$ 22,273.78	\$ 169,318.90
Putnam	\$ 10,888,488.05	\$ 6,621,460.10	\$ 26,208.08	\$ 347,748.77
Quitman	\$ 374,584.15	\$ 764,660.00	\$ 550.59	\$ 44,129.08
Rabun	\$ 10,699,593.59	\$ 4,984,284.04	\$ 20,507.08	\$ 511,313.78
Randolph	\$ 8,753,482.59	\$ 2,790,189.21	\$ 2,816.83	\$ 92,736.75
Richmond	\$ 196,444,111.14	\$ 82,696,692.51	\$ 117,996.06	\$ 2,511,370.73
Rockdale	\$ 41,869,828.77	\$ 29,231,480.03	\$ 112,530.77	\$ 1,880,959.65
Spalding	\$ 1,532,554.12	\$ 1,716,038.59	\$ 8,578.67	\$ 213,177.05
Spaulding	\$ 12,923,270.72	\$ 5,215,570.50	\$ 9,333.08	\$ 228,173.75
Seminole	\$ 6,265,448.49	\$ 3,560,822.84	\$ 916.68	\$ 187,626.90
Spalding	\$ 48,103,910.51	\$ 24,353,847.03	\$ 91,808.58	\$ 1,077,176.56
Stephens	\$ 21,501,613.06	\$ 11,484,022.20	\$ 24,332.29	\$ 760,416.83
Stewart	\$ 6,412,556.01	\$ 1,397,945.63	\$ 1,403.34	\$ 58,941.37
Sumter	\$ 31,238,711.24	\$ 13,912,879.23	\$ 8,836.37	\$ 127,217.50
Talbot	\$ 3,711,836.10	\$ 1,758,566.27	\$ 5,177.00	\$ 75,946.70
Taliaferro	\$ 1,243,387.94	\$ 597,690.62	\$ 212.74	\$ 13,530.28
Tattnall	\$ 21,504,022.60	\$ 7,251,038.32	\$ 11,750.00	\$ 11,864.82
Taylor	\$ 10,359,512.26	\$ 3,510,512.34	\$ 12,117.96	\$ 231,659.79
Telfair	\$ 12,978,350.80	\$ 3,852,654.95	\$ 3,303.37	\$ 757,275.10
Terrill	\$ 8,375,182.72	\$ 4,305,897.26	\$ 5,229.83	\$ 99,625.36
Thomas	\$ 40,881,766.57	\$ 17,063,332.33	\$ 50,681.82	\$ 1,027,939.25
Tift	\$ 31,909,013.61	\$ 16,919,342.17	\$ 40,173.24	\$ 1,189,000.15
Toombs	\$ 3,030,164.01	\$ 11,732,001.87	\$ 131,732.04	\$ 690,344.77
Towns	\$ 5,173,832.57	\$ 2,162,331.36	\$ 9,651.32	\$ 314,079.70
Treutlen	\$ 7,239,701.10	\$ 2,966,275.64	\$ 5,063.31	\$ 148,812.78
Troup	\$ 47,413,713.55	\$ 24,309,276.12	\$ 87,673.69	\$ 1,361,060.79
Turner	\$ 10,353,104.41	\$ 3,061,016.34	\$ 25,223.51	\$ 211,255.56
Twigs	\$ 7,379,054.83	\$ 2,254,369.06	\$ 3,648.67	\$ 73,135.90
Union	\$ 13,121,259.18	\$ 5,397,011.08	\$ 26,554.11	\$ 348,324.21
Upson	\$ 5,341,544.96	\$ 17,555,488.03	\$ 31,952.63	\$ 764,888.41
Walker	\$ 40,424,835.54	\$ 19,865,070.30	\$ 83,221.74	\$ 1,226,975.48
Walton	\$ 40,787,602.97	\$ 24,500,455.52	\$ 105,549.44	\$ 1,978,174.02
Ware	\$ 6,271,335.37	\$ 14,191,961.29	\$ 15,405.15	\$ 661,351.57
Warren	\$ 6,180,345.63	\$ 1,695,636.83	\$ 6,647.96	\$ 74,399.55
Washington	\$ 2,714,749.02	\$ 7,711,239.53	\$ 1,751.10	\$ 457,117.71
Wayne	\$ 1,411,735.58	\$ 1,247,790.34	\$ 90,231.53	\$ 474,866.51
Webster	\$ 732,561.66	\$ 1,622,894.21	\$ 3,673.29	\$ 127,392.71
Wheeler	\$ 4,527,575.58	\$ 2,154,297.31	\$ 14,261.15	\$ 403,317.81

**Georgia Department of Community Health
IT - Decision Support Services**

Total Medicaid and Peachcare Expenditures by County - FY 2016

County	Medicaid		Peachcare	
	Net Payment	CMO Paid Amount	Net Payment	CMD Paid Amount
White	\$ 13,994,042.55	\$ 6,999,627.78	\$ 35,013.92	\$ 950,435.92
Whitfield	\$ 51,979,981.30	\$ 34,206,363.71	\$ 336,547.89	\$ 4,200,283.35
Wilcox	\$ 18,833,903.98	\$ 3,109,868.67	\$ 11,700.37	\$ 143,350.33
Wilkes	\$ 3,743,293.41	\$ 3,093,171.94	\$ 7,625.88	\$ 290,859.08
Wilkinson	\$ 2,915,436.59	\$ 2,978,345.70	\$ 3,754.35	\$ 174,875.63
Within subject files	\$ 126.47	\$		
Worth	\$ 14,323,270.75	\$ 8,082,148.52	\$ 10,311.28	\$ 436,571.03
Missing	\$ 45,865.89	\$ 33,566.19		
Grand Total	\$ 5,369,078,909.44	\$ 2,928,861,043.42	\$ 10,541,390.49	\$ 201,273,202.84

Notes:

1. Data is based on selected claims from 07/01/2015 to 06/30/2016 with date of payments through 11/30/2016
2. Analysis includes CMO and FFS totals by County
3. Includes Medicaid and Peachcare
4. Net payment represents the amount paid for claims billed
5. CMO Paid Amount represents the amount which CMO vendor paid the provider
6. Report run in Truven, Advantage Suite 21/09/2017

The data presented in this report should be used for the purpose of the initial request only. Data accuracy of the report is assured based on the current information in the database and is subject to change based on database and data quality updates.

Jerry Lanier – Roads and Bridges Department Monthly Report

Candler County Public Works Road Superintendent, Jerry Lanier approached the Board to deliver his monthly report. He began with a request from Commissioner Robinson to replace plastic culvert pipe on Coleman Road. A quote was passed out to the Board to review. Mr. Lanier reported ten more weight limit signs had been received and placed on roads including Eden Church, Stillmore, and Griffin Ferry. Vice-Chairman Jones responded he had received reports from citizens that the heavy truck traffic along the roads where signs had been placed has decreased significantly. Mr. Lanier went on to report one of his employees had resigned. Commissioner Robinson commended Jeremy Holloway for grading the roads in District Three. Vice-Chairman Jones asked Mr. Lanier if the County maintained the City of Metter's dirt road portion of East Hiawatha Street. He continued by stating it was in need of some ditch work. Mr. Lanier replied the extent of the County maintaining East Hiawatha included only the grading of the road. The City of Metter performed the ditch work due to utility lines that may be buried in the ditched area.

Robert Hendrix – Solid Waste/Landfill Report

Candler County Landfill Director, Robert Hendrix approached the Board to deliver his monthly report. Updates Mr. Hendrix spoke of included continued work on soil erosions testing underway. He also mentioned the leadership team from the Chamber of Commerce is scheduled to visit the landfill. He delivered to Mr. Eaves, the polly-cart report he received from the Tax Assessors Office for budget purposes. Mr. Gross inquired on behalf of Sheriff Miles, if the bank they shoot into behind the gun range was part of the landfill or part of the gun range. Mr. Hendrix replied the bank is on the landfill, but he did not believe there to be trash or debris in that area. Mr. Gross then asked if the bank could be dug out and squared without any violations of landfill rules. Mr. Hendrix replied this had been done before. He then inquired of the measurements the Sheriff desired reforming. Mr. Gross stated the measurements would be approximately fifty yards. Mr. Hendrix concluded by stating there is a well in that area, and he would consult with the landfill engineer considering a modification may be needed.

Jason Douglas Fire Department and EMA Monthly Report

Candler County EMA Director and City of Metter Fire Chief, Jason Douglas approached the Board to deliver his monthly fire response report. The Board had no questions for Chief Douglas, and he excused himself from the meeting.

Allen Tyler – Coroner

Allen Tyler, Candler County Coroner was unable to attend the meeting, but he delivered a request to Mr. Gross. Mr. Gross read the request to the Board, and then submitted it to Mr. Eaves for budgeting purposes.

Others Wishing to Address Commissioners

Caroline Fondern approached the Board to explain the financial debt the Debt Service Fee had caused. Ms. Fondern purchased land in Candler County and lives in a house on the property. Prior to her purchase, the land was split into fifteen parcels. She requested the Board to allow her an exemption considering she had not received knowledge of the fee in time to resurvey her property. No action was taken

Jenny Grimes

Candler County Clerk of Court, Jenny Grimes approached the Board with a requested she asked Vice-Chairman Jones to explain. He reported the door to the vault had been found. He went on to say the Clerk of Courts office is in need of fire proof file cabinets and a safe. Mr. Gross stated there was \$66,000.00 of SPLOST funds remaining to renovate the court house. The safes and file cabinets could be purchased with those funds.

Mr. Gross and Mrs. Grimes explain a \$1,300.00 discrepancy was found during the transition of accounts. Mrs. Grimes explained the process of closing accounts held by the previous clerk and opening new accounts that have her as the signature. Mr. Gross and Mrs. Grimes explained this appeared to be unclaimed funds and had been carried for more than five years. Mr. Gross advised the Board a financial audit would not be financially feasible. The Board chose not to take action to perform a financial audit, and to replace the funds in the account should the claimant arrive in the future.

Adjourn

The Board adjourned the work session at 6:08 p.m.



Maranda K. Lank, Clerk



Chairman Glyn Thrift