AGENDA PUBLIC HEARING 4:30 P.M. June 5, 2023

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Invocation and $Pledge\ of\ Allegiance$
- 3. Fiscal Year 2024 Budget
- 4. Adjourn

Board of Commissioners of Candler County Public Hearing June 5, 2023 4: 30 P.M.

The Board of Commissioners of Candler County held a public hearing on Monday, June 5, 2023, at 4:30 p.m., in the Commissioners' boardroom at 1075 East Hiawatha Street, Suite A, Metter, Georgia. The public hearing was held for the purpose of receiving public comment concerning the FY2024 budget proposed County Maintenance and Operations and Special Revenue budgets for the 2024 fiscal year. Those attending the meeting were Candler County Commission Chairman, Glyn Thrift; Candler County Vice-Chairman, Brad Jones; Candler County Commissioners Gregory Thomas, David Robinson and Blake Hendrix; Candler County Administrator, Bryan Aasheim; Candler County Clerk, Maranda K. Lank; Candler County Attorney, Kendall Gross. Guest attending the called meeting included Town of Pulaski council Marty Franklin and Ruth Deloach.

Call to Order

Chairman Thrift called the meeting to order at 4:40 p.m.

Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance

Commissioner Tomas delivered the invocation followed by Chairman Thrift leading the Pledge of Allegiance.

Discussion of the 2024 Fiscal Year Budget

Chairman Thrift opened the floor to public comment. The two members of Pulaski's Town Council questioned the 2% decrease in the percentage allocation of SPLOST proceeds designated for Pulaski. Administrator Aasheim explained the allocation was solely based on the 2020 Census Data with Pulaski's population at 211, and there was no Intergovernmental Agreement from the City of Metter or Candler County agreeing to give up 1% each in the 2024SPLOST referendum to give to the Town of Pulaski as there had been in the past. The council members expressed concern of the expected growth of Pulaski.

With no further comments, Chairman Thrift ended the hearing at 5:07 p.m.