

The Turner County Board of Commissioners met on Tuesday, October 27, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. at the Turner County Agricultural Center for a Called “advertised” Meeting with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, Denham, Hall and McCard present. Staff present were Joseph Saxon, County Manager, Latrice Wilson, County Clerk and John Holland, County Attorney. Others present were Sheriff Andy Hester, Commissioner Elect Dana Whiddon, Ben Baker, Editor of the Wiregrass Farmer, Jan Winter, Elections Superintendent, Dustin Beaty, Road Superintendent, Chief Deputy Charles Dean and Robby Royal, EMS Director.

Chairman Denham called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Commissioner Hall gave the invocation.

Motion by Commissioner Burgess seconded by Commissioner Calhoun to adopt the agenda as printed, motion passed with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, Denham, Hall and McCard voting in favor of the motion.

Motion by Commission Denham seconded by Commissioner McCard to cancel operations at Turner County Parks and Recreation due to COVID-19 and revisit at first of the year, motion passed with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, Denham, Hall and McCard voting in favor of the motion.

Motion by Commissioner McCard seconded by Commissioner Calhoun to approve board appointment of Mr. Jerry Lewis to the Turner County Department of Family and Children Services Board replacing Mr. Sonny Walker. Terms effective August 26, 2020 ending June 30, 2025, motion passed with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, Denham, Hall and McCard voting in favor of the motion.

Motion by Commissioner McCard seconded by Commissioner Calhoun to approve board re-appointment for Library Board Members: Linda Williford, Gail Walls, Janice Massey and Nick Denham for a three-year term, motion passed with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, Denham, Hall and McCard voting in favor of the motion.

Motion by Commissioner McCard seconded by Commissioner Burgess to approve repairs to Rocky Mountain Church Road, motion passed with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, Denham, Hall and McCard voting in favor of the motion.

Motion by Commissioner Burgess seconded by Commissioner McCard to approve request from Spooner Estate for a private access road on certain property owned by the S.O. and Helen Spooner Martial Trust, motion passed with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, Denham, Hall and McCard voting in favor of the motion.

Motion by Commissioner McCard seconded by Commissioner Calhoun to approve Turner County FY 2021 LMIG Project List, motion passed with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, Denham, Hall and McCard voting in favor of the motion.

Motion by Commissioner McCard seconded by Commissioner Hall to approve time clock system with Lathem Time Clock for Turner County, motion passed with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, Denham, Hall and McCard voting in favor of the motion.

Motion by Commissioner Burgess seconded by Commissioner McCard to go into Executive Session at 6:09 p.m. for the purpose of real estate and personnel, motion passed with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, Denham, Hall and McCard voting in favor of the motion.

Motion by Commissioner Hall seconded by Commissioner Burgess to end the closed session at 6:56 p.m. and return to regular meeting, motion passed with Commissioner Burgess, Calhoun, Denham, Hall and McCard voting in favor of the motion.

Motion by Commissioner Calhoun seconded by Commissioner Burgess to purchase commercial property (parking lot property on Hudson Avenue in Ashburn) behind Ashburn Health Plus in the amount of \$15,000.00 from South Georgia Banking Company, motion passed with Commissioners Burgess, Calhoun, Denham and Hall voting in favor of the motion. Commissioner McCard abstained.

The meeting adjourned at 6:58 p.m.

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Nick Denham, Chairman

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Latrice L. Wilson, County Clerk