

The Turner County Board of Commissioners met on Tuesday, January 27, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. at the Turner County Agricultural Center for the monthly Work Session with Commissioners Calhoun, Weaver and Whiddon present. Commissioners Burgess and Denham were not present. Staff present were Latrice Wilson, County Clerk and J. Shipp, County Attorney. Others present were Robby Royal, Ben Baker, Editor of the Wiregrass Farmer, Dustin Beaty, Sarah Cook, Sami Mastrario, Christy Casimiro, Mandi Cole, Janet Winter and others.

Chair Whiddon called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Mr. Ben Baker gave the invocation.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Commissioner Weaver seconded by Commissioner Calhoun to adopt the agenda as printed, motion passed with Commissioners Callhoun, Weaver and Whiddon voting in favor of the motion.

Public Comments (concerning agenda items): None

Commissioners discussed Fire Ant Contribution.

Commissioners discussed a board appointment for the Library Board.

Commissioners discussed hiring two part-time employees for Janitorial Cleaning Services for Turner County.

Commissioners discussed Georgia State Defense Force building repairs.

Commissioners discussed the State Road and Tollway Authority Grant and Loan.

Chairman Comments: None

Public Comments: Robby Royal thanked the board for their continued support of the fire ant festival.

Executive Session: None

Chair Whiddon adjourned the meeting at 6:17 p.m.

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Dana L. Whiddon, Chair

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Latrice L. Wilson, County Clerk