

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
MINUTES
WORK SESSION
Monday, July 11, 2022

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT

Chairman Bill Slaughter
Vice Chairman Scott Orenstein
Commissioner Joyce Evans
Commissioner Mark Wisenbaker
Commissioner Clay Griner

Commissioner Demarcus Marshall was not in attendance.

Chairman Slaughter called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

Recognition of Lowndes County Fire Rescue Firefighter Jacob Whiting (Work Session)

County Manager, Paige Dukes, recognized Jacob Whiting, a firefighter with Lowndes County Fire Rescue for helping a citizen in need. On June 30th, while off-duty, Mr. Whiting witnessed a vehicle accident in which the occupant was trapped. Mr. Whiting stopped and rendered aid until EMS arrived on scene. Mrs. Dukes stated firefighter Whiting is the standard that we strive to have every day and thanked him for his service.

MINUTES

Work Session - June 27, 2022 & Regular Session - June 28, 2022

The minutes were presented for the work session of June 27, 2022 and the regular session of June 28, 2022. No changes to the minutes were requested.

APPOINTMENTS

Hospital Authority of Valdosta and Lowndes County

County Manager, Paige Dukes, presented the appointments. Mrs. Dukes stated Dr. Brian Griner's term will expire August 1, 2022. Mrs. Dukes stated the names of Dr. Brian Griner, Mr. Bo Lovein and Mrs. Suzanne Mathis have been submitted by the Hospital Authority and all have expressed a desire to serve. Additionally, Mrs. Dukes stated Dr. John Roan's term will expire August 1, 2022. Mrs. Dukes stated the names of Dr. John Roan, Mr. Hayden Hancock and Mrs. Suzanne Mathis have been submitted and all have expressed a desire to serve. Chairman Slaughter stated Dr. Griner and Dr. Roan have been an asset to this board and the other candidates submitted are qualified as well.

PUBLIC HEARING

REZ-2022-13 Hunter Property, Madison Hwy, E-A to C-C, County Water & Septic, ~7ac

County Planner, Trinni Amiot, presented the item. Mrs. Amiot stated the entire tract is seven acres and approximately two acres are being requested to be rezoned. Mrs. Amiot stated this request represents a change in zoning from Estate Agricultural (E-A) zoning to Crossroad Commercial (C-C)