LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MINUTES REGULAR SESSION Tuesday, May 9, 2023

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT
Chairman Bill Slaughter
Vice Chairman Mark Wisenbaker
Commissioner Joyce Evans
Commissioner Scott Orenstein
Commissioner Demarcus Marshall

Commissioner Clay Griner was not present.

Chairman Slaughter called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

INVOCATION

Vice Chairman Wisenbaker

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Vice Chairman Wisenbaker

MINUTES

The minutes were presented for the work session of April 24, 2023 and the regular session of April 25, 2023. No changes to the minutes were requested. Commissioner Orenstein made a motion to approve the minutes as presented, Commissioner Evans second. All voted in favor, no one opposed. Motion carried.

PUBLIC HEARING

Abandonment of a Section of Hightower Road, Director of Engineering Services, Chad McLeod, presented the item. Mr. McLeod stated the Commission made the initial determination at the March 14, 2023 regular session meeting, adding the request remains ready for consideration. Mr. McLeod stated removing the highlighted section of Hightower Road would promote the security of aircraft at Moody Air Force Base. No one spoke for or against the request. Commissioner Marshall made a motion indicating the section of road has ceased to be used by the public to the extent that no public purpose is served by it and that its removal from the county road system is otherwise in the best public interest, Commissioners Evans and Orenstein second. All voted in favor, no one opposed. Motion carried.

REZ-2023-05 AB Motorsports, Old Clyattville Road, R-A to C-C, 0.88 acres, County Utilities, Chairman Slaughter verified with County Planner, J.D. Dillard that the request has been withdrawn by the applicant, Mr. Dillard responded yes.