

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
MINUTES
REGULAR SESSION
Tuesday, September 26, 2023

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT

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

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

INVOCATION

Commissioner Orenstein

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Commissioner Orenstein

MINUTES

The minutes were presented for the work session of September 11, 2023 and the regular session of September 12, 2023. No revisions to the minutes were requested. Commission Evans made a motion to approve the minutes as presented, Commissioner Orenstein second. All voted in favor, no one opposed. Motion carried.

FOR CONSIDERATION

Quiet Pines Golf Course Ezgo Golf Cart Lease Agreement

Community Development Director, Rachel Thrasher, presented the item. Mrs. Thrasher stated Quiet Pines Golf Course has twenty-two semi-operational carts for use, aging from two - nine years old. Rather than replace the carts through purchase, the request is to proceed with a lease agreement with EZGO carts which will cover maintenance, warranty and ensure a full working fleet. The lease agreement is for forty-eight (48) months and will be financed through Wells Fargo Bank with a monthly payment of \$4,100.00 and an annual fee of \$50,160.00. Commissioner Orenstein asked if the costs were budgeted? Mrs. Dukes answered yes. Commissioner Marshall made a motion to approve the lease agreement as presented, Commissioner Orenstein second. All voted in favor, no one opposed. Motion carried.

Mental Health Model Resolution for ACCG

County Manager, Paige Dukes, presented the item. Mrs. Dukes stated the Association County Commissioners of Georgia (ACCG) has forwarded the resolution to all counties in Georgia in support of mental health reform in the state. Commissioner Orenstein asked if this resolution is basically supporting the legislators to pursue solutions to our mental health challenges? Mrs. Dukes responded