



BANKS COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION WORKSESSION

Courthouse Annex Boardroom | 150 Hudson Ridge | Homer, GA 30547

Wednesday, September 27, 2023 at 3:00 PM

MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting was called to Order by Vice-Chairman Griffith.

PRESENT

Vice-Chairman Taylor Griffith

Mr. Scott Wheatley

Ms. Jody Parks

Mr. Jason Hensley

ABSENT

Chairman Jay O'Kelley

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Vice-Chairman Griffith made a motion to amend the Round Table Discussion on the Agenda.

Add

3c Economic Development

3d Pledge of Allegiance

3e Platting

3f Event Venues

Motion made by Vice-Chairman Griffith, Seconded by Ms. Parks.

Voting Yea: Vice-Chairman Griffith, Mr. Wheatley, Ms. Parks, Mr. Hensley

4-0 to change the agenda

3. ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

a. Recommendations for Planning Commission Policy and Procedure

Discussion about the current policy and procedures of the Planning Commission and recommendations on making changes.

b. Recommendations for amending the Code of Ordinances

Discussion on recommendations for amending the Code of Ordinance.

c. Discussion Economic Development Plan from 2019 that is listed on the Banks County website.

d. Discussion on adding the Pledge of Allegiance to the Planning Commission Meetings.

e. Platting Authority Discussion

f. Discussion on Event Venues and the Code.

4. ADJOURNMENT

Motion made by Mr. Hensley, Seconded by Mr. Wheatley.

Voting Yea: Vice-Chairman Griffith, Mr. Wheatley, Ms. Parks, Mr. Hensley

4-0 to Adjourn

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