

**DAWSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
WORK SESSION MINUTES – THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2023  
DAWSON COUNTY GOVERNMENT CENTER ASSEMBLY ROOM  
25 JUSTICE WAY, DAWSONVILLE, GEORGIA 30534  
4:00 PM**

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*Those present were Chairman Billy Thurmond; Commissioner Seth Stowers, District 1; Commissioner Chris Gaines, District 2 (via teleconference); Commissioner Alexa Bruce, District 3; Commissioner Emory Dooley, District 4; County Manager Joey Leverette; County Attorneys Melissa Tracy and Karen Pachuta; County Clerk Kristen Cloud; and interested citizens of Dawson County.*

Chairman Thurmond added item 4a. “Presentation of Proposed End-of-Year Distribution for County Employees” to the Work Session Agenda.

**NEW BUSINESS**

1. Presentation of RFP #415-22 - Dawson County Public Safety Radio Communications System Upgrade Presentation- Purchasing Manager Melissa Hawk / Motorola Solutions Georgia Area Sales Manager Alex Sherman  
*This item, also presented by Motorola’s Rex Goeckeritz, will be placed on the December 7, 2023, Voting Session Agenda.*
2. Presentation of Annual Capital Improvements Element Update Adoption- Planning & Development Director Sharon Farrell  
*This item will be added to the November 16, 2023, Voing Session Agenda.*
3. Presentation of Proposed Amendments to Alcohol Ordinance and Ordinance on Outdoor Speakers for Outlet Mall Area- Planning & Development Director Sharon Farrell  
*This item, presented by County Attorney Pachuta, will be placed on an upcoming agenda.*
4. Presentation of 2024 Payroll and Holiday Calendar- County Manager Joey Leverette  
*This item will be added to the November 16, 2023, Voting Session Agenda.*
- 4a. Presentation of Proposed End-of-Year Appreciation Distribution for County Employees  
*This item, presented by Commissioner Gaines, will be added to the November 16, 2023, Voting Session Agenda.*
5. County Manager Report  
*This item was for information only.*
6. County Attorney Report  
*County Attorney Tracy had no information to report and requested an Executive Session.*

APPROVE:

ATTEST:

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Billy Thurmond, Chairman

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Kristen Cloud, County Clerk