

**DAWSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
SPECIAL CALLED MEETING MINUTES – AUGUST 11, 2016  
DAWSON COUNTY GOVERNMENT CENTER ASSEMBLY ROOM  
25 JUSTICE WAY, DAWSONVILLE  
4:00PM**

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**ROLL CALL:** Those present were Chairman Berg; Commissioner Fausett, District 1; Commissioner Swafford, District 2; Commissioner Hamby, District 3; Commissioner Nix, District 4; County Attorney Homans; Interim County Manager William D. Tanner; County Clerk Yarbrough and interested citizens of Dawson County.

**APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA:**

Motion passed unanimously to approve the agenda with the following additions:

- Consideration of FY2017 K9 Grant Application
- Consideration of Family Connection DBHDD Grant
- Consideration of Special Event Permit – *Revenues Run 5K/10K*

Nix/Swafford

**PUBLIC HEARING**

*2016 Millage Rate and Property Tax (1st of 3 hearings. Next hearings will be held on August 18, 2016 and August 25, 2016)*

Chairman Berg opened the hearing and asked if there was anyone present who wished to be heard on the 2016 Millage Rate and Property Tax.

The following spoke in opposition of rolling back the millage rate:

- Charlie Tarver, *Dawsonville, Georgia*

The following spoke in favor of rolling back the millage rate:

- Hugh Stowers, *Dawsonville, Georgia*
- Weldon Sheriff, *Dawsonville, Georgia*

Chairman Berg asked if there was anyone else wishing to be heard, and hearing none, closed the hearing.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

*Consideration of FY2017 K9 Grant Application*

Motion passed unanimously to approve the FY2017 K9 Grant Application. Swafford/Fausett

*Consideration of Family Connection DBHDD Grant*

Motion passed unanimously to approve the Family Connection DBHDD Grant. Hamby/Nix

Consideration of Special Event Permit – Revenues Run 5K/10K

Motion passed unanimously to approve the Special Event Permit – Revenues Run 5K/10K.  
Nix/Fausett

**EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

Motion passed unanimously to go into Executive Session. Hamby/Nix  
Motion passed to come out of Executive Session. Hamby/Nix

**ADJOURNMENT:**

APPROVE:

ATTEST:

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Mike Berg, Chairman

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Danielle Yarbrough, County Clerk