

PUTNAM COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



117 Putnam Drive, Suite A ♦ Eatonton, GA 31024

Town Hall Meeting Minutes
Thursday, February 12, 2026 ♦ 10:00 AM
Putnam County Administration Building – Room 203

The Putnam County Board of Commissioners met for a public Town Hall Meeting on Thursday, February 12, 2026 at approximately 10:00 AM in the Putnam County Administration Building, 117 Putnam Drive, Room 203, Eatonton, Georgia.

The purpose of this meeting was to discuss the C-PACER program. Residents were able to hear updates from commissioners and staff and ask questions regarding this important issue.

PRESENT

Chairman Bill Sharp
Commissioner Tom McElhenney
Commissioner Richard Garrett
Commissioner Jeff Wooten

ABSENT

Commissioner Steve Hersey

STAFF PRESENT

County Attorney Adam Nelson (arrived late)
County Manager Paul Van Haute
County Clerk Lynn Butterworth
Deputy County Clerk Mercy Fluker

Opening

1. Welcome

Chairman Sharp called the Town Hall meeting to order at approximately 10:07 a.m. He explained the rules and asked County Manager Van Haute to open the discussion. (Copy of agenda/notice made a part of the minutes on minute book page _____.)

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2. Discussion regarding C-PACER

County Manager Van Haute invited the parties with knowledge on the C-PACER program to come forward and speak first.

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The following representatives provided information on the program:
Mr. Dante Handel, C-PACE Alliance/The Southern Group
Mr. Jared Schlosser, Peachtree Group
Mr. Ryan Doyle, Nuveen Green Capital

The commissioners and staff asked questions and discussed the details of the program with the residents in attendance.

The following individuals commented/asked questions:
Mr. Charles Gray
Ms. Barb Vargo
Mr. Bill Vargo
Mr. David Dubois
Mr. Don Sadler
Mr. Dale Bills
Ms. Erin Olson
Mr. Josh Sprayberry

Commissioner Garrett left at approximately 11:24 a.m.

Chairman Sharp thanked the audience for attending.
No action was taken.

Closing

3. Adjournment

Chairman Sharp adjourned the Town Hall Meeting at approximately 11:29 a.m.

ATTEST:

Mercy Fluker
Deputy County Clerk

B. W. "Bill" Sharp
Chairman

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