

**RESOLUTION
OF THE BEN HILL COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO OBTAIN
FY 2026 COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) FUNDS
FOR STREET PAVING AND DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS**

WHEREAS, the Ben Hill County Board of Commissioners has identified a lack of sufficient funds to address the need for adequate street paving and drainage improvements on Eastside Church Road and East Road.

WHEREAS, Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds are sufficient to address this need; and

WHEREAS, the Ben Hill County Board of Commissioners has requested the staff of the Southern Georgia Regional Commission to assist in the preparation and administration of the FY 2026 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) application; and

WHEREAS, the Ben Hill County Board of Commissioners has chosen Hofstadter and Associates, Inc. to provide pre- and post-award services as the project engineer for the FY 2026 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) application; and

WHEREAS, the Ben Hill County Board of Commissioners has agreed to provide sufficient matching funds and in-kind services to complete this project;

THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Ben Hill County Board of Commissioners will submit a FY 2026 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) application to address the identified needs.

SO RESOLVED this _____ day of _____, 2026.

Hal Wiley, Chairman

Pamela Turner, County Clerk

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