## MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL CALLED MEETING OF THE BEN HILL COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HELD ON JUNE 10, 2020 AT 11:00 AM IN THE BEN HILL COUNTY COURTHOUSE ANNEX

Those present for the meeting were as follow:

Steve Taylor Chairman
Hope Harmon Vice-Chair
Daniel Cowan Commissioner
Michael Dinnerman County Manager
Donna R. Prather County Clerk

Commissioner Bennie Calloway and Commissioner John Mooney was absent.

Chairman Steve Taylor called the meeting to order.

As the World Health Organization (WHO) has declared COVID-19 a global pandemic (3/11/20), President Donald Trump declared a National Emergency (3/13/20), Governor Brian Kemp declared a Public Health Emergency for the State of Georgia (3/14/20), and the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) has recommended social distancing measures be implemented for all individuals to prevent the continued spread of the illness, this special called emergency meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Ben Hill County was held with attendance by telephone conference under the authority of OCGA 50-14-1(g) and OCGA 38-3-54.

## **Employee Health Insurance**

Benefits Consultant Courtney Howell and Noel Williams with Partners Benefit Group provided an excel spread for the Commissioners review. Courtney Howell gave an overview of the current medical plan and the renewal medical plan with Covenant. He also explained other options that included United Health Care and Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield.

Mr. Howell stated the current Blue Cross Blue Shield dental insurance will increase \$5.00 per month and the vision insurance will remain the same.

The Commissioners asked questions and discussed their options.

The meeting was adjourned.	
	Steve Taylor, Chairman
	Donna Prather, County Clerk