

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL CALLED MEETING
OF THE BEN HILL COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
HELD ON DECEMBER 28, 2020 AT 11:30 AM
VIA TELEPHONE CONFERENCE

Those present for the meeting were as follow:

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

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. Due to COVID-19 outbreak amongst county employees 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.

2021 Proposed Budget

Commissioner John Mooney made a motion to adopt the Resolution for the 2021 proposed general fund budget in the amount of \$9,562,786 for revenues and expenditures, and the special revenue and capital fund budgets: Sheriff Special Revenue Fund, Drug Abuse, Jail fund, Special Investigations, Supplemental Juvenile, Emergency 911, Development Authority, L.M.I.G., CDBG Grant, SPLOST 2017, Transportation (T-SPLOST), and SPLOST 2011 as presented. Vice-Chair Hope Harmon seconded the motion; which passed with Commissioner John Mooney, Vice-Chair Hope Harmon, Commissioner Bennie Calloway, Commissioner Daniel Cowan, and Chairman Steve Taylor all voted for the motion.

The meeting was adjourned.

Steve Taylor, Chairman

Donna Prather, County Clerk