

**SCHLEY COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**  
**Tuesday, April 10, 2018**

The Schley County Board of Commissioners held their regularly scheduled monthly meeting March 13, 2018. Those present were Chairman Greg Barineau, Vice-Chairman Doug Jamieson, Commissioner Bill McClellan, Commissioner Brian Belcher, Commissioner Dennis Jones, and County Manager Bill Sawyer. Absent: County Clerk, Kathy Bruer.

**ITEM 1. CALL TO ORDER**

Chairman Barineau called the meeting to order and welcomed all guests.

**ITEM 2. INVOCATION**

Commissioner Jones gave the invocation.

**ITEM 3. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

Vice-Chairman Jamieson made a motion to approve the agenda as presented, seconded by Commissioner Jones and all were in favor.

**ITEM 4. APPROVAL OF THE MARCH 13TH AND 23<sup>RD</sup> MINUTES**

Vice-Chairman Jamieson made a motion to approve the minutes from the March 13th and 23<sup>rd</sup> meetings. Commissioner Jones seconded the motion, and all were in favor.

**ITEM 5. APPROVAL/DENIAL RADAR LIST - ROADS**

Bill discussed that we had received a list of all roads in the County with speed limits to be used by law enforcement when using radar. Vice-Chairman Jamieson made a motion to approve the list, as provided. Commissioner Belcher seconded the motion, the vote in favor was unanimous.

**ITEM 6: APPROVAL/DENIAL EBENEZER ROAD BRIDGE CONTRACT**

Bill stated that the State is willing to replace the bridge on Ebenezer Road, but the County will be responsible for the right-of-way. That portion of the cost would be approximately \$65,000. Bill recommended that we ask GDOT if they will take the \$65,000 out of LMIG. If not, we will pay the \$65,000 out of General Fund. Vice Chairman Jamieson made a motion to approve the cost, regardless if it comes out of LMIG or the General Fund, seconded by Commissioner McClellan, and all were in favor.

**ITEM 7: APPROVAL/DENIAL OPIOID LITIGATION**

Bill reported that we have received a letter from attorneys Burke Lasseter, LLC asking the County to be a part of the litigation against opioids. Vice-Chairman Jamieson made a motion to allow Burke Lasseter, LLC to include Schley County in the litigation process, seconded by Commissioner Belcher and all were in favor.

**ITEM 8: DEPARTMENT REPORTS**

Public Works - Mark Royal stated they have completed repairs on Clyde Hill and Mt. Vernon Roads. The boom mowing on Green Road is complete. Have been doing maintenance on several pieces of equipment and the debris from Hurricane Irma has been removed from Public Works.

Water – Art Barfield stated the water usage is up this past month. He continues to flush water mains as needed, repaired a leak at on Blan Wall Road. He installed three new taps, with one pending, and locked 2 meters. He will resume locking past due accounts after the 15<sup>th</sup>. He has completed 21 locates and two new 911 addresses

Zoning – Bill stated we have issued four permits and the property on Hwy 153, with the sewage issue, has gone to State Court in Americus. No occupants are currently living in the house.

**ITEM 9: COUNTY MANAGER REPORT**

Bill stated our finances are normal; however, the State owes us \$260,000. If we do not receive that money soon we are going to have to make other arrangements.

**ITEM 10: FINANCIAL REPORTS**

Bill Sawyer presented the financials.

**ITEM 11. MOTION TO ADJOURN**

Commissioner Jones made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Commissioner Belcher seconded the motion, and all were in favor.

Attest:

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Greg Barineau, Chairman

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Kathy Bruer, County Clerk

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