

**THE REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING OF THE  
CRAWFORD COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
TUESDAY, 16 JUNE 2015**

**THE MEETING OF THE CRAWFORD COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 6:08 P.M.**

**INVOCATION GIVEN BY MR. STERLING BRASWELL**

**AGENDA APPROVAL**

Mr. Chapman asked that the agenda be amended. He requested that “*Chief Pate – Fire Station Update*” be removed from “*New Business*” and “*sign easement*” be added under “*New Business*”. Mr. Spillers made a motion to approve the amended agenda. Mr. Braswell seconded and the motion carried 4-0.

**FIRST ON THE AGENDA**

**Approval of Minutes:** *Regularly Scheduled Meeting of 2 June 2015*

Mr. Chapman asked for a motion to approve the minutes from the regularly scheduled meeting of 2 June 2015. Mr. Blasingame made the motion to approve the minutes. Mr. Braswell seconded and the motion carried 4-0.

**SECOND ON THE AGENDA**

**Public Hearing:** *Adventure Way – Naming Roadway*

Mr. and Mrs. David and Rebecca Mathews have requested the Board name a roadway that dead ends at their property. They are in the process of building a new home and in order to establish a mailing address the County roadway needs to be named. They have requested the Board name the road “Adventure Way”.

After some discussion Mr. Spillers made the motion to name the road “Adventure Way”. Mr. Blasingame seconded and the motion carried 4-0.

**Public Hearing:** *Sunil Patel – Beer & Wine License Sugar Bear #1*

Mr. Patel has requested the Board consider issuing him a beer and wine license for the Sugar Bear Store #1 located at 6333 Marshall Mill Road, Lizella, Georgia 31052.

Mr. Kelly stated that the requirements for advertising the Public Hearing notice had been met and that the criminal background check indicated that no records were found.

Mr. Spillers made the motion to approve the request. Mr. Braswell seconded and the motion carried 4-0.

### **THIRD ON THE AGENDA**

**Appearances:** *Jane Hampton – Indian Springs Chapter of the Daughters of Indian Wars*

Ms. Jane Hampton representing the Indian Springs Chapter of the Continental Society Daughters of Indian Wars has requested the Board to consider allowing the organization to place a marker on the grave site of Benjamin Hawkins. This Daughter of Indian Wars (DIW) marker would honor Benjamin Hawkins and his achievements as the General Superintendent of Indian Affairs.

Ms. Hampton stated that the ceremony will be tastefully done, with a Pledge to the US Flag, a wreath laying and remarks given about his service to our Country and to the Native American peoples. This ceremony, should it be approved, is scheduled for October 6, 2015.

There was some discussion as to ownership of the property the Benjamin Hawkins monument rested on. Mr. Mincey stated that the Board could approve the request but there may be other agencies that may also need to give their blessing.

Mr. Braswell made a motion to approve the request. Mr. Blasingame seconded and the motion carried 4-0.

### **FOURTH ON THE AGENDA**

**Old Business:** *LMIG 2016 – Roads Discussion*

Mr. Kelly stated the Board would need to approve a roads project list for the Local Maintenance Improvement Grant (LMIG) application. He went on to say the Board would need to finalize the list by the end of July.

**Old Business:** *Fire House – Gaultney Store*

Mr. Kelly requested the Board provide guidance as to how they wished to dispose or maintain the fire house located at Gaultney Store on Hwy 80 West. He went on to say that the building was constructed in the 70's and was no longer being used by the County.

Mr. Mincey stated the County had three (3) options. They could declare the building surplus and sell it to the owner of the property it sits on for a minimal amount, they could demo and remove the building, or they could continue the status quo and maintain liability insurance and maintenance of the structure.

After some discussion the Board directed Mr. Kelly to make contact with the property owner and determine what that party would like to see done with the structure.

**FIFTH ON THE AGENDA**

**New Business: Sign Easement**

Mr. Mincey requested the Board enter into an Easement Agreement with Mr. Bryant Pyles. He went on to say the Historic Society would like to place a sign celebrating the birthplace of John Pemberton. Mr. Pemberton is the pharmacist that invented Coca-Cola and was born in Knoxville Georgia on January 8, 1831.

Mr. Mincey stated the easement agreement would allow the County to maintain, repair and replace as needed in perpetuity the display.

Mr. Spillers made the motion to enter into the agreement. Mr. Braswell seconded and the motion carried 4-0.


**Adjourn:**

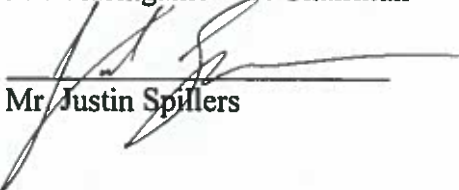
There being no further business, Mr. Chapman asked for a motion to adjourn the 16 June 2015 meeting of the Board of Commissioners. Mr. Spillers made the motion, seconded by Mr. Braswell. Motion carried 4-0 and the Board adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**


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Mr. Paul Chapman - Chairman

  
Mr. Blasingame - V. Chairman

  
Mr. Justin Spillers

ABSENT  
Mr. John Thomas

  
Mr. Sterling Braswell

  
Attest - County Manager