

**MINUTES
MEETINGS OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
CITY OF DOUGLAS, GEORGIA
SEPTEMBER 12, 2022**

The Board of Commissioners held a regular meeting on Monday, September 12, 2022, at 6:28 p.m. at the C. E. Weir Center. Mayor Tony L. Paulk was presiding over the meeting. Mayor Pro Tem Edwin Taylor and Commissioners Cindy McNeill, Steve Bailey, Kentaiwon Durham, Olivia Pearson, and Mike Gowen were present.

CALLED TO ORDER

Mayor Tony L. Paulk called to order the Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners.

INVOCATION (COMMISSIONER KENTAIWON DURHAM)

Georgia Henderson, Community Development Director, gave the invocation.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Coffee County High Naval JROTC led the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF THE ORDER OF THE AGENDA

The MOTION carried (6-0) to approve the agenda order at the Regular Meeting with the motion made by Mayor Pro Tem Edwin Taylor and seconded by Commissioner Kentaiwon Durham.

APPROVAL OF THE FIRST READING OF THE 2022 MILLAGE TAX ORDINANCE

Jerome Adams, City Attorney, appeared before the Commission to read the second reading and conduct a public hearing for the approval of the 2022 Millage Tax Ordinance.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF DOUGLAS, GEORGIA, PROPOSED FOR THE LEVYING OF A TAX UPON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN THE CITY OF DOUGLAS SUBJECT TO TAXATION UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA AND THE ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF DOUGLAS FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2022 AND ALL PURPOSES. No public comments.

The MOTION carried (6-0) to approve the 2022 Millage Tax Ordinance with the motion made by Commissioner Olivia Pearson and seconded by Commissioner Kentaiwon Durham.

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

- APPROVAL OF THE WS/REGULAR AUGUST 22, 2022, MEETING MINUTES
- APPROVAL OF THE ADOPTION OF THE PURCHASING POLICY MANUAL
- APPROVAL OF BID AWARD FOR THE 2022 LMIG PAVING PROJECT
- APPROVAL OF THE OFF-SYSTEM PURCHASE AUTHORIZATION AGREEMENT FOR TEA STRIPS THROUGH MEAG
- APPROVAL OF THE TAKING BACK OUR FAMILIES AND COMMUNITY MARCH

**MINUTES
WORK SESSION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
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CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS-CONTINUED

As discussed in the Works Session, the **MOTION** carried (6-0) to approve all Consent Agenda Items listed above, a motion made by Commissioner Mike Gowen and seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Edwin Taylor.

WORKSESSION ITEMS

**APPROVE AND CONDUCT A PUBLIC HEARING FOR ALCOHOL LICENSE
REQUEST BY BHAUKIKKUMAR N. PATEL FOR MACK'S EXPRESS**

Jerome Adams, City Attorney, appeared before the Commission to read the reading and conduct a public hearing to issue an Alcohol Beverage License to Mr. Bhaukikkumar N. Patel, d.b.a. Mack's Express, located at 1712 S. Peterson Avenue, Douglas, Georgia 31535.

The **MOTION** carried (6-0) to approve the issuance of an Alcohol Beverage License to Mr. Bhaukikkumar N. Patel, d.b.a. Mack's Express, located at 1712 S. Peterson Avenue, Douglas, Georgia 31535, with the motion made by Commissioner Mike Gowen and seconded by Commissioner Kentaiwon Durham.

GENERAL COMMENTS

No comments

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Paulk entertained a motion to adjourn the Regular Meeting at 6:36 p.m. Mayor Pro Tem Edwin Taylor made a **MOTION** and seconded by Commissioner Kentaiwon Durham Motion carried (6-0)



Wynetta J. Bolder, CMC



Mayor Tony L. Paulk