



**COMMISSIONER'S MEETING
THURSDAY, April 22, 2010
4:00 P.M. – CONFERENCE ROOM
MINUTES**

- I. Commissioner Jones called the meeting to Order.
 1. Prayer
 2. Pledge of Allegiance
 3. Amendments to Agenda – None
- II. Approved Minutes from March 25, 2010 meeting.
- III. Reports from Committees and Departments

Joey Low – Director of Planning & Development – reported that in the month of March they issued 39 permits, 1 of those was for a house, 5 mobile homes 21 miscellaneous and 12 renewals. For a frame of reference in 2007 the month of March they had 44 houses, 1 mobile home, 25 miscellaneous, 1 commercial and 24 renewal's. That is a 40% decrease verses March 2009 and a 75% decrease for the year in their revenues. He said there are a couple of projects going on; one is the Rock Creek Manor assisted living Facility that will have 30 beds. Also they are in the talking stages with an individual about an off road vehicle park, that would be in the very rural West end of the county.
- IV. Consent Agenda
 1. Signed Association County Commissioners of Georgia Group Self-Insurance Workers' Compensation Fund Safety Discount Verification Form. ACCG will provide a 7.5% safety incentive discount on our 2011ACCG-GSIWCFworkers' compensation insurance premium.
 2. Adopted Resolution Appointing Jim Fowler to the Pickens County Planning Commission to serve a four year term that ends on December 31, 2013.
 3. Signed Proclamation designating April 2010 as Child Abuse Prevention Month.
 4. Signed Joint Proclamation by the Sole Commissioner of Pickens County, Georgia and the Mayor of the City of Jasper, Georgia declaring April 24, 2010 Health Fair Day in Pickens County and urge all members of the community to recognize and support the activity.
 5. Signed Proclamation designating the week of April 24 – May 1, 2010 as National Infant Immunization Week in Pickens County, Georgia.
- V. Old Business – None
- VI. New Business
 1. Signed the National Donate Life Month Proclamation
 2. Signed Resolution Adopting and Amending Chapter 38 of the Code of Ordinances of Pickens County, Georgia by adding the modifications for the following sections of Chapter 38: Soil Erosion, Sedimentation, and Pollution Control as said modifications are shown in Exhibit A to this Resolution.
- VII. Guest/Comments – Nancy Davis said she had brought a flyer about the National Day of Prayer on May 6, 2010. She said since that had been declared unconstitutional by a Federal Judge did he

think that that would have any ramifications here in Georgia? Commissioner Jones referred that question to the County Attorney.

VIII. Adjourned at 4:12 P.M.