

AT A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY  
COMMISSIONERS HELD IN AND FOR GADSDEN  
COUNTY, FLORIDA ON MAY 24, 2022, AT 5:00 P.M.,  
THE FOLLOWING PROCEEDING WAS HAD, VIZ:

Present: Dr. Anthony "Dr. V" Viegbesie, Chair, District 2  
Ronterious "Ron" Green, Vice Chair, District 5  
Eric Hinson, District 1  
Kimblin NeSmith, District 3  
Brenda Holt, District 4  
Edward J. Dixon, County Administrator  
Clayton Knowles, County Attorney  
Marcella Blocker, Deputy Clerk  
Crystal Jimenez, Deputy Clerk

**CALL TO ORDER, INVOCATION, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Chair Viegbesie called the meeting to order at 5:01 pm. He asked Vice Chair Green to do the Honor in leading the invocation.

Commissioner Green gave the invocation.

Chair Viegbesie led the Board to the Pledge of Allegiance of the U.S. Flag.

Chair Viegbesie asked Mr. Dixon if there were any amendments. Mr. Dixon stated there were no amendments. Chair Viegbesie asked for a motion to approve the agenda.

**UPON MOTION BY COMMISSIONER NESMITH AND SECOND BY COMMISSIONER HOLT, THE BOARD VOTED 5-0 BY VOICE VOTE TO APPROVE THE AGENDA.**

**CITIZENS REQUESTING TO BE HEARD (3-Minute Limit)**

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Commissioner NeSmith read aloud the above statement.

**GENERAL BUSINESS**

**1. Discussion and Action of Settlement Offer**

Mr. Dixon said there was one issue before this discussion and the actions of settlement offer that was provided by the County Attorney Clayton Knowles.

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Attorney Knowles said there was a proposed settlement agreement as discussed in their shade meeting. He stated that they have discussed it and would request approval of the settlement agreement.

**UPON MOTION BY COMMISSIONER HOLT AND SECOND BY COMMISSIONER GREEN, THE BOARD VOTED 5-0 BY VOICE VOTE TO APPROVE THE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT.**

**MOTION TO ADJOURN**

**THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS TO COME BEFORE THE BOARD, CHAIR VIEGBESIE DECLARED THE MEETING ADJOURNED AT 5:04 P.M.**

**GADSDEN COUNTY, FLORIDA**

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**RONTERIOUS GREEN, Chair  
Board of County Commissioners**

**ATTEST:**

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**NICHOLAS THOMAS, Clerk**