

STATE OF ALABAMA §

LAUDERDALE COUNTY §

The Lauderdale County Commission convened at the Lauderdale County Courthouse in the City of Florence, Alabama at 11:00 a.m. on the 22nd day of July 2013. The meeting was called to order by the Commission Chairman, Dewey D. Mitchell. Upon roll call, the following members answered present:

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| Dewey D. Mitchell | Chairman of Commission   |
| Roger Garner      | Commissioner, District 1 |
| D.C. Thornton     | Commissioner, District 1 |
| Fay Parker        | Commissioner, District 2 |
| Larry Irons       | Commissioner, District 2 |

Legal Counsel:

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| Christopher A. Smith | County Attorney |
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Chairman Mitchell, upon declaration of a quorum being present, opened the meeting for the transaction of business.

The invocation was delivered by Commissioner Roger Garner.

Public Comment on agenda items: none

Awards and Presentations: none

Commissioner Irons moved, seconded by Commissioner Thornton that all items listed on the regular business agenda be approved for immediate consideration. There being no discussion and upon a vote taken, motion unanimously approved. Agenda is herein recorded and made a part of these minutes.

Commissioner Garner moved, seconded by Commissioner Thornton that the minutes of the last regular meeting of the Commission be approved for recording. There being no discussion and upon a vote taken, motion unanimously approved.

Commissioner Parker moved, seconded by Commissioner Garner that a Family Medical Leave of absence be approved for Samra Gibson of the Revenue Department. The leave is to begin on July 2, 2013 and to end on September 20, 2013. Ms. Gibson's medical documentation has been processed by her physician. There being no discussion and upon a vote taken motion unanimously approved. Family Medical Leave is herein recorded and made part of these minutes.

The invoiced bills were audited, allowed and ordered paid upon a motion made by Commissioner Irons and seconded by Commissioner Thornton. There being no discussion of the invoices and upon a vote taken, motion unanimously approved.

Checks Issued July 8, 2013 through July 21, 2013

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| GENERAL - SPECIAL<br>CHECK # 46405-46471<br>VOID #46456-46469 | 511,236.38 |
| GASOLINE TAX FUND<br>CHECK # 14912-14929                      | 156,228.55 |
| SOLID WASTE FUND<br>CHECK # 5441-5457                         | 98,640.69  |
| REAPPRAISAL FUND<br>CHECK # 9943-9953                         | 23,846.03  |

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| RSVP FUND<br>CHECK #16177-16184                | 2,053.81     |
| ACCOUNTS PAYABLE FUND<br>CHECK # 33711-33766   | 448,375.15   |
| LEPA FUND<br>CHECK # 7037-7043                 | 3,875.30     |
| AGRI-BUSINESS FUND<br>CHECK #3221-3226         | 776.01       |
| CHILD PROTECTION FUND<br>CHECK # 1158          | 1,582.09     |
| TVA TAX FUND<br>CHECK #4956-4968               | 484,945.69   |
| INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT TAX FUND<br>CHECK #1072 | 464,221.34   |
| TOURISM, REC. & CONVENTION FUND<br>CHECK #395  | 250.00       |
| SERIES 2001 DEBT SERVICE FUND<br>CHECK #215    | 12,249.79    |
| TOTAL  | 2,208,280.83 |

Public Hearing: none

Staff Reports: none

Public Comment Period:

Shelly Pettus, Killen Alabama asked about animal calls in Lauderdale County, Ms. Pettus asked if the county had a vehicle available to pick up animals and what kind of animals did the county animal control officer pick up and if the county had a list of such animals. Chairman

Mitchell stated that Lauderdale County did have a truck for the animal control officer and that the calls were taken on case by case bases. Ms. Pettus asked if the county had a written policy for the officer to follow. Chairman Mitchell stated that there are procedures that she can pick up at the Lauderdale County Commissions Office. Kim Johnston County Road 458, Killen, Alabama stated that she would like to get the rest of County Road 458 paved and did not understand why the paving could not be completed. Ms. Johnston voiced concerns on how dangerous the road was after bad weather and how it was hard to get in and out of her driveway after bad weather. Chairman Mitchell asked Ken Allamel County Engineer to address these issues. Mr. Allamel stated that if Ms. Johnston would get a driveway pipe that this would help her driveway and some of her drainage issues and that the paving could not completed due to lack of right of way and those policies were discussed. Ms. Johnston stated that Mr. Davis a neighbor would block the road to keep the road department from grating the road when it was needed. Chairman Mitchell asked Ken Allamel if they had ever called the deputies when this had happened and Mr. Allamel stated they had not called. Chairman Mitchell stated that the county would not allow the obstruction of county operations and we would call the proper authorities.

Ms. Melba Fortner of 210 Meadow Lane, Killen Alabama stated that she had concerns over County Road 458 in Killen and she asked for clarification on right of way and the drainage issues and county easements. Ken Allamel and Chris Smith County Attorney went over the policies concerning eminent domain as well as county right of way and utilities right of way. Ms. Fortner stated that a new curb had been built on County Road 458 and asked if it would be allowed to stay on the road. Chairman Mitchell stated that the county would review that work to the road. Mr. Smith stated that anything that would obscure the road the County would take the necessary steps to correct, and he would be happy to explain and talk to her after the meeting to help her understand the issues.

There being no further discussion to come before the Commission, it was adjourned upon a motion made by Commissioner Thornton and seconded by Commissioner Garner, the meeting was duly adjourned until the next regular meeting subject to call.

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Dewey D. Mitchell, Chairman  
Lauderdale County Commission

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District 2

ATTEST:

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Brenda Bryant, County Administrator