

AGENDA

Cherokee County Board of Commissioners

JUNE 2, 2009 REGULAR MEETING CHEROKEE HALL 6:00 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

CHAIRMAN AHRENS

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

CHAIRMAN AHRENS

APPEARANCE

Captain Bert Love with the Cherokee County Sheriff's Office will present an application for a 2009 Edward Byrne Justice Assistance Grant in the amount of \$11,956 to go toward the purchase of a mobile license plate recognition system.

AMENDMENTS TO AGENDA

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Cherokee County Capital Program Management Division announces that the Old Highway 5/Main Street/Holly Springs Parkway Bridge over the Little River will be closed to through traffic from Tuesday, June 9 for a period of 21 days for bridge deck rehabilitation. A posted detour will be provided during the duration of the construction. Questions regarding the construction/detour should be directed to the Cherokee County Capital Program Management Division at 678-493-6080.

*Last week, Gov Perdue announced the launch of "**Be Work Ready**", a program designed to help unemployed Georgians jump start their job search, develop confidence and gain a competitive advantage in the job market. **Be Work Ready** is a one-of-a-kind initiative providing unemployed Georgians a monetary incentive for either earning a Work Ready Certificate or improving their skills through free, online Work Ready skills gap training. When an individual earns a bronze, silver or gold level Work Ready Certificate, they are eligible for a \$50 incentive; those who earn platinum are eligible for \$100. When an individual improves their Work Ready Certificate level in any way, they are eligible for a \$100 incentive. The incentive, in the form of a gift card, can be used to offset job search expenses. **Be Work Ready** is available to those ages 18 or older who are currently unemployed and have earned a Work Ready Certificate and/or improved their Work Ready Certificate level through skills gap training. Those who have earned a Work Ready Certificate since Sept. 1, 2008 are also eligible to apply. Individuals answer a short questionnaire and fill out an application form at www.begaworkready.org to qualify. Job seekers can also post their Work Ready qualifications at www.begaworkready.org and select a target industry where employers throughout the state will be able to access this information and contact candidates about available jobs.*

APPROVAL OF WORK SESSION MINUTES FROM MAY 19, 2009

APPROVAL OF REGULAR MEETING MINUTES FROM MAY 19, 2009

PUBLIC COMMENT

COMMISSION BUSINESS

CHAIRMAN

L. B. AHRENS

"Nominees for Fall 09 Class... Arts Leaders of Metro Atlanta"

COMMISSION POST 1

HARRY B. JOHNSTON

COMMISSION POST 2

JIM HUBBARD

Re-appointment of Debra Haynes to the Planning Commission retroactive to January 1, 2009

COMMISSION POST 3

KAREN BOSCH

Announce Town Hall Meeting on Thursday, June 11 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the Oak Grove Community Room, 100 Ridgemill Court, Acworth, GA

Re-appointment of Charles Kirby to the Planning Commission retroactive to January 1, 2009

VICE CHAIR/COMMISSION POST 4

DEREK V. GOOD

CONSENT AGENDA

1. Approval of amendment to DHR 2009 5310 contract funding for reduction of \$10,000 of unused funds; this reduction has no impact on county budget or services
2. Approval of Mutual Aid Agreement with Pickens County for Cherokee County Fire Department
3. Approve request for multi-way stop at intersection of Hasty Trail at Lakeside Trail in Garrison Farms-petition submitted that met 70% requirement
4. Approval of budget amendment/transfer of funds of \$18,000 from proceeds from auction of Recycling equipment to cover expenditures for utility preparation, equipment and shelter installation rehab costs at Recycling Center and Hobgood Park

COUNTY MANAGER

5. Consider approval of Resolution for Medical Benefits for Qualified Retirees.

COUNTY ATTORNEY

ADJOURN

Cherokee County Planning Commission
Public Hearing Agenda
Tuesday, June 2, 2009
7:00 PM

Due to an absence of business before the Planning Commission for June, no meeting has been scheduled.