AGENDA

All items are for discussion and possible action.
Perquimans County Board of Commissioners
Meeting Room at Perquimans County Library
March 4, 2024
7:00 p.m.

	1.	Call to Order	
	II.	Prayer & Pledge	
	III. 🎤	Approval of Agenda	
	IV.	Consent Agenda (Consent items as follows will be adopted with a single motion, second and vote, unless request for removal of an item or items is made from a Commissioner or Commissioners.)	: त
	and the same	A. Approval of Minutes February 5, 2024 Regular Meeting and February 19, 2024 Regular Work	Session
	DOMESTI:	B. Tax Refund & Tax Release Approvals	
	S	C. Personnel Matters	
ACTION REQUIRED		 Appointment: Income Maintenance Technician Appointment: Part-Time/Fill-In EMT Promotion: Center for Active Living Coordinator Reclassification to Part-Time: Part-Time/Fill-In Telecommunicator I Removed from Roster: Part-Time/Fill-In EMT 	
	200	D. Step Increases/Merit Increases	
		1. Telecommunications 2. Sheriff's Office (2) 3. EMS (2) 4. Water Department	
	W.	E. Budget Amendments No. 25 - 27	
	V. [Recognition of Employees' Years of Service	
NO ACTION	5	A. Recognition of Employees' Years of Service	
REQUIRED	VI.	Scheduled Appointments	
	Ę	A. Bill Jennings, Tax Administrator	7:00 p.m
	Ì	B. Dr. Tanya Turner, Superintendent of Schools	7:05 p.m
	į	C. Jonathan Nixon, Emergency Services Director	7:10 p.m
ACTION REQUIRED		 Emergency Services Public Officials Conference SCA Collections, Inc. Account Collection Agreement HIPAA Omnibus Rule Business Associates Agreement PCG Long-Term Lease Radio Project Contract - Motorola Perquimans-Gates 911 Consolidation Agreement 911 Personnet Summary 	
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	VII.	Commissioner's Concerns/Committee Reports	
NO		A.	
ACTION	- Marie	В.	
REQUIRED	VIII.	Old Business	
		A. Updates from County Manager	
POSSIBLE	ĺ	B. Board Vacancies	
ACTION REQUIRED		Community Advisory Committee (4) Senior Tarheel Legislature Delegate & Alternate Senior Tarheel Legislature Community Advisory Committee	



IX. **New Business** Planning Item: Extension Request for Preliminary Plat - Albemarle Preserve Phase 1A В. Intergovernmental Agreement Between Perquimans County Board of Education & Perquimans County Perquimans-Gates 911 Consolidation 1. Interlocal Agreement ACTION 2. Personnel Summary REQUIRED D. Center for Active Living Items: Board Appointments: Albemarle Commission Area Agency on Aging Regional Advisory Council (RAC) 2. Bank Authorization for New Center for Active Living Coordinator to Endorse Checks E. F. G X. Unscheduled Appointments/Public Comments (If you wish to address the Board, please state your name for the record prior to speaking) NO ACTION REQUIRED ₿. Xł. Closed Session: Per NCGS #143-318-11(4) - The purpose of the Closed Session is to discuss an economic development matter and to approve Closed Session Minutes. (After the Closed Session, the Board is subject to return to Open Session and may take ACTION REQUIRED action as needed on any items discussed during the closed session.) XII. Adjournment

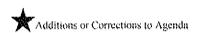
FOR INFORMATION ONLY:

Flyer for March for Meals 2024

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORT:

- Plat Log
- Tax Department Report
- Building Inspector's Reports
- Code Enforcement Report
- Sheriff's Office Report

COMMITTEE WRITTEN REPORTS:



NOTES FROM THE COUNTY MANAGER March 4, 2024 7:00 p.m.

- IV. Enclosures: Items included on the Consent Agenda are enclosed. If you wish to discuss any of these items, please make that request <u>during</u> the meeting.
- V. The recognition of employee years of service:
 - A. Recognition of Employee's Years of Servecce:

Employee Name	Department	Employee Job Title	No. of Years	Effective Date
	Telecommunications	911 Shift Supervisor II	5 years	03/01/2024
Jovan Ward	Social Services	IMC III - Lead Worker	10 years	03/01/2024

- VI.A. Enclosure: Bill Jennings, Tax Administrator, will present a collection report.
- VI.B. Enclosure: Dr. Tanya Turner, Superintendent of Schools, will present the enclosed Distribution Request Public School Building Repair & Renovation Fund. Board consideration and action are being requested.
- VI.C. Enclosures: Jonathan Nixon, Emergency Services Director, will present the following items:
 - Public Officials Conference: Mr. Nixon & Julie Solesbee will hold the Public Officials Conference. The Hertford & Winfall Town Councils, Town Mayors, and Hertford Town Manager were invited to attend the meeting. This is for information only. No action required.
 - SCA Collections, Inc. Account Collection Agreement: Mr. Nixon will present this Agreement with a collection agency that will work with Perquimans County's Billing Agency, Colleton, to make the process seamless for citizens and staff. Their previous long-time collection agency went out of business last year. Board consideration and action are being requested.
 - IHPAA Omnibus Rule Business Associates Agreement: Mr. Nixon will present a Business Associate Agreement to cover HIPPA. Board consideration and action are being requested.
 - 4. <u>PCG Long-Term Lease Agreement:</u> Mr. Nixon will present this Lease Agreement for a .60 Acre Lease at the PCG Landfill (see enclosed plats) to be used as a site for an Emergency Services Communications Tower. Board consideration and action are being requested.
 - Radio Project Contract Motorola: Mr. Nixon will present the following information on the addition of towers to improve VIPER Public Safety Radio Communications for all three counties. The enclosed maps show the following information:
 - a) Existing Viper Sites this map shows the VIPER Towers that are currently in operation.
 - b) Portable on Street—this map shows the two proposed VIPER sites along with the current Winfall tower site in Perquinans. Only Perquimans tower sites are shown on this map so the coverage from the Gatesville and Valhalla is not included. The goal to is improve the coverage for Perquimans County. Board consideration and action are being requested.
 - 6. Perguinans-Gates 911 Consolidation Agreement: Mr. Nixon will present the Perquinans-Gates 911 Consolidation Agreement which will consolidate the Perquinans County and the Gates County 941 Centers. Board action to be taken later in meeting.
 - 911 Personnel Summary: Should the Perquimans-Gates 911 Consolidation Agreement be approved, Mr. Nixon will present on Monday night the proposed personnel changes needed for the consolidation. Board action will be taken fater in the meeting.
- VIII.A. County Manager Heath will present several updates to the Board.
- VIII.B. The following board/committee has vacancies which need to be filled:
 - 1. Community Advisory Committee: Currently, we only have one member on this Committee. We have placed an advertisement for these vacancies on the County Website & Facebook page. To date, we have received one and one application. We need to fill a total of four vacancies,
 - Senior Tar Heel Legislature Delegate, Alternate & Senior Tarbeel Community Advisory Committee: Ms. Jo-Ellen Robinson Hutton
 resigned from this Advisory Board in October, 2023. Currently, we have no replacement for her or for an alternate. We have placed an
 advertisement for these vacancies on the County Website & Facebook page. To date, we have received one phone call but no applications.
- IX.A. Enclosure: Rhonda Repanshek, County Planner, has received the enclosed e-mail from Bobby Masters requesting an extension for a preliminary plat for Albemarle Preserve Phase 1A. Board consideration and action is being requested.
- IX.B. Enclosure: The Board will need to review and act on the enclosed Intergovernmental Agreement between Perquimans County Board of Education and Perquimans County. Board action is being requested.
- IX.C. **Enclosures:** Board action will be requested on the following items presented by Jonthan Nixon during scheduled appointments:
 - Perquimans-Gates 911 Consolidation Agreement: Mr. Heath will present his recommendations on the Perquimans-Gates 913 Consolidation
 Agreement which will consolidate the Perquimans County and the Gates County 911 Centers. Also enclosed is the Resolution from Gates County
 Board of Commissioners authorizing the consolidation of these two 911 Centers. Board consideration and action is being requested.
 - 911 Personnel Summary: County Manager Heath will recommend the approval of the 911 Personnel Summary which Mr. Nixon presented under scheduled appointments. Board consideration and action is being requested.
- IX.D. **Enclosures:** The following items need to be considered and take action on for the Center for Active Living:



- 3. Beard Appointments Albemarle Commission Area Agency on Aging Regional Advisory Council (RAC): With the retirement of Beverly Gregory, Active Living Coordinator, the Board will need to appoint LaRee Sawyer to the Albemarle Commission Area Agency on Aging Regional Advisory Council (RAC). In addition, their by-laws have been amended to allow two members to serve from each county. Ms, Gregory has agreed to remain on the RAC Council until she notifies us that she will be resigning from the RAC so we will need to appoint her as our second representative on the RAC. Board consideration and action is being requested.
- Bank Authorization for New Center for Active Living Coordinator to Endorse Checks: In addition, our bank, PNC, has requested that the Board authorize LuRee Sawyer, new Center for Active Living Coordinator, to handle banking transactions for the Center at PNC Bank. This action needs to be recorded in minutes and a copy forwarded to PNC Bank. Board consideration and action is being requested.
- XI. Enclosure. Pursuant to NC General Statute 143-318-11(4), the Board will go into closed session to consult with attorney regarding an economic development matter and to approve Closed Session Minutes.

(After the Closed Session, the Board is subject to return to Open Session and may take action as needed on any items discussed <u>during</u> the closed sessioπ.)

CONSENT AGENDA NOTES

(Consent items as follows will be adopted with a single motion, second and vote, unless a request for removal from the Consent Agenda is heard from a Commissioner)

- A. Enclosures: Approval of February 5, 2024 Regular Meeting and February 19, 2024 Regular Work Session
- B. Enclosure: Tax Refund & Tax Release Approvals: See attached listing
- C. Enclosures: Personnel Matters

Employee	Employee	Action	Grade/	New	Effective
Name	Job Title	Required	Step	Sulary	Date
Michelle Cassell	Income Maintenance Technician	Appointment	59/3	\$31,078	03/01/2024
Brooke Perry	Part-Time/Fill-br EMT	Appoinment	63/1	\$16.97/hr.	03/01/2024
LuRee Sawyer	Center for Active Living Coordinator	Promotion	63/10	\$43,975	04/01/2024
Logan Hogee	Part-Time/Fill-la Telecommunicator i	Reclassification	63/2	\$17.39/hr.	02/27/2023
Lindsay Brothers	Part-Time/Fill-to EMT	Removed from Roster			02/03/2024

D. Enclosures: During the Budget process, the following step or merit increases were approved for the employees. The following individuals are being recommended by their supervisor for step or merit increases:

A CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY O	Employee	Employee	Grade/	New	Effective
Department	Name	Job Title	Step	Salary	Date
Telecommunications	Logan Hogge	Part-Time/FiB-In Telecommunicator I	63/3	\$17.82/hr.	03/01/2024
Sheriff's Office	James Fowden	Investigator	68/8	\$52,191	03/01/2024
Sheriff's Office	DeAngelo Freemonweldy	Certified Deputy	66/2	\$41,286	03/01/2024
EMS	Bethany Buttram	MIH Coordinator / Paramedic	70/6	\$54,280	03/01/2024
EMS	Brian Hickman	Part-Time/Fill-In Paramedic	68/2	\$21.68/br.	03/01/2024
Water Department	Robert Elliott	Equipment Operator	58/17	\$41,850	03/01/2024

E. Enclosures: Budget Amendment Nos. 25 – 27 is enclosed for your review and action.



Finance, & Human Resources Software contract to Keystone at a cost of \$295,997. He is requesting that the Board approve the contract and approve the \$300,000 budget amendment to cover the cost of this new software. His reasons for his recommendation for Keystone is the cheapest price, it covers all three options needed, have been most responsive during the bid process, and seems to be good to work with if any problems arise. He further stated that the Tax, Finance, and Human Resources staff recommends this software also. Mr. Heath opened the floor for any questions. Chairman Nelson asked the department staff members if they had any comments. The following comments were made:

- Bill Jeanings: Mr. Jennings said that he agreed with Mr. Heath's recommendation. He further stated that Washington County will be going with Keystone too. Chairman Nelson asked if any other counties are using Keystone. Mr. Jennings said that Washington County will be using both and Chowan County uses the finance software.
- Tracy Mathews: Ms. Mathews also agreed with Mr. Heath's recommendation. She forther explained that, since the death of our programmer, Keystone has been very helpful with keeping the county's records and documents being produced. They have been very helpful and is looking forward to working with us. Whenever they have had a question, they were quick to respond with an answer, even before a contract has been signed.

Chairman Nelson asked if there were any questions or comments from the Commissioners. The following questions/comments were made:

- Commissioner Corpress: Mr. Corpress asked where the company was based out of. Bill Jennings said that they are out of Knightdale and our representative lives in Nash County. Mr. Corpress asked how much maintenance costs we had with the previous programmer. Mr. Jennings, Ms. Bray, and Ms. Mathews said that it was not very much because Mr. Baker would just help whenever there was a problem. It was the consensus of the employees that the costs was probably around \$2,000 per year. With this system, the maintenance fees will be around \$57,000 per year for all three options. The total costs of the project would be \$295,991 for the first year.
- <u>Chairman, Nelson</u>: Mr. Nelson asked if this system would provide additional information to the public that the current system would not provide. Mr. Heath said that it would.

Commissioner Jones asked if Mr. Heath was requesting a formal motion. Mr. Heath said that he was. On motion made by T. Kyle Jones, seconded by Charles Woodard, the Board unanimously awarded the Tax, Finance, and Human Resources Software package contract to Keystone at a cost of \$295,991 and approved the following Budget Amendment No. 23:

BUDGET AMENDMENT NO. 23 GENERAL FUNDS

CODE		AMOUNT					
NUMBER	DESCRIPTION OF CODE	INCREASE DECREASE					
10-399-000	Fund Balance Appropriated	300.000					
10-690-989	Tax/Finance Software	300,000					
EXPLANATION: To amend FY 23/24 budget to include finding for new tax/finance system.							

PERSONNEL MATTER

These personnel metter was received after the Agenda Packets were distributed. On motion made by Timothy J. Corprew, seconded by James H. Ward, the following personnel matter was unanimously approved by the Board:

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} Employee	Employee	Action	Grade/	New	Effective	1
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Reagan Charlton			60/1	\$14.87/hr.	01/16/2024	

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further comments or business to discuss, the Special Called Meeting was adjourned at 7:35 p.m. on motion made by Timothy J. Corprew, seconded by James W. Ward,

Wallace E. Nelson, Chairman

Clerk to the Board

WORK SESSION January 16, 2024 7:00 p.m.

The Perquimans County Board of Commissioners Work Session on January 17, 2024 was cancelled.

REGULAR MEETING

February 5, 2024 6:50 p.m.

The Perquimans County Board of Commissioners met in a regular meeting on Monday, February 5, 2024, at 6:50 p.m. in the in the Meeting Room of the Perquimans County Library located at 514 S. Church Street, Hertford, NC 27944.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

MEMBERS ABSENT:

OTHERS PRESENT:

Charles Woodard, Vice Chairman

Timothy J. Corprew T. Kyle Jones

Joseph W. Hoffler

James W. Ward

Wallace E. Nelson, Chairman

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Mary P. Hunnicutt, Clerk to the Board

Frank Heath, County Manager Hackney High, County Attorney

Vice Chairman Woodard called the meeting to order and explained that Chairman Nelson had a prior engagement. Commissioner Corprew gave the invocation and Vice Chairman Woodard led the Pledge of Allegiance. Vice Chairman Woodard welcomed everyone to the meeting and explained that the first item of business was to hold a quasi-judicial public hearing.

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PUBLIC HEARING

Vice Chairman Woodard explained that the Board will hold a quasi-judicial public hearing to consider Special Use Permit No. SUP-23-03, requested by Corey Marriner, to put a double-wide manufactured home in the Old Neck Historic Ag. District at 686 New Hope Road on Tax Parcel No. 5-D051-0014-HW. There were eighteen (18) people present. Mr. Woodard recognized Rhonda Repanshek, County Planner, who presented the following overview of Mr. Marriner's request:

Thank you Commissioner Woodard

Special Use Permit No. SUP-23-03, requested by Corey Marriner

- This is a quasi-judicial hearing and has had published notice, letters of notice mailed to neighbors and had a sign posted on site in conformance with county zoning ordinance and NC general statutes.
- No public comments or inquiries were made to Planning staff regarding the case.
- Doublewide manufactured homes are Special Use Permits in Historic Agriculture Districts
- New Hope Rd is the northern-most outer edge of the Old Neck Historic District. 2 other doublewides have been approved on New Hope Rd.
- The county CAMA Land Use Plan shows the subject area as Historic Ag on its Projected Future Land Use Map, so that matches.
- Commissioners can add conditions to the draft Special Use Permit regarding location of the proposed structure, landscaping, etc. that would make the home fit the Historic District better. For example, the Board could add a condition saying the home must face New Hope Rd or that the from setback from the road must be \$0 or 60 feet deep to keep the house in line with other houses in that section,
- The neighbors to the rear have close to 10 acres and a significant amount of trees at their property line that borders the Marriner's lot.
- Currently the only condition in the Special Use Permit is that it must have a minimum 40 it front yard setback from New Hone Rd.
- County regulations require a continuous, permanent masonry curtain as underpinning.

Planning Board unanimously recommends finding Special Use Permit SUP-23-03 to be consistent with the County Land Use Plan due to its designation as Historic Ag. Area in the LUP and the residential nature of the proposed use and recommends that Commissioners approve the request based on the four findings in County zoning ordinance section

Vice Chairman Woodard asked if the applicant, commissioners, or public had any comments or questions. There being none, Mr. Woodard closed the public hearing at 7:00 p.m. and proceeded with the Regular Meeting,

AGENDA

Vice Chairman Woodard stated that a copy of the amended Agenda was at their seats tonight. Joseph W. Hoffler made a motion to approve the amended Agenda as presented. The motion was seconded by T. Kyle Jones and unanimously approved by the Board.

CONSENT AGENDA

Vice Chairman Wooderd asked if there were any items that the Board wished to remove from the Consent Agenda to discuss. There being none, James W. Ward made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda as presented. The motion was seconded by Joseph W. Hoffler and unanimously approved by the Board.

- 1. Approval of Minutes: The Minutes of the January 2, 2024 Regular Meeting & January 16, Special Called Meeting & Work Session (cancelled) were approved by the Board.
- Tax Refund Approval:

Tax Refunds

Dae Dawn Express LLC----Plate turned in for exchange to non-weighted plate. 9-month refund. Account No. 75027524.

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Personnel Matters: The following personnel matters were approved by the Board:

Employee	Emplayee	Action	Grade/	New	Liffective
Name	Jub Title	Required	Step	Salary	Date
Туппна Огееп	Part-Time/Fill-In Non-Certified Telecommenicator	Appointment	60/1	\$14.87/br.	02/01/2024
Makayla Jones	Part-Time/Fill-In Non-Certified Telecommunicator	Appointment	60/1	\$14.87/hr.	02/01/2024
Brayden Clemens	Part-Time/Fill-In EMT	Appointment	63/1	\$16.97/hr.	02/01/2024
Andrew Jones	Part-Time/Fill-In EMI	Appointment	63/1	\$16.97/hr.	02/01/2024
Carbin Mixon	Part-Finte/Fill-to EMT	Appointment	63/1	\$16.97/hr.	02/01/2024
Dinosa Hordie	Part-Time/Fill-In Center for Active Living Nutrition	Арроінивен	11/8	\$13.09/hr.	02/01/2024
Jo-lällen Hutto	Part-Time/Fill-In Center for Active Living Nutrition	Appoinment	n/g	\$13.09/hr.	02/01/2024
Robert Russell Gray, III	Certified Deputy	Appointment	66/4	\$43,350	03/01/2024
Gwen Hudson	Income Maintenance Investigator III	Promotion	65/12	\$50,423	01/01/2024
Heather Russell	IMC I working against IMC II	Resignation	.42006940099	\$900009099999	01/10/2024
Jan Tripp	Part-Time/Filt-In EMT	Removal from Roster	1969/1669/36597	VARIETY COME	01/08/2024
Tonya Ayers	Patt-Time/Fili-in EMT	Reinstatement	68/3	\$21.15/hr.	02/01/2024

4. Step/Merit Increases:

Emplayee	Employee	Grade/	New	Effective
Name	Inb Title	Step	Satary	Dute
Fantasia Saunders	Pull-Time Telecommunicator I	63/3	537,059	02/01/2024
Aficia Kim White	Income Mnintenance Lead Worker III	65/3	\$40,471	02/01/2024

Budget Amendment No. 24: The following budget amendment was approved by the Board:

BUDGET AMENDMENT NO. 24 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FUN

ECONOMIC DEVENORMENT POND							
		AMO	JUNT				
CODE NUMBER	DESCRIPTION OF CODE	INCREASE	DECREASE				
40-383-000	Sale of Commerce Centre Lot	199,250					
40-660-700	Sale of Commerce Centre Lot	199,250					
	e EY 23/24 budget to behild the sale of 5 neres.						

- Miscellaneous Documents: The following miscellaneous documents were approved by the Board:
 - Board of Elections Resulution Regarding Buffer Zone for the West Hertford Polling Place: For information purposes, the Board was presented a copy of the following resolution establishing the buffer zone for the West Hertford Polling Place.

Bobby Siller, Chairperson Kavin Jones, Secretary Victoria Butler, Membe Ella Fields Bunch, Momber Vera Murrill, Member



Jackie Greene Director Erica Cartwright Deputy Director

Perquimans County Board of Elections

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Fox: 252.)26.8068 Phone: 252,426,5598

Perquimans County Board of Elections Resolution #2024-01

WHEREAS, the Perquirmans County Bound of Flections (BOE) is responsible for ensuring that intequate procedures are in place at each voting place for a sate, secure, thin, and himest election and has established a vorting site for early voting at 603 South Glenton Rocal Street, Herstord;

AND WITEREAS, the Penjuinnans County Board of Flavhous parst maintain a voting place and a buffer some where no person or group of persons shall hinder access, baths others, distribute compaign literature, place political advertising, salien yours, or otherwise engage in election related activity, including that of the curbade voting area:

BE IT RESOLVED that the Perquintars County Board of Floritons has set the buffer zone to be at least 50 feet from the main varing entrance for the polling place of the precinct of WEST WERTFORD ELECTION DAY POLLING she at 604 South Eduction Road Street, Herrford.

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RECOGNITION OF EMPLOYEES' YEARS OF SERVICE

A. Recognition of Employee's Years of Service:

	Employee		Employee	No. 05	Effective
-	Name	Department	Job Title	Years	Date
- (Jacqueline Frierson	Register of Deeds	Register of Deeds	30 years	02/01/2024

After the presentation, Ms. Frierson made a few comments to the Board and the Vice Chairman and Commissioners thanked her for her 30 years of service.

COMMISSIONER'S CONCERNS/COMMITTEE REPORTS

There were no Commissioners' concerns/committee reports.

<u>UPDATES FROM COUNTY MANAGER</u>

County Manager Heath presented the following updates:

- Revaluation Notices: Mr. Heath informed the Board that the 2024 Revaluation Notices are scheduled to be mailed on February
- 22, 2024. He explained the process once the notices are received by the taxpayers.

 Marine Park Eastn Construction: Because the construction moratorium is due to start again on February 15, 2024, the contractor is working round the clock to get things finished. Mr. Heath further explained that they were going to apply for an extension for the moratorium and our permit,
- High School Property: Mr. Heath stated that they closed on the Jessup property where the new school facility was going to be built. From the survey, it was 68.99 acres at a cost of 5830,850. He said that he will be meeting with Superintendent Tumer soon to set up a timelines for the project.
- Commissioners Retreat: Mr. Heath explained that he has been trying to work with NCACC to set up a Board Retreat in late March, 2024. More information will be provided at a later date.

BOARD VACANCIES

Currently, we have the following Board vacancies:

- 1. Community Advisory Committee: Currently, we only have one member on this Committee. Melissa Hines, Regional Long-Form are Ombudsman, notified Mary Financialt that we currently need five members so we need to appoint four more members. She did explain that Patty Boseo has filed an application with Area Agency on Aging and will begin her training on December 14, 2023. Should she complete her training. Ms. Hines will notify the Board and we will need to appoint her. We need three more members. Currently, Ms. Hunnicutt informed the Board that she had received one call about this appointment and the ad is still on website.
- Scalar Tay Heet Legislature Delegate & Afternate: Ms. Io-fillen Robinson Hutton resigned from this Advisory Board in October, 2023. Currently, we have no replacement for her or for an alternate. Ms. Humicutt informed the Board that she had not heard from anyone that was interested in this appointment. The ad is still on the website.

it was the consensus of the Board to continue with the ads on the County website and Facebook page. He asked the Board that, if they know of anyone that would be interested in serving, please let Mary Hunnicutt know so that she can provide them with the application.

PLANNING ITEMS

The following Planning Items were presented for Board action:

Special Use Permit No. SUP-23-03, requested by Curry Marring: A Quasi-Indicial Hearing was held earlier for Special Use Permit No. SUP-23-03. Vice Chairman Woodard asked if there were any questions or comments from the Board. There being none, Vice Chairman Woodard said that the Planning Board had approved the request and recommends that the County Commissioners approve the request based on the four findings in County zoning ordinance section 904(e). Timothy J. Corprey made a motion to approve the SUP-23-03. The motion was seconded by James W. Ward. Vice Chairman Woodard explained that they would need to make the motion according to the recommendations in the Agenda Packet. Commissioner Corprew stated that he would amend his motion. The amended motion was that Timothy J. Corprew made a motion to find that the proposed Special Use Permit No. SUP-23-03 to be consistent with Perquinans County's CAMA Land Use Plan (LUP) due to its zone as Historic Agriculture Area in the LUP and the residential nature of the proposed use and approve the request based on the conclusions that:

The use will not materially endanger the public health or safety. if located according to the pinn submitted and approved;

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The use meets all required conditions and specifications;

The use will not substantially injure the value of adjoining or abouting property, or that the use is a patric necessity; and

The location and character of the use, if developed according to the plan as submitted and approved, will be in harmony with the area in which it is to be located and in general conformity with the Perquinnans County Land Use Plan.

The amended motion was seconded by James W. Ward and unanimously approved by the Board. A copy of the Special Use Permit No. SUP-23-03 is included in Attachment A.

Review of Minor Subdivision, requested by Bethel Yolunteer Fire Department: Vice Chairman Woodard explained that they need to review the minor subdivision located approximately 500 feet south of the intersection of Church Lane and Harvey Point Road for a Bethel Volunteer Fire District (BVFD) substation. The proposed site is on tax parcei 2-0073-0020, a Conditional Zoning District with conditions recorded in the Register of Deeds' Office. Mr. Woodard recognized Rhonda Repanshek, County Planner, who provide the following overview of the project:

BVFD Substation on Harvey Point Rd

Review of Minor Subdivision approximately 500 feet south of the intersection of Church Lane and Harvey Point Road for a Bethel Volunteer Fire District (BVFD) substation. Proposed site is on tax parcel 2-0073-0020, a Conditional Zoning District with conditions recorded in the Register of Deeds office.

Normally a minur subdivision of a single lot is approved by staff through the Expedited Plat Review process. This situation is unique because it is located in one of only two Conditional Zoning Districts (CZD) in the county. This particular CZD is a Planned Unit Development (PUD), and has conditions recorded in Register of Deeds book 494, page 775. Copies of those pages are included in your agenda packets for reference. General land use condition A3 in the register of deeds book states that the developer must obtain approval for all sections and/or phases by the Planning Board and Board of Commissioners for approval under the normal review and approval process. 'Section', is defined as 'one of several components; a piece or part'; so, staff is channeling this through Planning Board and County Commissioners to make comments and decisions.

When the PUD Master Plan was approved, the 1955 at that specific location was approved. The 'use' is not in question. The Board's job is to interpret which POD conditions affect fire station use.

Let's discuss the site itself:

The Health Dept, has verified that the proposed parcel will support a septic system with a minimum of 240 gallons per day use. A lour-inch county water line runs past the site and a six-helt water line runs near it in a different direction. Existing vegetation and natural drainage are on the west and south sides of the proposed tot. BVPD is also requesting an access ensurent from Church Lane, perose the residual acreage in the corner beside New Haven Baptist Church, to allow a partial circle drive-through driveway to avoid backingup fire trucks. No commercial development is allowed on the residual corner.

Conditions of Interest in the Register of Deeds pages are:

Condition A6 in the permit recorded in deed book 494, page 776 states that a minimum 50-feet buffer is required on properties adjacent to agricultural land, residential land and properties owned by the Department of Defense. Existing vegetation is at least 50 feet wide on the west and south side, so it meets the requirement as long as none is cut. A question to decide is whether the language requires a 50-feet wegetative buffer on the north side (Church La, side). Planning Board is not in favor of vegetation on that side

Drainage/Stormwater improvement B4 states that all drainage disches and major drain-ways should be protected by casements. Planning staff asked Soil & Water Conservation staff for comments and the feedback was that there is minimal fluid risk if the structure pad is raised a bit and a larger drainage casement is probably not necessary. "The area that may benefit from a larger drainage easement is the southeast portion of the parcel near Harvey Foint Road. It is around 6' elevation. Also, it appears a loi of farmand to the east of Harvey Point Road drains to this particular point. A partion of this area is located within fload zone AE and X. During heavy rain events, Horvey Point Road will more than likely act like a dike, once the culvert is overwhelmed and could potentially overtop the road and onto this portion of the parcet

Planning Board discussed this and saw no reason to include extra drainage casements beyond what's afready shown on the draft survey.

B5 states that prior to Final Plat an engineered dramage plan with one-foot contours, ditch or swale layouts with pipe, and showing the flow rates, shall be provided by applicant and reviewed by the County. Commissioners can decide if this should be required for the proposed location and use. Planning Board decided a draining plan should not be necessary because the building pad for the substation will be raised and the drainage issues associated with the area are on the southeastern corner of the proposed parcel

Transportation conditions D4 and D5 state that prior to accessing Harvey Point Road, a Driveway Permit must be approved by NCDOT and that ingress and egress shall be approved by Board of County Commissioners. Access to Church Lore, though not directly stated, could be included in that idea. NCDOT, via phone conversation, stated that driveway permits will be required for both accesses. The exit should be onto Harvey Point Road only and the Church Lane driveway could be for entrance only.

F7, states that no commercial development is allowed on the corner between New Haven Baptist Church and Harvey Point Road County Subdivision Regulations section 108 requires proposed subdivisions comply with "the locally adopted Coastal Resources Commission ratified Land Use Plan." This site is part of a Planned Unit Development, which is a future designation on Exhibit IX-B. the Projected Future Land Use map.

Planning Board unanimously recommends approval of the consistency with the County Land Use Pint and approval of the survey plat as proposed with the condition that the 50 foot vegetative buffer not be required on the north side of the site due to it being a safety hazard. Planning Board did not mention 'drainage' or 'setbacks' in their motion, but Commissioners can use the handout I just handed out with a more comprehensive motion withen out to guide you.

Vice Chairman Woodard asked if there were any questions or comments from the Board. There being none, he asked for a motion. T. Kyle Jones made a motion to approve the consistency with the County CAMA Land Use Plan and approve the survey plut as proposed with the conditions that a 50-foot vegetative buffer not be required on the north side of the site due to it being a safety hazard, a drainage study not be required due to the drainage issues being limited to the very southern terminus of the proposed site and that most of the water mins from farmland across the road and condition to use standard Rural Agricultural setbacks of 40 feet front set back on Harvey Point Road, 30 feet rear and 15 feet side setbacks. The motion was seconded by Timothy J. Corprew and unanimousty approved by the Board (See Attachment B).

EMERGENCY SERVICES ITEMS

Bid Date:

Vice Chairman Woodard recognized Jonathan Nixon, Emergency Services Director, who presented the following items for Board consideration and action:

Sale of Occommissioned Stryker Power Pro Cot: Mr. Nixon explained that the following item has been decommissioned and is requested scaled bids for its purchase:

Description: Stryker Power Pra Cot Model: Power Pro Year: 2008 Serial: 80941002 Condition: Used/fair Minimum Rid \$1,000,00

Scaled Bids were due at the Emergency Services Building (159 Creek Drive, Hertford, NC, 27944) no later NOON

on Friday, January 26, 2024. -Bids shall be sealed in an opaque envelope marked "Stryker Ambulance Stretcher Bid", followed by the Bidders name and address

-E-mail or Facsimile proposals will not be accepted.

Mr. Nixon informed the Board that he had received one bid which was as follows: Brent McKeenen, Albemate Medical Transport Inc., 112 Dances Bay Road, Elizabeth City, NC 27989 in the amount of \$1,100. Since this bid amount is above the minimum bid, it is his recommendation that this bid be accepted in the amount of \$1,100.00. He further requested that these funds be deposited into the EMS revenue line, and be added to expense line 10-592-160 EMS Mointenance & Repair of Equipment for servicing remaining equipment. On motion made by T. Kyle Jones, seconded by James W. Ward, the Board unnuimously awarded the bid to Brent McKecuen for \$1,100 and approved to deposit these funds into Line Item No. 10-592-160 for servicing of remaining

Albemorte Medical Transport Application for Medical Transport Service - Perquimnos County: Mr. Nixon explained that Albemarie Medical Transport, Inc. has applied to provide non-emergency transport under our

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Franchise Ordinance. Currently, Perquimens County uses Bertie Emergency Services and we will confinue to use them but they are not always readily available to provide needed transports to our citizens, as the call volume seems to have increased in recent years. Tonight, be is requesting that the Board approve to forward Albemarle Medical Transport, LLC's application for approval to assist with non-conergency transports under our Franchise Agreement. The owner, Brent McKecuen, made a few comments and explained why he was requesting this service. On motion made by T. Kyle Jones, seconded by Joseph W. Hoffler, the Board unanimously approved to consider Albemarle Medical Transport LLC's application to handle non-emergency transports.

PROPERTY PURCHASE FROM COUNTY - TOWN OF HERTFORD

Vice Chairman Woodard recognized Janice Cole, Hertford Town Manager, who presented the Town of Hertford's request to purchase the property located at 513 W. Grubb Street, Hertford, NC 27944. The County acquired the property after a tax foreclosure sale. The County was the high bidder at the sale. Ms. Cole explained that, currently, the following charges on this piece of property are outstanding from 2013;

Outstanding County Taxes	\$ 7,127,44
Outstanding Hertford Taxes	1.473.09
Total Taxes Outstanding	\$ 8,600.53
Hertford Mowing Pees	39.860.11
Total Outstanding Fees	\$48,460,64

Ms. Cole further explained that the Town of Hertford would like to purchase this property. The property is in poor condition and is a safety hazard. The Town of Hertford would like to do something with this property and is asking assistance from the Board. The Town of Hertford would be willing to forgive these moving fees. However, if the property is not maintained, it would end up in the same condition that it is now. Hertford is requesting to purchase this piece of property for the amount of taxes owed to the County and to the Town of Hertford plus attorney fees. County Manager Heath explained that, per County Attorney High, the County could agree to this sale since the County deemed it a wise decision to transfer the property to the Town of Hertford. Vice Chairman Woodard asked if there were any questions or comments from the Board. There being none, he asked for a motion. Joseph W. Hoffler made a motion to approve the sale of the property located at 513 W. Grubb Street, Hertford, NC 27944 to the Town of Hertford due to their deeming it to be a wise decision to transfer the property at a price of outstanding taxes owed and attorney fees. The motion was seconded by James W. Ward. Commissioner Corprew asked a question regarding the ABC Resolution to combine the County and Hertford's ABC Board in order for local business owner to sell alcohol at their facility. Are we any closer to having a decision on this matter. County Manager Heath said that it would have to be on the ballot in November. Mr. Woodard called for a vote on the motion. The motion was approved by a vote of four (4) to one (1) with Commissioner Corprew voting against the motion.

PERQUIMANS COUNTY AUDIT CONTRACT FOR FY 2022-2023

County Manager Heath asked Tracy Mathews, Finance Officer, to present the proposed audit contract for FY 2023-2024. Ms. Mathews explained that the proposed contract will be with Thompson, Price, Scott, Adams & Co., PA and that she and County Manager Heath recommend the approval of this contract. The cost of the contract is \$52,500 with a cap of \$64,500. The costs is \$5,000 over last year's costs. On motion made by Timothy J. Corprew, seconded by T. Kyle Jones, the Board unanimously approved the FY 2023-2024 audit contract with Thompson, Price, Scott, Adams & Co., PA.

PERSONNEL MATTERS

These personnel matters were received after the Agenda Packets were distributed. On motion made by T. Kyle Jones, seconded by Joseph W. Hoffler, the following personnel matters were unanimously approved by the Board:

Employee	Employee	Action	Grade/	New	Effective
Name	Job Title	Required	Step	Salary	Date
Ashley Stanley	IMC I Working Against IMC II	Resignation	449866966	2000 yr 200	02/01/2024
Michele Light	Income Maintenance Technician	Termination "	1988688	02002000	01/31/2024
Faith Broughton	Part-Time/Fill-In AEMT	Resignation	100000000000000000000000000000000000000	175 M. S. H. S.	02/28/2024
Virgil Parrish	Chief Building Inspector	Retirement	4544959090		04/01/2024

PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no public comments.

CLOSED SESSION: TO CONSULT WITH OUR ATTORNEY REGARDING AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT MATTER AND CLOSED SESSION MINUTES

Chairman Nelson stated that, pursuant to NC General Statute 143-318.11(4), the Board went into Closed Session to consult with our attorney regarding economic development matter and to approve closed session minutes. On motion made by James W. Ward, seconded by Joseph W. Hoffler, to go into Closed Session. The motion was unanimously voted to go into Closed Session.

The Closed Session was adjourned and the Regular Called Meeting reconvened on motion made by Timothy J. Corprew, seconded by Joseph W. Hoffler, and unanimously approved by the Board.

No action was required from the Closed Session,

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further comments or business to discuss, the Regular Meeting was adjourned around 8:15 p.m. on motion made by Timothy J. Corprew, seconded by James W. Ward.

	Charles Woodard, Vice Chairman
Clerk to the Board	******

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DRAFT Special Use Permit (Case No. SUP-23-03) Owner/Applicant Corey Marriner

for

Double-Wide Manufactured Home in Old Neck Historic Agriculture District (HA Zone)

at 686 New Hope Road, Tax Parcel No. 5-D051-0014-HW

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SPECIAL USE PERMIT No. SUP-23-03

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On the date(s) listed below, the Board of Commissioners for Perquimans County met and held a public hearing to consider the following application:

Owner/Applicant:

Corey Marriner

686 New Hope Road Hertford, NC 27944

Tax Parcel No:

5-D051-0014-HW

Property Location/

Street Address:

686 New Hope Road, Hertford, NC 27944

Zoning District:

HA (Historic Agriculture District)

Proposed Use of Property:

To place a doublewide manufactured home as the principal use permanent residence on an existing building lot in the Old Neck HA

Meeting and Hearing Dates: Planning Board on Jan. 9, 2024 & Board of Commissioners on Feb.

5, 2024.

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Having heard all the evidence and argument presented at the hearing(s), the Perquimans County Board of Commissioners finds that the application is complete, that the application complies with all of the applicable requirements of the Perquimans County Zoning Ordinance for the development proposed, and that therefore the application to make use of the above-described property for the purpose indicated is hereby approved, subject to all applicable provisions of the Zoning Ordinance pertaining to Doublewide Manufactured Homes and the following conditions:

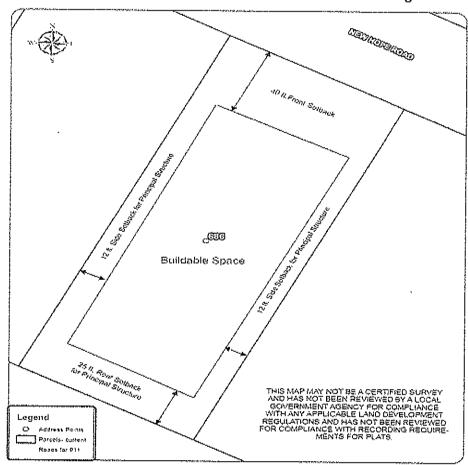
- (1) The applicant shall conduct operations strictly in accordance with the plans and narrative submitted to and approved by this Board, a copy of which is contained in the County Planning Office and filed with the Register of Deeds office. However, it is understood that the property owner may propose changes to the attached Conceptual Site Plan now or in the future, in coordination with the County Planning Office, to provide for the placement of accessory structures or a complete change in the use of the property pursuant to other land uses which are otherwise permitted outright by the Zoning Ordinance for properties zoned HA, Historic Agriculture District.
- (2) Placement of home (and any other accessory structures proposed in the future) shall have a front yard setback that is a minimum of 40 feet from the state road right-of-way.

SPECIAL USE PERMIT No. SUP-23-93

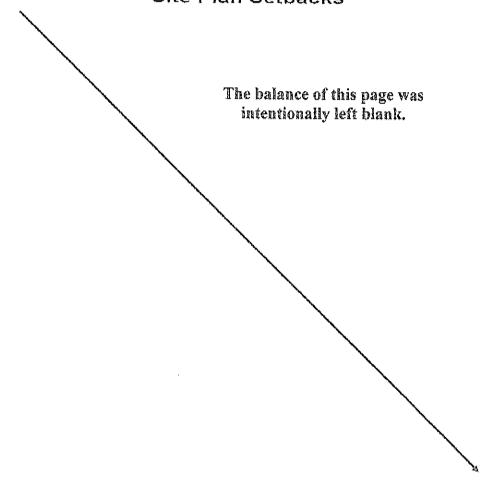
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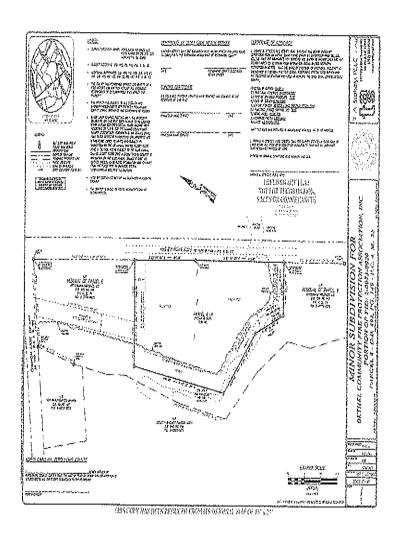
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Perquimans County has caused this permit to be issued in its name, and the undersigned, being all the property owners of the property above described, do hereby accept this Special Use Permit, together with all its conditions, as binding on them and their successors in interest.

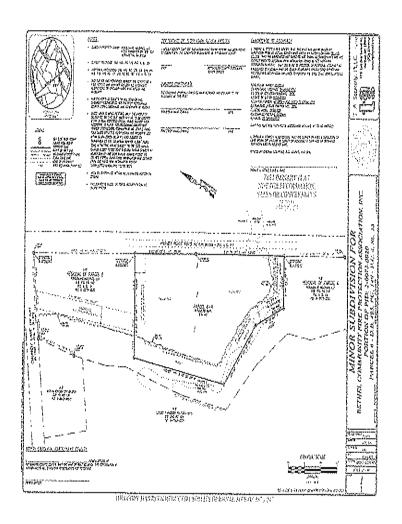
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Site Plan Setbacks







WORK SESSION February 19, 2024 7:00 p.m

The Perquimans County Board of Commissioners met in a Work Session on Monday, February 19, 2024, at 7:00 p.m. in the in the Meeting Room of the Perquimans County Library located at 514 S. Church Street, Hertford, NC 27944.

MEMBERS PRESENT;

Wallace E. Nelson, Chairman

Charles Woodard, Vice Chairman

Timothy 3. Corprew

Joseph W. Hoffler James W. Ward

T. Kyle Jones

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

OTHERS PRESENT: Frank Heath, County Manager

Mary P. Hunnicutt, Clerk to the Board

Chairman Nelson called the meeting to order. Commissioner Woodard gave the invocation and Chairman Nelson led the Pledge of Allegiance. Chairman Nelson welcomed everyone to the meeting and explained that no action will be taken during this meeting.

DR. TANYA TURNER, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Chairman Nelson stated that the first item for the work session was to receive an update on the school system from Dr. Tanya Turner, Superintendent, and James Bunch, Assistant Superintendent, Before turning over the meeting to Dr. Turner, County Manager Heath explained that he had a meeting with Dr. Turner, Mr. Bunch, and the architect several days ago and, during that meeting, Mr. Heath asked Dr. Turner if she would come and present an update to the Board during our next Work Session and she agreed. During that meeting, the architect presented a timeline for the construction of the new intermediate school which she will present tonight along with the proposed budget. Dr. Turner thanked the Board for allowing them to come and present this update and distributed several charts showing the timeline and budget. She then reviewed the timeline with the school timeline which appears on their website at https://abenton8.wixsite.com/perquimans-new-school. They should begin construction in September, 2024 and the school should be open for students in August, 2026. She also explained that once construction begins, they will present another timeline for the project. Dr. Turner also presented the proposed budget for the project which totals \$61,031,474. Once Dr. Turner presented these documents, County Manager Heath expressed some concerns about the proposed budget. His first concern is that, if they need to go out for bids in June, 2024, then the financing of the project will need to be settled before going out for bids. It is hard for a company to make bids if the project is not fully funded.

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After presenting his information, County Manager Heath recognized Jonathan Nixon, Emergency Services Director, and Julie Solesbee, Assistant EM/PIO/Grant Manager/AEMT, who presented a PowerPoint presentation on what will need to be done to bring the Perquimans 911 Center building and staff up to being able to handle both Perquimans and Gates Counties' emergency calls. After their presentation, the Chairman asked the Board If they had any questions or comments. The following questions/comments were made:

- <u>Commissioner Corprege</u>: Mr. Corprew asked how many houre are we paying for Gates County, are we tracking it, and are we billing Gates County for that. Mr. Nixon said that we were tracking it, Mr. Heath said that we are billing them per the Interlocal Agreement that they are operating under. The only other concern that he has is how are we protected from a bability issue—our priority should be Perquinaus County residents. Mr. Heath said that the County has the same governmental immunity that we had before. Essentially, we will be operating as a commetted service.
- Chairman Nelson: Mr. Nelson asked if there would be any physical presence at the current Gates County 911 Center. Mr. Nixon said that the present Gates County 911 Center would not have any personnel there. Mr. Nelson also asked about the transferring of equipment, etc. Mr. Nixon explained that the 911 Board would foot the bill to move the equipment from Gates County to Perquinates County. Mr. Nixon said that they would have to coordinate funding from the State. According to our phone and IT contractor, there should be no issues of compatibility with their equipment and Perquinans' equipment. It is Mr. Nixon's understanding that the Gates County E-911 Funds will be coming to Perquinans once the consolidation is complete. The costs not covered by the funds will be funded 50-50.
- County Manager Heall: Mr. Heath asked where they planned to place the Ontes County personnel in our current location. Mt. Nixon explained where they will place them until next fiscal year hudger is approved. Then they plan to do renovations to make it better for them.
- Commissioner Ward: Mr. Ward asked if they communicate on the 800 channels. Mr. Nixon explained how their channels worked. Mr. Ward asked if the fire Departments would be under this consolidation agreement as far as dispatch services. Mr. Nixon said that was his understanding.
- Commissioner, Hoffler. Mr. Hoffler asked what would happen if Gates County 911 Center rexumed services. Mr. Nixon explained that it is his understanding that, once you consulidate, the State will not pay to have the parties become a single unit, Mr. Fleath explained that it is a true consolidation Perguinans County will be taking over Gates County.
- Commissioner Wurd: Mr. Ward asked if any of the two certified part-time employees expressed an interest in working in Perquimans 911 Center. Mr. Nixon said that they have received one application. He anticipated receiving two more commerce morning. He also said that the two full-time certified employees had never resigned from Perquimans County in that they retrained on our part-time/fill-in status. Both were working in our 911 Center today.
- Commissioner Word: Mr. Ward asked if he anticipated a Budget Amendment for this change. Mr. Nixon said that yes, Mr. Beath said that they would be increasing the income and expenditure line items.

After all questions and comments were made, County Manager Heath asked if he could make a comment before moving on with the meeting. Mr. Heath said that, if we did not have strong management in our 911 Center, he would not recommend this consolidation. He expressed that opinion to the NC 911 Board when they met with them about this situation. With the help of Jonathan Nixon, Julie Solesbee, Andrea Stoner, and Nakindra Downing, he feets that we can proceed with the consolidation. That is why he recommends and requests that you allow the staff to proceed with whatever needs to be done to consolidate these two 911 Centers. Commissioner Corprew said that he does not have a problem with his because it does not cost Perquimans County a dime and will help Perquimans County in the long run. Commissioner Woodard agrees with Mr. Heath and Mr. Corprew and feels that our strong leadership can handle the change. The contract will be presented at your Regular Meeting for action.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further comments or business to discuss, the Work Session was adjourned around 8:20 p.m. on motion made by Joseph W. Hoffler, seconded by James W. Ward.

Wallace E. Nelson, Chairman

Clerk to the Board

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He explained that currently we have \$36.9 million. So that means that the school system will have to receive additional grants for the balance of that money or the County will have to borrow it. He further explained that there is approximately a \$24 million debt. To him, it does not make any sense to anticipate the site work to begin in September until we get this matter solved. His question to Dr. Turner and the Board of Education, what is the real chance that they will be receiving additional grant funding. On Turner explained the following possibilities for more grant funding: (1) increase this grant funding to make it \$40 million and (2) another grant that will possibly net \$12 million but no guarantees that they will get the full amount (applications due June 30, 2024, but they have not been told how quick the turnaround will be). Another issue Mr. Heath has is that, if we go out for a loan with a bank for \$24 million and we may only need \$9 million, the bank will base their terms on the larger loan amount and that may create problems for the County and the banks. There are banks that will structure amounts for the maximum amount with the risk that the amount will be less, but you will pay the price with a higher interest rate to have this ability. If we wait to hear from the grant funding, we will be able to request the exact amount and possibly receive a lower interest rate. If we wait until we receive word on these grant funds, then this causes problems with the construction of the building beginning in September. It will push it until the wintertime which runs into had weather. Commissioner Jones asked if there was any way that the County would not have to raise taxes. Mr. Heath said that he did not think that would be possible. After answering more questions and discussion, the Board thanked Dr. Turner and await to hear responses from the additional grant funding. County Manager Heath will discuss the situation with our new financial advisors.

MARINE PARK LEASE RATES

Chairman Nelson recognized County Manager Heath who explained that the County had been receiving some inquiries about leasing property in the Marine Industrial Park and presented an update on the construction of the Marine Basin Project. He wanted to find out what the Board thinks about the rates and how we should proceed with answering these inquiries. He stated that the contractor was able to complete several things before the moratorium went into effect this month and will remain in effect until November, 2024. Mr. Heath explained that the Wanchese Marine Park rates were \$.039 per square foot per year. They have an automatic 2% increase each year. Tonight, he is asking how he needs to proceed with setting up these lease rates. Commissioner Corprew said that he did not have a problem with the rate but felt that we should make a distinction for property rates for land and property along the bulkhead. Commissioner Ward said that he had a contact in Virginia that he could call and obtain their leasing rates.

GATES COUNTY 911 CENTER

County Manager Heath presented an overview of the situation with Gates County 911 Center. On February 8, 2024. Gates County Sheriff contacted his office to initiate the emergency backup communications center protocols to transfer Gates County 911 emergency telephone calls to Perquimans Emergency Services. The Interlocal Agreement of PSAP Centers between Perquimans County and Gates County was enacted at 6:00 a.m. on February 9, 2024. This Agreement allows Gates County to use our 911 Center for no more than 90 days. On February 5, 2024, the Gates County 911 Director resigned. At that time, due to employee turnovers, there were no full-time certified telecommunicators on staff at that time in Gates County. As of his last meeting on February 12, 2024 with Gates County Sheriff and County Manager, there were only a handful of part-time telecommunicators on staff with only two having the EMD certification status. Gates County was able to identify those full-time/part-time certified telecommunicators that were currently on staff at this time to staff our Perquimans County 911 Center to assist with Gates County emergency calls during the 24-hour period. To date, Gates County has had no staff to appear at the Perquimans 911 Center. The NC 911 Board has been made aware of the situation and have reviewed their options and supported the actions taken by Gates County Board of Commissioners. Perquimans County provided back up services for Gates County 911 Center from December 2021 through February 2022. This is the second time that Gates County 911 Center has requested assistance from Perquimans County 911 Center. At that time, the Gates County 911 Center was transferred to Gates County Sheriff's Office, and they were able to get the staff up to required status. On March 8, 2023, the Gates County Board of Commissioners voted unanimously to approve Gates County Sheriff's request to transfer supervision and management of the Gates County 911 Center under the Gates County Sheriff's Office. It is Mr. Heath's understanding that, by the recent assessment by the NC 911 Board in January 2023, the Board deems the Gates County 911 Center to be non-compliant with their NC administrative code requirements due to primarily the identified operational and maintenance records available at the Gates County 911 Center. The NC 911 Board gave the Gates County Sheriff 30 days to bring the Gates County 911 Center into compliance. This proved to be impossible due to the lack of certified personnel to staff and operate the Center. Perquimans County's 911 Center continues to prepare to diligently review the actions and steps to serve the needs of the residents of Gates County. Perquimans County's Emergency Services Director, Jonathan Nixon, has provided a two-page document listing the issues to be addressed and information to be verified by Gates County. Mr. Heath and the Emergency Services staff are having ongoing conversations with Gates County Sheriff, County Manager, Human Resource Director, and other Gates County staff in preparation and recommendation for our meeting today. Gates County Board of Commissioners Vice Chairman, Jonathan Craddock, is Gates County Public Safety Liaison for all Emergency Services in Gates County. Mr. Craddock has participated in their meetings and has heard every recommendation made. Based on Mr. Heath's e-mail information, Gates County Manager and Mr. Craddock have contacted each commissioner for guidance and concurrence to move forward as expeditiously as possible on this situation. It is also Mr. Heath's understanding that the Gates County Board of Commissioners held an Emergency Meeting yesterday afternoon to assess their capacity to handle a standatione 911 Center, having failed twice, and have reviewed the status and guidance of NC State Board leadership and passed the following Resolution to proceed in united fashion which may ultimately lead to a consolidation of Gates County 911 Center and Perquimans County 911 Center similar to our neighbors, Pasquotank & Camden and Dare/Hyde/Tyrell,

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After presenting his Information, County Manager Heath recognized Jonathan Nixon, Emergency Services Director, and Julie Solesbee, Assistant EM/PIO/Grant Manager/AEMT, who presented a PowerPoint presentation on what will need to be done to bring the Perquimans 911 Center building and staff up to being able to handle both Perquimans and Gates Counties' emergency calls. After their presentation, the Chairman asked the Board if they had any questions or comments. The following questions/comments were made:

- Commissioner Corprew: Mr. Corprew asked how many hours are we paying for Gates County, are we tracking it, and are we billing Gates County for that. Mr. Nixon said that we were tracking it. Mr. Heath said that we are billing them per the interlocal Agreement that they are operating under. The only other concern that he has is how are we protected from a liability issue our priority should be Perquinants County residents. Mr. Heath said that the County has the same governmental immunity that we had before. Essentially, we will be operating as a contracted service.
- Chairman Nelson: Mr. Nelson asked if there would be any physical presence at the current Gates County 911 Center. Mr. Nixon said that the present Gates County 911 Center would not have any personnel there. Mr. Nelson also asked about the transferring of equipment, etc. Mr. Nixon explained that the 911 Board would foot the bill to move the equipment from Gates County to Perquimans County. Mr. Nixon said that they would have to coordinate funding from the State. According to out phone and IT contractor, there should be no issues of computability with their equipment and Perquimans' equipment. It is Mr. Nixon's understanding that the Gates County E-911 Funds will be coming to Perquimans once the consolidation is complete. The costs not covered by the funds will be funded 50-50.
- County Manager Bently: Mr. Heath asked where they planned to place the Gates County personnel in our current location. Mr. Nixon explained where they will place them until next fiscal year budget is approved. Then they plan to do renovations to make it better for them.
- Continuissioner Wagg! Mr. Ward asked if they communicate on the 800 channels. Mr. Nixon explained how their channels worked. Mr. Ward asked if the Fire Departments would be under this consolidation agreement as far as disputed services. Mr. Nixon said that was his understanding.
- <u>Commissioner (Inflig:</u> Mr. Boffler asked what would happen if Gates County 91) Center resumed services. Mr. Nixon explained that it is his understanding that, once you consolidate, the State will not pay to have the parties become a single unit, Mr. Heath explained that it is a true consolidation Perquimans County will be taking over Gates County.
- Commissioner Ward: Mr. Word asked if any of the two certified part-time employees expressed an interest in working in Perquimons 911 Center. Mr. Nixon said that they have received one application. He autolpated receiving two more tomorrow morning. He also said that the two full-time certified employees had never resigned from Perquimans County in that they remained on our part-time/fill-in status. Both were working in our 911 Center today.
- Containstioner Ward: Mr. Ward asked if he anticipated a Budget Amendment for this change. Mr. Nixon said that yes. Mr. Heath said that they would be increasing the income and expenditure line items.

After all questions and comments were made, County Manager Heath asked if he could make a comment before moving on with the meeting. Mr. Heath said that, if we did not have strong management in our 911 Center, he would not recommend this consolidation. He expressed that opinion to the NC 911 Board when they met with them about this situation. With the help of Jonathan Nixon, Julie Solesbee, Andrea Stoner, and Nakindra Downing, he feels that we can proceed with the consolidation. That is why he recommends and requests that you allow the staff to proceed with whatever needs to be done to consolidate these two 911 Centers. Commissioner Corprew said that he does not have a problem with this because it does not cost Perquimans County a dime and will help Perquimans County in the long run. Commissioner Woodard agrees with Mr. Heath and Mr. Corprew and feels that our strong leadership can handle the change. The contract will be presented at your Regular Meeting for action.

<u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

There being no further comments or business to discuss, the Work Session was adjourned around 8:20 p.m. on motion made by Joseph W. Hoffler, seconded by James W. Ward.

Wallace E. Nelson, Chairman

Clerk to the Board

February 26, 2024

Tax Refunds: (Perquimans County)

William Henry Elliott, III \$117.25 Sold vehicle; 8-month refund Account#: 56871688

Tax Releases: (Perquimans County)

Coastal Carolina Carriers, LLC \$205.07 Account should have been deleted last year. Account#: 539794

Tax Refund: (Hertford)

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POSITION: Center for Active Living Coordinator	DEPT.: Center for Active Living
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BUDGET AMENDMENT PERQUIMANS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS COUNTY CONSTRUCTION FUND

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THE PERQUIMANS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AT A MEETING ON THE 4th DAY OF MARCH, 2024, PASSED THE FOLLOWING AMENDMENTS TO THE FY 2023-2024 BUDGET.

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CODE NUMBER	DESCRIPTION OF CODE	INCREASE	DECREASE			
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EXPLANATION: To	amend the FY 23/24 budget to inclu	ude the Grant I	D#20483			
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WE, THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PERQUIMANS COUNTY, HEREBY ADOPT AND APPROVE, BY RESOLUTION, THE CHANGES IN THE COUNTY BUDGET AS INDICATED ABOVE, AND HAVE MADE ENTRY OF THESE CHANGES IN THE MINUTES OF SAID BOARD, THIS 4th DAY OF MARCH, 2024.						
PASSED BY MAJORITY VOTE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PERQUIMANS COUNTY ON THIS 4th DAY OF MARCH, 2024.						
Chairman, Board of Co	ommissioners	Finance Officer				

BUDGET AMENDMENT PERQUIMANS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS GENERAL FUND

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THE PERQUIMANS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AT A MEETING ON THE 4th DAY OF MARCH, 2024, PASSED THE FOLLOWING AMENDMENTS TO THE FY 2023-2024 BUDGET.

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10-399-000	Fund Balance Appropriated	173,000					
10-420-040	County Manager - Professional Services	60,000					
10-500-150	Building - Maint./Repair Buildings	60,000	, ,				
10-500-540	Building - Insurance/Bonds	34,000					
10-450-110	Tax - Telephone/Postage	11,000					
10-450-330	Tax - Supplies	6,000					
10-685-740	Recreation - Capital Outlay	2,000					
EXPLANATION: To amend the FY 23/24 budget to include additional funding to							
cover.	cover.						

WE, THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PERQUIMANS COUNTY, HEREBY ADOPT AND APPROVE, BY RESOLUTION, THE CHANGES IN THE COUNTY BUDGET AS INDICATED ABOVE, AND HAVE MADE ENTRY OF THESE CHANGES IN THE MINUTES OF SAID BOARD, THIS 4th DAY OF MARCH, 2024.

PASSED BY MAJORITY VOTE OF	F THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
PERQUIMANS COUNTY ON THIS	3 4th DAY OF MARCH, 2024.

Chairman, Board of Commissioners	Finance Officer

BUDGET AMENDMENT PERQUIMANS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION

NO. 27

THE PERQUIMANS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AT A MEETING ON THE 4th DAY OF MARCH, 2024, PASSED THE FOLLOWING AMENDMENTS TO THE FY 2023-2024 BUDGET.

THE FY 2023-2024 B	**************************************	# E 2 -				
CODE NUMBER	DESCRIPTION OF CODE	INCREASE	DECREASE			
65-348-001	State School Funds - Lottery	430,770				
65-500-711	NB Lottery Intermediate School	430,770				
EXPLANATION: To	amend the FY 23/24 budget to inc	lude funding to	cover			
to-date expenses fo	new school project.					
WE, THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PERQUIMANS COUNTY, HEREBY ADOPT AND APPROVE, BY RESOLUTION, THE CHANGES IN THE COUNTY BUDGET AS INDICATED ABOVE, AND HAVE MADE ENTRY OF THESE CHANGES IN THE MINUTES OF SAID BOARD, THIS 4th DAY OF MARCH, 2024.						
PASSED BY MAJORITY VOTE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PERQUIMANS COUNTY ON THIS 4th DAY OF MARCH, 2024.						

Chairman, Board of Commissioners

Finance Officer



107 N. Front Street Post Office Box 7 Hertford, NC 27944 Phone: (252) 426-7010

(252) 426-5564 Fax: (252) 426-3624

PERQUIMANS COUNTY TAX DEPARTMENT

February 26, 2024

Perquimans County Board of Commissioners:

I will be present at the March 4th meeting with a collection report.

Sincerely,

Bill Jennings

Perquimans County Tax Administrator

DISTRIBUTION REQUEST
PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDING
REPAIR & RENOVATION FUND
NORTH CAROLINA EDUCATION LOTTERY

DPI USE ONLY	
Approved By: _	
Date:	

NORTH CAROLINA EDUCATION LOT	TERY
Date of Request: 2-28-2024	TERMONATIVE POPULAT
County: Perquimans Address: PO Box 45, Herlford, NC 27944 LEA: Perquimans County Schools Address: 411 S.Edenton Road St. Herlford, NC 27944 Project Title: Perquimans County High School (PCH	
Project Address: 305 S. Edenton Road St. Hertford, NC 27944 Type of Facility: Gymnasium & Auditorium	
Section 4.4.(a1). The purpose of the Fundand renovation projects. Per G.S. 115C-5 enlargement, improvement, expansion, republic school buildings within local school county. As used in this context, "Public 5	epair, or renovation of classroom facilities at old administrative units (LEAs) located in the School Buildings" shall include only facilities structional and related purposes, and does not
Brief Project Description (Include est. start/end defor theater and health education classes. Start date: 3-1	ates): Upgrade PCHS gymnasium & auditorium sound systems -2024 End date: 4-1-2024
New Construction – Facility Enlargement New Construction – Addition(s) Existing Construction – Facility Improvement Existing Construction – Facility Repairs Existing Construction – Facility Renovations	\$ \$ 36,848.16 \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$
We, the undersigned, agree to submit a state days following completion of the project.	ement of state monies expended for this project within 60
project, and request the release of \$36,848.16	f Education do hereby jointly request approval of the above from the Public School Building se project herein described is within the parameters of
(Signature - Chair, County Commissioners)	(Date)
(Signature Chair, Board of Education)	(Date)

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Perq EM Annual Public Officials Conference - Mon, March 4, 2024

Jonathan Nixon < JNixon@perquimanscountync.gov>

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Cc:Frank Heath <frankheath@perquimanscountync.gov>;AdminEMS <adminems@perquimanscountync.gov>;Admin 911 <admin911@perquimanscountync.gov>;James R Bunch <JamesBunch@pqschools.org>;valeriejackson275@gmail.com <valeriejackson275@gmail.com>;Mary Hunnicutt <MHunnicutt@perquimanscountync.gov>;Barry Overman

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Mayor White, Mrs. Cole, Dr. Turner,

I would like to invite you and your respective Town Councils / Board of Education to the County Commissioner's Meeting on Monday, March 4, 2024 at 7pm for the Annual Emergency Management Public Officials Conference. The purpose of this 15-20 minute presentation will be to provide details about our current Emergency Services program.

A Public Officials Conference is an activity for the Emergency Management Performance Grant. As I am sure you are aware, these funds are used to support the Emergency Management Program for all of Perquimans County. It is geared towards elected officials and agency/department heads to educate them on the details of what should be involved in an outstanding community Emergency Management program. Since Emergency Management is a part of the Emergency Services Program for Perquimans, we will also provide a summary for 911, EMS, and Fire Marshal.

Please let me know if you have any questions,

Jonathan A. Nixon, Director
Perquimans County Emergency Services
911 Communications - EMS - Emergency Management
159 Creek Drive - PO Box 563
Hertford, NC 27944
252-426-5646 Ext 105

<u>252-426-1875</u> Fax

252-331-9817 Cell

Perquimans County's Vision: To be a community of opportunity in which to live, learn, work, prosper, and play.

ACCOUNTS COLLECTION AGREEMENT

This agreement entered into by and between SCA Collections – Greenville, NC, Inc., a North Carolina Corporation (hereinafter "SCA"), and Perquimans County Emergency Services a North Carolina medical provider (hereinafter "Client"), entered into this 26th, day of February 2024.

WITNESSETH:

Whereas, SCA is engaged in the business of collecting past due accounts receivable; and

Whereas, Client is in the business of rendering medical services to the general public; and

Whereas, as a result of Client rendering medical services, certain accounts receivable have arisen which have become past due, and

Whereas, Client is desirous of having SCA engage in collection endeavors on Client's behalf.

Now, therefore, in consideration of the mutual covenants and promises herein contained and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties do hereby agree as follows:

- (1) <u>Assignment of Accounts:</u> Client shall assign certain accounts arising out of the granting of credit by it, and SCA shall accept and assume responsibility for the collection of such accounts as more particularly described herein.
- (2) <u>Description of Assigned Accounts:</u> Certain accounts which are now past due by a minimum of thirty (30) days from the date the debtor was first billed, and

ACCOUNTS COLLECTION AGREEMENT

certain accounts which shall become past due by a minimum of thirty (30) days in the future may be assigned monthly to SCA.

- (3) <u>Commissions:</u> For its services rendered in the collection of all accounts assigned hereunder, SCA shall be entitled to charge and receive a commission of Twenty-Three (23%) of all such accounts paid, whether payment is received by SCA or Client.
- (4) Statements: Within fifteen (15) days after the end of each month, SCA shall send to client a summary of the accounts collected during the preceding month. Client shall send to SCA, on a weekly basis, a statement of all payments received in their office on accounts that SCA is handling with collection activity.
- (5) Payment: Payment due from SCA to Client shall be remitted with the statement as provided in paragraph (4) herein above. Payment due from Client to SCA for collection services shall be remitted within (30) days of the statement date.
- (6) Adjustments: Client shall advise SCA promptly of all disputes with debtors and shall advise of any adjustments made to these accounts and the amount of any allowance, reduction, or elimination of any such account.
- (7) <u>Billing of Accounts:</u> All billing will be done by Client. Notice of Assignment for Collection shall be given to each debtor by SCA.



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- (8) Recall of Accounts: Client may notify SCA at any time after the initial term of the agreement to discontinue collection activities on any or all accounts submitted for collection. However, this is to be done by written notification giving SCA a minimum of thirty (30) days notice. If any account pays after the thirty (30) day period, SCA is entitled to its commission only if the payment is due to SCA's previous efforts.
- (9) <u>Legal Actions</u>: SCA is not an attorney, nor do they have an attorney to file legal actions against client accounts. Client agrees that they will not institute any legal proceedings on any account actively being handled by SCA. If Client wishes to institute legal proceedings on any account, the account should first be recalled as stated in section (8).
- (10) <u>Credit Reporting:</u> Client hereby gives SCA the authority to list collection accounts with the national credit reporting companies. These accounts will remain on the debtor's credit history for seven (7) years.
- (11) Encumbrances: By executing this agreement, Client represents and warrants that none of the accounts herein referred to have been or will be encumbered, sold, assigned, or subject to a security interest in any manner without the express written notification thereof.

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(12) Term: This agreement will become effective upon the execution hereof and shall remain in effect for a period of a minimum of ninety (90) days and then will continue from time to time unless terminated by the mutual or unilateral decision of both or either of the parties hereto.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have set their hands and seals,

the day and year first above written.

SCA COLLECTIONS, INC. – GREENVILLE, NC

Signature:

Date:

Perquimans County Emergency Services

Signature:

Date:

HIPAA Omnibus Rule

BUSINESS ASSOCIATES AGREEMENT

under OMNIBUS RULE REVISED 9/2013

Term

The Term of this Agreement shall be effective as of February 26, 2024 and shall terminate upon the date that Covered Entity terminates for cause as authorized in paragraph (b) of this Section, whichever is sooner.

Definitions

The following terms used in this Agreement shall have the same meaning as those terms in the HIPAA Rules: Breach, Data Aggregation, Designated Record Set, Disclosure, Healthcare Operations, Individual, Minimum Necessary, Notice of Privacy Practices, Protected Health Information, Required by Law, Secretary, Security Incident, Subcontractor, Unsecured Protected Health Information, and Use.

Specific definitions:

- (a) <u>Business Associate</u>. "**Business Associate**" shall generally have the same meaning as the term "business associate" at 45 CFR 160.103, and in reference to the party to this agreement, shall mean **SCA Collections Greenville**, **N. C.**, **Inc.**
- (b) <u>Covered Entity</u>. "Covered Entity" shall generally have the same meaning as the term "covered entity" at 45 CFR 160.103, and in reference to the party to this agreement, shall mean Perquimans County Emergency Services
- (c) <u>HIPAA Rules</u>. "HIPAA Rules" shall mean the Privacy, Security, Breach Notification, and Enforcement Rules at 45 CFR Part 160 and Part 164.

Obligations and Activities of Business Associate

SCA Collections – Greenville, N. C., Inc. agrees to:

- (a) Not use or disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by the Agreement or as required by law;
- (b) Use appropriate safeguards, and comply with Subpart C of 45 CFR Part 164 with respect to ePHI electronic protected health information, to prevent use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for by the Agreement;
- (c) Report to Covered Entity any use or disclosure of PHI protected health information not provided for by the Agreement of which it becomes aware, including breaches of unsecured protected health information as required at 45

CFR 164.410, and any security incident of which it becomes aware; The Business Associate, will report these immediately or not more than 5 business days after such a discovery.

The Business Associate <u>will handle breach notifications to individuals, the HHS Office</u> for Civil Rights (OCR), and potentially the <u>media</u>, on behalf of the Covered Entity <u>as</u> its own breach. Reporting is made to: HHS at this link:

http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/privacy/hipaa/administrative/breachnotificationrule/brinstruction.html

- (d) In accordance with 45 CFR 164.502(e)(1)(ii) and 164.308(b)(2), if applicable, ensure that any Subcontractors that create, receive, maintain, or transmit protected health information on behalf of the Business Associate agree to the same restrictions, conditions, and requirements that apply to the Business Associate with respect to such information;
- (e) Make available PHI (protected health information) in a designated record set to the "Covered Entity" as necessary to satisfy Covered Entity's obligations under 45 CFR 164.524;

The Business Associate will respond to a request for access that the Business Associate receives directly from an individual for responsive business purpose, this will be either via email. (read-receipt option) and /or via registered mail, within 5 business days of a request.

(f) The Business Associate will make any amendment(s) to PHI protected health information in a designated record set as directed or agreed to by the Covered Entity pursuant to 45 CFR 164.526, or take other measures as necessary to satisfy Covered Entity's obligations under 45 CFR 164.526; and:

The Business Associate will respond to a <u>request for amendment</u> when received directly from the individual either *via emall, (read-receipt option) and /or via registered mail, within 5 days* of a request and the Business Associate will forward the individual's request to the Covered Entity <u>with any amendments</u> to the information in the designated record set will be incorporated.

(g) Maintain and make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures to the Covered Entity and also to the Individual, as necessary to satisfy Covered Entity's obligations under 45 CFR 164.528;

The Business Associate will respond to a request for accounting of disclosures when received directly from the individual either via email, (read-receipt option) and /or via registered mail, either, within 5 days of a request and the Business Associate will forward the individual's request to the Covered Entity with any Accounting of Disclosures to the information in the designated record set will be incorporated.

- (h) To the extent the Business Associate is to carry out one or more of Covered Entity's obligation(s) under Subpart E of 45 CFR Part 164, comply with the requirements of Subpart E that apply to the Covered Entity in the performance of such obligation(s); and
- (i) The Business Associate will make its internal practices, books, and records available to legal inspectors, The HHS and Covered Entity for purposes of determining compliance with the HIPAA Rules.

Permitted Uses and Disclosures by Business Associate

(a) Business Associate may only use or disclose PHI protected health information pertaining only to situations that deem it necessary to perform the services set forth in the Business Associates & Covered Entities governing Service Agreement/Contract.

In addition to other permissible purposes, the Business Associate is authorized to use PHI protected health information to <u>de-identify the information</u> in accordance with 45 CFR 164.514(a)-(c). The Business Associate may de-identify the information, permitted uses and disclosures by means legal and necessary to formulate this identity.

- (b) Business Associate may use or disclose PHI protected health information as required by law.
- (c) Business Associate agrees to make uses and disclosures and requests for PHI protected health information in timely and legal fashion consistent with Covered Entity's minimum necessary policies and procedures, which are defined as: the least effort and information disclosure necessary to complete this task.
- (d) Business Associate may not use or disclose PHI protected health information in a manner that would violate Subpart E of 45 CFR Part 164 if done by Covered Entity except for the specific uses and disclosures set forth below:
- (e) Business Associate may use PHI protected health information for the proper management and administration to carry out the legal responsibilities of the Business Associate, provided the disclosures are required by law and that the information will remain confidential and used or further disclosed only as required by law or for the purposes for which it was disclosed. Notifications will be made to the Business Associate of any instances in which the confidentiality of the PHI information has been breached.
- (f) Business Associate may provide data aggregation services relating to the healthcare operations of the Covered Entity.

Provisions for Covered Entity to Inform Business Associate of Privacy Practices and Restrictions

- (a) Covered Entity may notify Business Associate of any limitation(s) in the Notice of Privacy Practices of Covered Entity under 45 CFR 164.520, to the extent that such limitation may affect Business Associate's use or disclosure of PHI protected health information.
- (b) Covered Entity shall notify Business Associate of any changes in, or revocation of, the permission by an individual to use or disclose his or her PHI protected health information, to the extent that such changes may affect Business Associate's use or disclosure of PHI protected health information.
- (c) Covered Entity shall notify Business Associate of any restriction on the use or disclosure of protected health information that covered entity has agreed to or is required to abide by under 45 CFR 164.522, to the extent that such restriction may affect Business Associate's use or disclosure of PHI protected health information.

Permissible Requests by Covered Entity

Covered Entity <u>shall not request</u> Business Associate to use or disclose protected health information in any manner that would not be permissible under Subpart E of 45 CFR Part 164 if done by Covered Entity. The exception would be if the Business Associate will use or disclose PHI protected health information for, data aggregation or management and administration and legal responsibilities of the Business Associate.

Termination

- (a) <u>Termination for Cause</u>. Business Associate authorizes termination of this Agreement by Covered Entity, if Covered Entity determines Business Associate has violated a material term of the Agreement (and Business Associate has not cured the breach or ended the violation within the time specified by Covered Entity).
- (b) Obligations of Business Associate Upon Termination.

Business Associate shall retain no copies of the protected health information except to use or disclose PHI protected health information for its own management and administration or to carry out its legal responsibilities and the Business Associate needs to retain PHI protected health information for such purposes after termination of the agreement.

Upon termination of this Agreement for any reason, Business Associate, with respect to PHI protected health information received from Covered Entity, or created, maintained, or received by Business Associate on behalf of Covered Entity, shall:

- Retain only that PHI protected health information which is necessary for Business Associate to continue its proper management and administration or to carry out its legal responsibilities;
- 2. Return to covered entity or destroy the remaining PHI protected health information that the Business Associate still maintains in any form;
- 3. Continue to use appropriate safeguards and comply with Subpart C of 45 CFR Part 164 with respect to ePHI electronic protected health information to prevent use or disclosure of the PHI protected health information, other than as provided for in this Section, for as long as Business Associate retains the PHI protected health information;
- 4. Not use or disclose the PHI protected health information retained by Business Associate other than for the purposes for which such PHI protected health information was retained and subject to the same conditions set in the <u>Permitted Uses and Disclosures By Business Associate sections (e) and (f) of this document</u>, applied prior to termination; and
- 5. Return to Covered Entity or destroy the PHI protected health information retained by Business Associate when it is no longer needed by Business Associate for its proper management and administration or to carry out its legal responsibilities.

The Business Associate may be asked by the Covered Entity to transmit the PHI protected health information to another Business Associate of the Covered Entity at termination. The Business Associate would comply, confirm the transfer and then ensure the destruction of PHI protected health information created, received, or maintained by subcontractors.

(c) <u>Survival</u>. The obligations of Business Associate under this Section shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

Miscellaneous [Optional]

- (a) <u>Amendment</u>. The Parties agree to take such action as is necessary to amend this Agreement from time to time as is necessary for compliance with the requirements of the HIPAA Rules and any other applicable law or law changes.
- (b) <u>Interpretation</u>. Any ambiguity in this Agreement shall be interpreted to permit compliance with the HIPAA Rules by the Business Associates legal counsel.

BUSINESS ASSOCIATES ADDENDUM

THIS ADDENDUM (hereafter "Addendum") is entered into this 26th day of February 2024, by and between SCA Collections – Greenville, N. C., Inc. (hereafter "Business Associate") and Perquimans County Emergency Services hereafter "Healthcare Facility"), for themselves and their respective successors and assigns.

WHEREAS, the parties hereto desire to modify the aforementioned Agreement to set forth the terms and conditions under which information created or received by Business Associate on behalf of this Healthcare Facility (hereafter collectively referred to as protected health information or "PHI") may be used or disclosed under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act "Omnibus Rule" of 2013 and regulations enacted thereunder (hereafter "HIPAA");

THEREFORE, both parties, for valuable consideration from each party to the other, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby mutually agree that the Agreement shall continue in full force and effect with the following modifications and additions, to wit: (additions or modifications state below, must comply with HIPAA Omnibus Rules):

NONE

- 1. Except as amended by this Addendum, all terms, conditions, and covenants of the Agreement are valid, shall remain in full force and effect, and hereby are ratified and confirmed.
- Any inconsistencies between this Addendum and the Agreement shall be governed by this Addendum.
- 3. A copy of this Addendum shall be as effective as the original.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have entered into this Agreement as of the date first written above.

Perquimans County Emergency Services	SCA Collections – Greenville, N. C., Inc
Signature	Signature
Print name and title	Dan Nichols, President

NORTH CAROLINA

LEASE AGREEMENT

PERQUIMANS COUNTY

THIS AGREEMENT, made this the 13th day of February, 2024, by and between the PCG LANDFILL COMMISSION, comprising Perquimans, Chowan and Gates Counties, each a body politic and corporate of the State of North Carolina, whose address is 759 Perry's Bridge Road, Belvidere, NC 27919, Lessor and PERQUIMANS COUNTY, a body politic and corporate of the State of North Carolina, whose address is PO Box 45, Hertford, NC 27944, Lessee;

WITNESSETH

THAT WHEREAS, the Lessor is the owner of the property hereinafter described and wishes to lease a portion of said property to the Lessee as a site for a Emergency Services Communications Tower; and

WHEREAS, this site is located in Belvidere Township, Perquimans County, North Carolina and is to be made available for the construction and operation of a communications tower, buildings to house equipment, fencing, and other ancillary appurtenances for the operation of the tower site;

NOW THEREFORE, the Lessor, subject to the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth, does hereby let and lease unto the Lessee, the following described property in Belvidere Township, Perquimans County, North Carolina.

1) The 26,116.55 square foot	lot show	n on the plat of Thomas A. Stokely, Reg.
Surveyor, entitled "Minor Sub	division	for Perquimans County, Chowan County and
Gates County, Portion of PID:	1-0015-	0019A," dated February 8, 2024, a copy of which
is recorded at Plat Book	Slide	of the Perquimans County Registry.

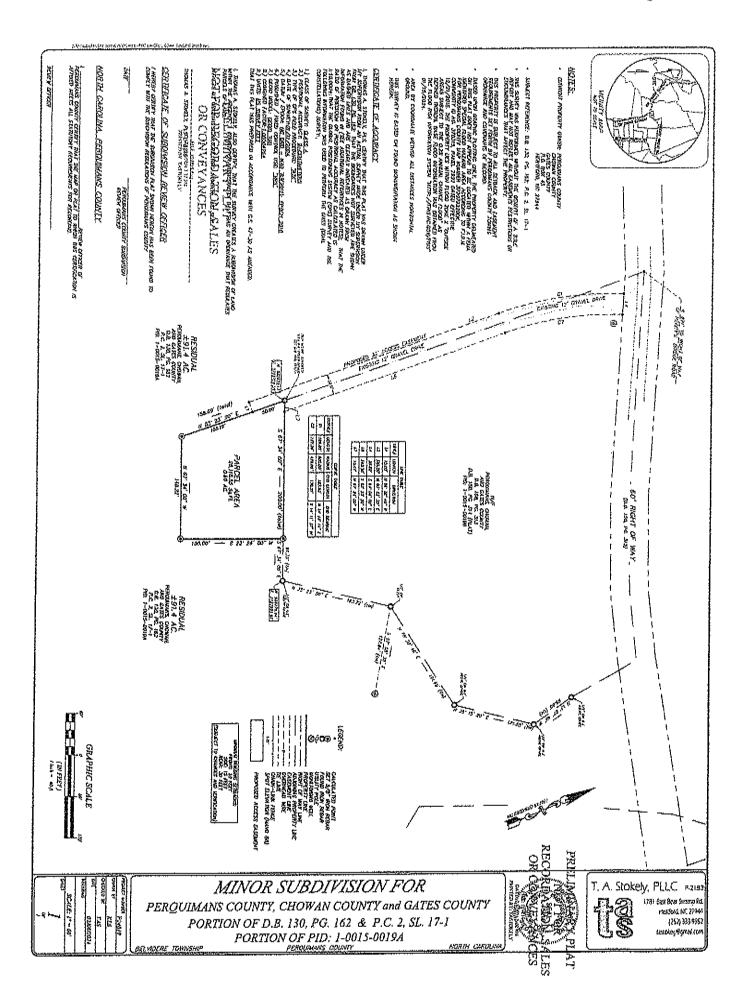
2) An access easement 30 feet in width extending from the western edge of the right of way of Perry's Bridge Road to the western boundary of the above-described lot and being shown on the aforesaid plat as "Proposed 30' Access Easement". This right of way shall be for the benefit of the Lessee, its agents, assigns and such other persons as the Lessee shall allow to use it.

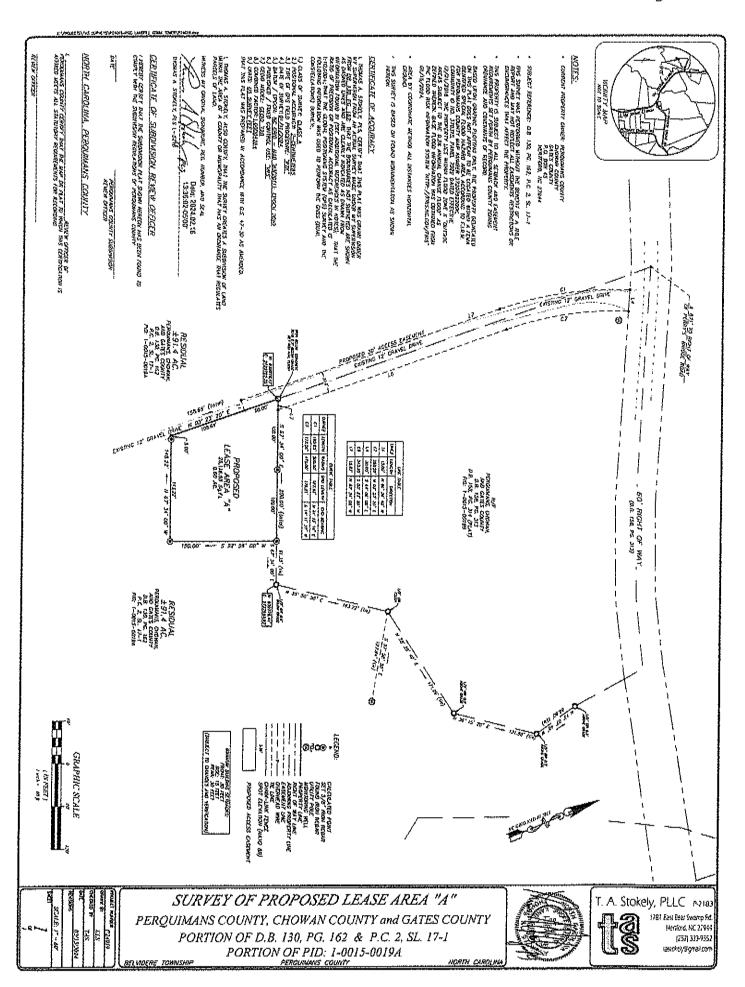
The terms and conditions of this lease are as follows:

- 1. <u>TERMS</u>. The term of this lease shall be for 99 years, beginning March 1, 2024 and extending through December 1, 2123.
- 2. <u>RENT</u>. The Lessee shall pay to the Lessor as rent for the above described leased lot the sum of \$1 per year on December 1 of each year of this lease beginning December 1, 2024.

	Perquimans County, Lessee
	Perquimans County Manager
Clerk to the Board of Commissioners	
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF	· _
acknowledged that she is Clerk to County, and that by authority duly a	Notary Public of the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared before me this day and the Board of the Commissioners of Perquimans given and as the act of said Board, the foregoing by its Chairman, sealed with its corporate seal and
Witness my hand and official stamp of	r seal, this day of, 201
My Commission Expires:	Notary Public
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA	
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- 3. <u>PURPOSE</u>. The lessee shall use the above-described tract only as a site for housing an Emergency Services Communication Tower.
- 4. MAINTENANCE. The Lessee shall provide all maintenance required in order to keep said site in a presentable condition.
- 5. <u>LIABILITY</u>. The Lessee shall indemnify and hold the Lessor harmless of and from all liability for property damage and personal injury arising from the acts of the lessee, its agents or employees, at the above-described site.
- 6. <u>NOTICES</u>. All notices and correspondence between the Lessor and the Lessee shall be deemed sufficient if addressed as follows:
 - A. To the Lessor:
 759 Perrys Bridge Road
 Belvidere, NC 27919
 - B. To the Lessee:
 County Manager
 PO Box 45
 Hertford, NC 27944
- 12. <u>PARTIES</u>. This agreement shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the Lessor, the Lessee and their heirs, successors and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Lessor and the Lessee have caused this instrument to be executed in duplicate, originals, one of which shall be retained by the Lessor and one of which shall be retained by the Lessee.

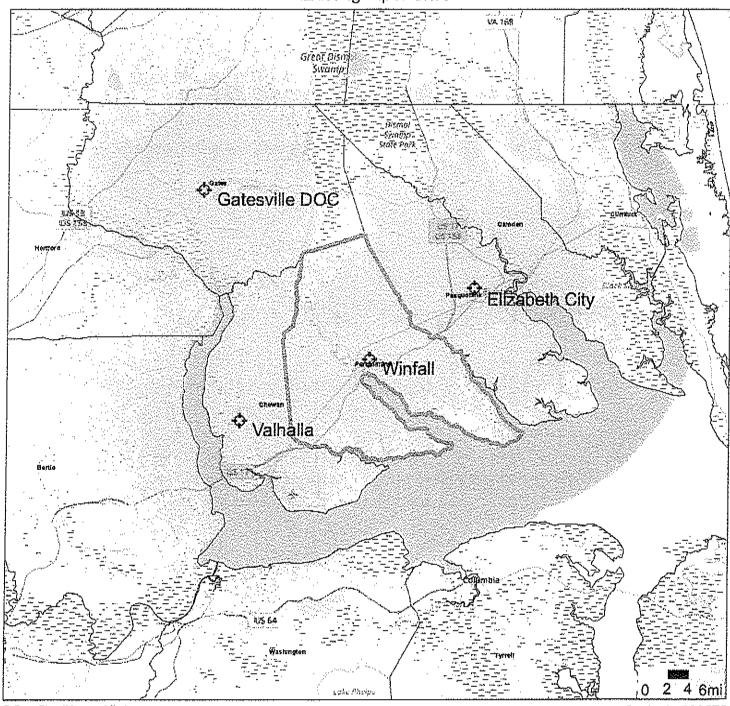
Wallace E. Nelson, Perquimans Chair and Lessor

Bob Kirby, Chowan Chair and Lessor

Dr. Althea Riddick, Gates Chair and Lessor



Existing Viper Sites



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NORTH CAROLINA PERQUIMANS COUNTY INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT FOR THE CONSOLIDATION OF 911 COMMNICATIONS SERVICES FOR PERQUIMANS, NC AND GATES COUNTY, NC

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into this 1st day of March, 2024 by and between PERQUIMANS COUNTY, (hereinafter referred to as "PERQUIMANS") and GATES COUNTY, (hereinafter referred to as "GATES") for the purpose of consolidating 911 Communications Services.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Perquimans County and Gates County are political subdivisions of the State of North Carolina, both having the power and authority to enter into this Agreement with the signatures hereto having been authorized to execute this document on behalf of the Perquimans County Board of Commissioners and the Gates County Board of Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, the jurisdictions and residents of Gates County would benefit in terms of life safety and efficiency of service from a consolidated 911 Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) providing services to Gates County; and

WHEREAS the undersigned governmental jurisdictions wish to agree to the establishment and maintenance of a consolidated PSAP, to be hereafter known as "Perquimans-Gates 911 Communications"; and

WHEREAS, the establishment of such PSAP will provide improved law enforcement, fire and emergency medical service communications within the boundaries of the participating jurisdictions; and

WHEREAS, the Perquimans is willing to provide law enforcement, fire and emergency medical service communications with the combined dispatching operations to be located at the Perquimans County Communication Center, which will serve as the central location for citizens to make and receive calls for public safety needs, subject to the execution of this Agreement.

NOW THEREFORE in consideration of the mutual terms and covenants and conditions set forth herein, it is hereby agreed and covenanted among the undersigned as follows:

- 1. The effective date of this agreement and contract shall be 12:01 am on March 1, 2024, and the Agreement shall continue in effect until terminated by the consent of the undersigned parties, subject to the termination processes and procedures noted herein.
- 2. PERQUIMANS agrees to assume all operational responsibility for emergency dispatch for GATES beginning March 1, 2024.
- 3. PERQUIMANS and GATES mutually agree that the combined dispatching operations will be managed by PERQUIMANS. PERQUIMANS and GATES will hold regular coordination meetings, at a minimum semi-annually, in order to communicate feedback and review overall service.
- 4. Any costs associated with consolidation and transitioning of services (including, but not limited to, any necessary antenna/tower work, establishing CAD services, moving or programming radio equipment), as well as establishing functioning backup PSAP services in Chowan County are the responsibility of Gates County.
- 5. Any allocations to GATES from the State 911 Board for funding 911 Communications will be assigned to PERQUIMANS.

- 6. All costs associated with the operation of the Perquimans-Gates 911 Communications PSAP that are ineligible for funding by the State 911 Board NC Emergency State Telephone Fund will be split equally between PERQUIMANS and GATES.
- 7. The 2 (two) existing radio towers in GATES and associated VHF repeaters and 800 MHz patches will remain the responsibility of GATES.
- 8. Prior to April 30 of each year that this Agreement is in effect, the Perquimans County Manager shall notify the Gates County Manager of the projected compensation cost associated with this Agreement. GATES shall include such amount in its annual budget for the fiscal year commencing July 1. PERQUIMANS shall invoice GATES quarterly, with payments due September 30, December 31, March 31, and June 30.
- 9. All daytime (8 am 5 pm, Monday through Friday) administration calls for the Gates County Sheriff's office will be the responsibility of GATES. PERQUIMANS will assist with calls on the Sheriff's administrative line outside of normal County business hours.
- 10. PERQUIMANS agrees to maintain a staffing level of at least four telecommunicators assigned to each shift. PERQUIMANS will also staff sufficient management personnel to ensure proper operations as dictated by the State of North Carolina 911 Board. PERQUIMANS will train all dispatchers to handle fire, emergency medical service, emergency management and law enforcement calls and to require all dispatchers to obtain in a timely manner, any certifications necessary to allow said personnel to handle all emergency services calls.
- 11. This agreement is subject to, and shall be construed in accordance with, the laws of North Carolina and has been duly approved by both PERQUIMANS and GATES.
- 12. In the event that any party desires to terminate this Agreement, said party must give 24 months advance written notice to the other party, and the withdrawal shall take effect only as of the beginning of the next full fiscal year following such notice. This advance written notice may be waived if agreed upon by the governing bodies of both PERQUIMANS and GATES. Upon such termination if such alterations require repayment of North Carolina 911 Board PSAP Grant funds, the withdrawing party agrees to pay these costs. It is agreed by both parties that the consolidation of the Primary PSAPs is final and that no future separation of PERQUIMANS and GATES into multiple Primary PSAPs can occur once this Agreement is enacted.
- 13. Any notice to be given by either party to the other under this Agreement shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been sufficiently given if delivered by hand, with written acknowledgement of receipt, or mailed by certified mail, with return receipt requested, to the other party. Notice must be delivered as indicated to the following address or such other address as either party may, from time to time, designate in writing for the receipt of notice.

PERQUIMANS: County Manager P.O. Box 45 Hertford, NC 27944 GATES: County Manager P.O. Box 148 Gatesville, NC 27938

14. The parties may only amend this Agreement in writing with the approval of both Boards and with the subsequent signatures of the respective duly authorized representatives.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement on the day and year written above.

(Signatures on Next Page)

PERQUIMANS COUNTY		
Wallace E. Nelson, Chair	Tracy Mathews, Finance Officer	MARTHING PRINCE
ATTEST:		SEAL
Mary P. Hunnicutt, Clerk to the Board		
This instrument has been preaudited in the	manner required by the Local Government Budg	get and Fiscal Control Act.
GATES COUNTY		
Dr. Althea Riddick, Chair	William Roberson, Finance Officer	Malforde de de
ATTEST:		SEAL
Joleatha Chestnutt, Clerk to the Board		

This instrument has been preaudited in the manner required by the Local Government Budget and Fiscal Control Act.

From: Bobby Masters bmasters@preservecommunities.com

Sent: Tuesday, February 20, 2024 7:48 AM

To: Rhonda Repanshek <RhondaRep@perquimanscountync.gov>
Subject: RE: Alb. Preserve phase 1A prefim. plat expires March 2024

Rhonda: Pursuant to your email, please consider this correspondence as an official request from Perquimans Holdings, LLC, to extend the approval of the preliminary plat for Albemarle Preserve Phase 1A. We have been doing engineering work on the offsite water and sewer lines as well as roadway connection analysis to Albemarle Plantation proper. We believe that we should be able to commence sitework later this year or early 2025. Please let me know if you need anything else from us for this extension request.

Thank you,

Bobby Masters

From: Rhonda Repanshek < Rhonda Rep@perquimanscountyne.gov>

Sent: Monday, January 8, 2024 3:37 PM

To: Bobby Masters bmasters@preservecommunities.com; Mark Brambell

<Mbrambell@preservecommunities.com>

Cc: Frank Heath <frankheath@perquimanscountync.gov>; davek <davek@bissellprofessionalgroup.com>

Subject: Alb. Preserve phase 1A prelim. plat expires March 2024

Mr. Masters and Mr. Brambell,

According to Perquimans County subdivision regulations the preliminary plat for Albemarle Preserve, phase 1A, is expiring in March. For your convenience, the County Commissioner meeting minutes from March 2022 and the conditions recorded in deed book 494, page 775 are attached. See the paragraph below which was copied and pasted from county subdivision reg. section 306. A written extension request should be received by the Planning office no later than Feb. 21st to be part of the March 2024 Board of County Commissioner meeting agenda packet if you need extra time.

A final plat for the first phase of subdivision shall be submitted not more than twenty-four (24) months after the date on which the preliminary plat was approved; otherwise preliminary plat approval shall be null and void, unless a written extension of this limit is granted by the Board of County Commissioners on or before the 24th month anniversary of the preliminary plat approval. Subsequent phases shall be submitted not more than 24 months after the date of the final plat approval for the prior phase of development; otherwise preliminary plat approval shall be null and void, unless a written extension of the limit is granted by the Board of County Commissioners on or before the 24th month anniversary of the previous final plat approval.

Rhonda Repanshek, Perquimans County Planner

104 Dobbs St. / P.O. Box 45 Hertford, NC 27944 (252) 426-2027

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GATES COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA

Gates County 115 Court Street PO Box 148, Gatesville, NC 27938

Phone (252) 357-2411 Fex (252) 357-1255

RESOLUTION

Gates County Board of Commissioners
For the purposes of transitioning Gates County
911 Communications Center Operations to
A consolidated system with Perguimans County

Whereas, local governments throughout the United States are struggling to recruit and retain qualified public safety employees for law enforcement, fire & rescue, emergency medical services and telecommunications; and

Whereas, Gates County has experienced repeated occurrences of staffing shortages in emergency 911 Communications for telecommunications professionals; and

Whereas, the Gates County Board of Commissioners remains committed to supporting all sectors of public safety and law enforcement as evidenced by significant investments in human resources and recent compensation adjustments for county employees; and

Whereas, Gates County has experienced multiple sudden staffing shortages for certified full-time telecommunication employees at all levels including supervisors and director.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Gates County Board of Commissioners will take the following immediate steps with adoption of this Resolution to:

- Rescind the March 8, 2023 decision to transfer the Gates County 911
 Communications Center to the Office of the Sheriff and re-establishment of oversight under the County Manager or his designee; and
- 2) Take immediate steps to work toward the consolidation and merger of the Gates County 911 Communications Center as a regional partner with Perquimans County or other entities, with the further approval by the Board of Commissioners; and
- 5) Direct the County Manager, Finance Director, Human Resources Director, and other related County offices to support this transition with the appropriate planning and budget preparation.

Be It Further Resolved that the Gates County Board of Commissioners recognizes and appreciates the efforts of Sheriff Ray Campbell; and the Board of Commissioners commends the leadership and support of the NC 911 Board and its Executive Director Ms. L.V. Pokey Harris; and the Board of Commissioners extends our grateful appreciation to our neighbors in Perquimans County for their continuous efforts to work collaboratively for the benefit of all citizens of northeastern North Carolina and the counties of Gates and Perquimans especially.

Adopted this day February 18th, 2024 by the undersigned members of the Gates County Board of Commissioners in the 1836 Historic Gates County Courthouse.

Dr. Althous Field: A Dr. Althea Riddick, Board Chair

Jonathan Craddock, Vice-Chair

Brian Rountree, Commissioner

Linda Hofler, Commissioner

Kinda Maple

Emily Truman, Commissioner

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Attest: Acting Clerk & County Manger

From: Active Living Office < Active Living Office @perquimanscountyne.gov>

Sent: Thursday, February 22, 2024 7:34:18 AM

To: Mary Hunnicutt < MHunnicutt@perquimanscountync.gov>

Subject: RE: RAC

Good morning. Yes Mam. Laura Alvarico, Director of the Agency on Aging stated that the county would need to have her appointed. It is the Albemarle Commission Area Agency on Aging RAC – Regional Advisory Council. It consists of (should include Senior Center Coordinators) and volunteers in the ten counties. Two RAC members may serve from each county. We meet quarterly and assist with the planning of the Aging Agency. I will ask Laura for a copy of the updated By-Laws and provide them to you upon receipt. Thank you.

Beverly Gregory, Coordinator Perquimans County Center for Active Living 1072 Harvey Point Road; PO Box 615 Hertford, NC 27944

Telephone: 252-426-5404

Fax: 252-426-1296

Email: activelivingoffice@perquimanscountync.gov

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From: Mary Hunnicutt < MHunnicutt@perquimanscountync.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, February 21, 2024 5:13 PM

To: Active Living Office < Active Living Office @perquimanscountync.gov>

Subject: Re: RAC

Beverly, do I need to have the Board appoint LuRee to RAC at the March meeting? By the way, what doe RAC mean? I do not have anything like that on my list of Board appointments.

Thanks Mary

From: Active Living Office < Active Living Office @perquimanscount vnc.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, February 21, 2024 4:34 PM

To: Mary Hunnicutt < MHunnicutt@perquimanscountync.gov>

Subject: RAC

Ms. Mary. At this time, I serve as the Vice-Chair for RAC and have been asked to continue. There are two positions for each county. At this time, I will continue to serve until I notify you otherwise. LuRee will still need to serve as the Center representative for RAC. Thank you.

Beverly Gregory, Coordinator Perquimans County Center for Active Living 1072 Harvey Point Road; PO Box 615 Hertford, NC 27944

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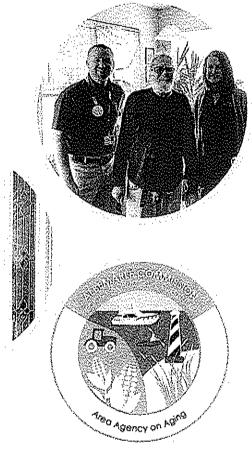
§ 143-318.11. Closed sessions.

- (a) Permitted Purposes. It is the policy of this State that closed sessions shall be held only when required to permit a public body to act in the public interest as permitted in this section. A public body may hold a closed session and exclude the public only when a closed session is required:
 - (1) To prevent the disclosure of information that is privileged or confidential pursuant to the law of this State or of the United States, or not considered a public record within the meaning of Chapter 132 of the General Statutes.
 - (2) To prevent the premature disclosure of an honorary degree, scholarship, prize, or similar award.
 - (3) To consult with an attorney employed or retained by the public body in order to preserve the attorney-client privilege between the attorney and the public body, which privilege is hereby acknowledged. General policy matters may not be discussed in a closed session and nothing herein shall be construed to permit a public body to close a meeting that otherwise would be open merely because an attorney employed or retained by the public body is a participant. The public body may consider and give instructions to an attorney concerning the handling or settlement of a claim, judicial action, mediation, arbitration, or administrative procedure. If the public body has approved or considered a settlement, other than a malpractice settlement by or on behalf of a hospital, in closed session, the terms of that settlement shall be reported to the public body and entered into its minutes as soon as possible within a reasonable time after the settlement is concluded.
 - (4) To discuss matters relating to the location or expansion of industries or other businesses in the area served by the public body, including agreement on a tentative list of economic development incentives that may be offered by the public body in negotiations. The action approving the signing of an economic development contract or commitment, or the action authorizing the payment of economic development expenditures, shall be taken in an open session.
 - (5) To establish, or to instruct the public body's staff or negotiating agents concerning the position to be taken by or on behalf of the public body in negotiating (i) the price and other material terms of a contract or proposed contract for the acquisition of real property by purchase, option, exchange, or lease; or (ii) the amount of compensation and other material terms of an employment contract or proposed employment contract.
 - (6) To consider the qualifications, competence, performance, character, fitness, conditions of appointment, or conditions of initial employment of an individual public officer or employee or prospective public officer or employee; or to hear or investigate a complaint, charge, or grievance by or against an individual public officer or employee. General personnel policy issues may not be considered in a closed session. A public body may not consider the qualifications, competence, performance, character, fitness, appointment, or removal of a member of the public body or another body and may not consider or fill a vacancy among its own membership except in an open meeting. Final action making an appointment or discharge or removal by a public body having final authority for the appointment or discharge or removal shall be taken in an open meeting.
 - (7) To plan, conduct, or hear reports concerning investigations of alleged criminal misconduct.
 - (8) To formulate plans by a local board of education relating to emergency response to incidents of school violence or to formulate and adopt the school safety components of school improvement plans by a local board of education or a school improvement team.
 - (9) To discuss and take action regarding plans to protect public safety as it relates to existing or potential terrorist activity and to receive briefings by staff members, legal counsel, or law enforcement or emergency service officials concerning actions taken or to be taken to respond to such activity.
 - (b) Repealed by Session Laws 1991, c. 694, s. 4.
- (c) Calling a Closed Session. A public body may hold a closed session only upon a motion duly made and adopted at an open meeting. Every motion to close a meeting shall cite one or more of the permissible purposes listed in subsection (a) of this section. A motion based on subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall also state the name or citation of the law that renders the information to be discussed privileged or confidential. A motion based on subdivision (a)(3) of this section shall identify the parties in each existing lawsuit concerning which the public body expects to receive advice during the closed session.
- (d) Repealed by Session Laws 1993 (Reg. Sess., 1994), c. 570, s. 2. (1979, c. 655, s. 1; 1981, c. 831; 1985 (Reg. Sess., 1986), c. 932, s. 5; 1991, c. 694, ss. 3, 4; 1993 (Reg. Sess., 1994), c. 570, s. 2; 1995, c. 509, s. 84; 1997-222, s. 2; 1997-290, s. 2; 2001-500, s. 2; 2003-180, s. 2; 2013-360, s. 8.41(b).)

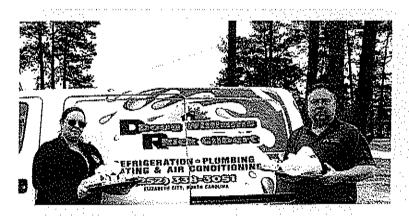
FOR INFORMATION ONLY ITEMS

Margh for Meals 2024





Albemarle Commission's
Area Agency on Aging
Senior Nutrition Program
cordially invites all community champions,
civic groups, elected officials, business
leaders, government officials, Church
leaders, and Law Enforcement agencies to
participate in this years March for Meals.





For more information, contact Laura Rollinson at lrollinson@accog.org or (252)404-7091.



DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

FEBRUARY

SURVEYOR'S NAME PLAT TITLE	SURVEYOR'S PHONE # ADDRESS	DATE IN DATE OUT	APPROVAL YES/NO	0	COMMENTS
JOSIAH A WEBB	×	2-5-2024	×	RECOMBINATION A PORT	RECOMBINATION A PORTION OF 2-0061-0068 MERGED WITH
PERQUIMANS COUNTY	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			2-D061-B001-CC 4.00 ACRES	ES
TA STOKELY	×	2-8-2024	×	MINOR SUBDIVISION 2-0081-0022B)81-0022B
DANIEL BOYLE & ETALS				PARCEL A / 7.51 ACRES PARCEL B / 10.82 ACRES	ARCEL B / 10.82 ACRES
THOMAS STOKELY	×	2-13-2024	×	RECOMBINATION 3-0049 ACRES	RECOMBINATION 3-0049-00001 & 3-0049-00001A 2.90 ACRES
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TONY WEB	×		×	PROPOSED ROW 3-0039-00045A, 3-0039-0042 &	00045A, 3-0039-0042 &
TOWN OF HERTFORD				3-0039-00043	
		N 1414-1-1017 San St. 1017 SA			
BISSELL SURVEYING PO BOX 168 KITTY HAWK, NC 27949 (252)261-3266	J H MRLER JR. 166 COTTONWOOD DRIVE HERTFORD, NC 27944 339-6932	MCKIM & CREED 504 E ELIZABETH ST STE ELIZABETH CITY, NC 2790 338-2929		ROBEY 215 B STREE CAMDEN, NC 27921 335-1888	SCOTT TEMPLE PO BOX 422 ELIZABETH CITY, NC 27907 303-4016
BOWMAN CONSULTING PAUL J TOTI 131 MAIN STREET GATESVILLE, NC 279 357-1581	EUGENE JORDAN 402 SIGN PINE ROAD TYNER, NC 27980 221-4795	MARK PRUDEN 146 OAK GROVE ROAD EDENTON, NC 27832 482-7804	01.0 215 CAW 338-	GLORIA ROGERS 215 B STRET CAMDEN, NC 27921 338-1415/333-8781	SL CARDWELL SURVEYING 1206 FRANCIS STREET ELIZABETH CITY, NC 27909 338-6328
CHARLES E BROWN, III 2005 JOHNSON ROAD ELIZABETH CITY, NC 27909 335-0928	PAT MCDOWELL PO BOX 391 ELIZABETH CITY, NC 27909 338-4161	RACKLEY SURVEYING 1015 MACEY JO COURT ELIZABETH CITY, NC 27908 (252)679-7670		SAUNDERS SUR VEYING 510 AVENURE ROAD BLACK MOUNTAIN, NC 28711 (828) 669-2777	TIMMONS GROUP 1805 W CITY DR UNIT E ELIZABETH CITY, NC 27909 (252)621-5030
TONY WEBB PO BOX 381 EDENTON, NC 27932 12521482-3066	ITON, MC 27932 252)482-3066				

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107 N. Front Street Post Office Box 7 Hertford, NC 27944

Phone: (252) 426-7010 (252) 426-5564

Fax: (252) 426-3624

PERQUIMANS COUNTY TAX DEPARTMENT

Enforced Collections-February 2024

GARNISHMENTS: \$825.88

PAYMENT AGREEMENTS: \$12,061.15

DEBT SETOFFS: \$0

13172.00

18179.00

530 \$75.00

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\$1,940

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PERQUIMANS COUNTY OFFICIAL REPORT

Date: **FEBRUARY 2024**

Board of Coramissioners: Finance Officer;

CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS 5292 5292 5292 5292 5292 5292 531020 531000 53100 5

Building Inspector Signed:



Case Activity Report

2/1/2024 - 2/26/2024

			2/1/2024 - 2/	26/2024		
Activity =	Case # -	Parcei * Address	Violation ‡	Description *	Activity * Tyge	Description ‡
2/20/2024	158	249 DOGWOOD DR	Solid Waste	Solid Waste	Inspection	went and looked took pictures and will send letter of violation to have cleaned up within 10 days
2/14/2024	140	679 DEEP CREEK RD	solid waste	trash piled in yard	Inspection	No change to property, still in violation. Local SECU is now the new owner after foreclosure. Spoke with Josh, Mgr. of SECU ON 1-14-24 and he stated that by 2-23-24 they would file for eviction and once they are removed from property the bank would have the property cleaned up asap.
2/12/2024	154	706 MUDDY CREEK RD	Solid Waste	Trash	Inspection	Trash piled up in swimming pool in back yard. Spoke

2/12/2024	Inspection Trash scattered around yard.
2/1/2024	Will Monitor
	Inspection Neighbors complaining about trash blowing arour adjacent properties, No one at property, left card at door.
2/1/2024	Re-Inspection Spoke with Owner and tenant of property again today about junk vehicles and gave both a Notice of Violation Lette with 30 days notice to clear up property.

Total Records: 6

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2/26/2024

COMMITTEE REPORTS