

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL CALLED MEETING
OF THE BEN HILL COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
HELD ON AUGUST 7, 2015 AT 1:00 PM IN THE
BEN HILL COUNTY COURTHOUSE ANNEX

Those present for the meeting were as follow:

Philip C. Jay III	Chairman
Daniel Cowan	Commissioner
John Mooney	Commissioner
Donna Prather	County Clerk
Frank Field	County Manager
Toni Sawyer	County Attorney

Vice-Chairman OD Netter and Commissioner Bennie Calloway, were absent.

Chairman Philip Jay called the meeting to order.

Fitzgerald-Ben Hill County Arts Council Presentation

Executive Director Brandy Elrod of the Fitzgerald-Ben Hill Arts Council gave a presentation to the Commissioners about the possibility of the Fitzgerald-Ben Arts Council partnering with Ben Hill County and The City of Fitzgerald for the use the Masonic Lodge Building to use as exhibit space, educational space, and studio space. Mrs. Elrod stated the Fitzgerald-Ben Hill Arts Council is a puzzle piece to economic development.

2011 SPLOST Inter-Governmental Agreement

County Attorney Toni Sawyer gave an update on the Inter-Government Agreement. Ms. Sawyer also gave out handouts explaining the terms for deeming SPLOST funds excess.

The meeting was adjourned.

_____ Philip C. Jay III, Chairman

_____ Donna R. Prather, County Clerk