



ENGINEERING SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Commission Chamber

Tuesday, August 26, 2025

1:15 PM

ENGINEERING SERVICES

1. Motion to determine that portion of Dogwood Terrace Apartments approximately 722 feet of Bolt Drive as shown on the attached plat, has ceased to be used by the public to the extent that no substantial public purpose is served by it or that its removed from the county road system is otherwise in the best public interest, and a public hearing shall be held regarding the issue of abandonment pursuant to O.C.G.A. 32 -7-2, with the abandoned property to be quit-claimed to the appropriate party(ies).

Motion to approve

Motion made by Guilfoyle and seconded by Turnley

Voting Yea: Clark, Turnley, Johnson, Guilfoyle

Motion carried 4-0

2. Motion to **approve** the minutes of the August 12, 2025 Engineering Services Committee Meeting.

Motion to approve

Motion made by Guilfoyle and seconded by Turnley

Voting Yea: Clark, Turnley, Johnson, Guilfoyle

Motion carried 4-0

3. Approve proposal to enter an Engineering Services Contract with Schnabel Engineering, to provide engineering services including assessment, design, bidding, and construction administration services for the repair of embankment damages on the Augusta Canal in the amount of \$394,000.00.

Motion to approve

Motion made by Guilfoyle and seconded by Johnson

Voting Yea: Clark, Turnley, Johnson, Guilfoyle

Motion carried 4-0

4. Approve Supplementing Construction Contract of Sediment Dredging and Disposal Construction Services to Waterfront Property Services, LLC Waterfront Property Services, LLC dba Gator for continuation of sediments dredging and including Turknett Spring Sediment Basin area (Task Order 2). Also approve supplemental funding in the amount of \$1,150,000.00 for Turknett Spring Sediment Basin Task Order 2 dredging activities. AE/ RFP 20-224

Motion to approve

Motion made by Guilfoyle and seconded by Turnley

Substitute Motion forward to full Commission without recommendation

Voting Yea: Clark, Turnley, Johnson, Guilfoyle

Motion carried 4-0

5. Motion to authorize condemnation to acquire a portion of property for temporary construction easement (Parcel 061-3-156-00-0) 526 Laney Walker Blvd. (East Augusta Drainage and Improvements Phase IV Project).

Motion to approve

Motion made by Guilfoyle and seconded by Turnley

Voting Yea: Clark, Turnley, Johnson, Guilfoyle

Motion carried 4-0

6. Extension of Rental of Bypass pumps for #8 Raw water

Motion to approve

Motion made by Guilfoyle and seconded by Turnley

Voting Yea: Clark, Turnley, Johnson, Guilfoyle

Motion carried 4-0

7. Motion to authorize condemnation to acquire a portion of property for permanent drainage easement and temporary construction easement (Parcel 061-3-053-00-0) 408 Artmus Street (East Augusta Drainage and Improvements Phase IV Project).

Motion to approve

Motion made by J. Johnson and seconded by Turnley

Voting Yea: Clark, Turnley, Johnson, Guilfoyle

Motion carried 4-0

8. Motion to authorize condemnation to acquire a portion of property for temporary construction easement (Parcel 061-3-165-00-0) 508 Laney Walker Place (East Augusta Drainage and Improvements Phase IV Project).

Motion to approve

Motion made by J. Johnson and seconded by Turnley

Voting Yea: Clark, Turnley, Johnson, Guilfoyle

Motion carried 4-0

9. **Discussion and consideration** of a Usage Fee for Outside Entities Transporting Solid Waste and Landfill-Bound Material to the Augusta-Richmond County Landfill. **(Requested by Mayor Garnett Johnson) (deferred from August 19, 2025 Commission Meeting)**

Received as information without objection.

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