

Columbus, Georgia, Board of Tax Assessors

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Board Members

Chester Randolph Chairman Pat Bettis Hunter Assessor Daniel J. Hill Assessor Todd A. Hammonds Assessor Jayne Govar Vice Chairman

Chief Appraiser Suzanne Widenhouse

MINUTES #45-19

CALL TO ORDER:

Vice Chairman Jayne Govar calls the Columbus, Georgia Board of Assessors' meeting to order on Monday December 16, 2019, at 9:06 AM.

PRESENT ARE:

Chairman Chester Randolph
Vice Chairman Jayne Govar
Assessor Patricia Hunter
Assessor Todd Hammonds
Chief Appraiser Suzanne Widenhouse
Deputy Chief Appraiser Glen Thomason
Recording Secretary Michele Reynolds

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Assessor Hammonds motions to accept the Agenda with one addition. Assessor Hunter seconds the motion and the motion carries.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Assessor Hunter motions to accept the Minutes #44-19, Assessor Hammonds seconds the motion and the motion carries.

Vice Chair Govar motions to excuse Assessor Hill from meeting, Assessor Hunter seconds the motion and the motion carries.

At 9:10, Administrative Manager Leilani Floyd enters the meeting and presents the following:

Update on Taxpayer's 12/23/2019 board presentation.

At 9:26, Commercial Property Manager Tanya Rios and Commercial Appraiser Kelly Nalls enter the meeting and present the following:

- 18 Map Splits approved for 2020
- Parcel 004-007-006 T Non-Taxability Appeal Approved and signed.

At 10:34, Personal Property Manager Stacy Pollard enters the meeting and presents the following:

- 1 Business Closed
- 2 Business Mandatory Assessments

At 10:37, Residential Property Manager Jeff Milam, Residential Appraiser Carol Toole, and Residential Appraiser Chrystal Phillips enter the meeting and present the following:

- Residential Appraiser Chrystal Phillips is introduced to the Board and she is congratulated on her recent promotion to Appraiser I.
- 2019 Mobile Home Digest approved and signed.
- 4 Map Splits approved for 2020
- Waiver and Releases signed.

At 11:14, Chief Appraiser Widenhouse presents the following:

- Parcels 178-003-018P, 178-010-006, 178-010-003 re-value correction. Vice Chairman Govar motions to accept the correction. Assessor Hammond seconds the motion and the motion carries.
- Parcel 180-004-029H clerical error for 2017, 2018 signed.
- Waiver & Release signed
- Recommendation made to board to appeal BOE decision to Superior Court for parcels 047-007-020, 062-063-022, and 063-013-019. Vice Chairman Govar motions to accept the appeal. Assessor Hammond seconds the motion and the motion carries.

At 12:08, Chairman Randolph adjourns the meeting without any objections.

Suzanne Widenhouse

Chief Appraiser/Secretary

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