

**THE EFFINGHAM COUNTY**  
**COMMISSIONER SPECIAL CALLED MEETING**

The Board of Commissioners of Effingham County, Georgia, Mr. Wendall Kessler Chairman, Mr. Steve Mason, Vice-Chairman, Mr. Forrest Floyd, Mrs. Vera Jones, Mr. Reginald Loper, Sr., and Mr. Phil Kieffer met in regular session at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 26, 2013 in the Commissioners' Meeting Room at the Effingham County Administrative Complex.

**PERSONS ATTENDING THE MEETING**

Mr. Eric Gotwalt, County Attorney, Mr. David Crawley, County Administrator, Mrs. Patrice R. Crawley, County Clerk, and Mrs. Joanna Wright, Finance Director.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Chairman Kessler called the meeting to order.

**INVOCATION AND PLEDGE TO THE AMERICAN FLAG**

Chairman Kessler gave the invocation and led the Pledge to the American Flag.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

At 5:23 p.m., Commissioner Loper made a motion to go into Executive Session to discuss personnel, property, and pending litigation. Commissioner Mason seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Commissioner Kieffer left the meeting at 6:25 p.m.

County Administrator Crawley, Finance Director Wright and Commissioners discussed pending litigation. (See copy of Chairperson's affidavit on minute book page number \_\_\_\_\_).

**RECONVENED**

At 7:23 p.m., Commissioner Loper made a motion to reconvene into regular session. Commissioner Jones seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

County Administrator Crawley mentioned that the gifted program from Ebenezer Middle School would like to use the courtroom in the Historic Courthouse to hold a mock trial.

ADJOURNMENT

At 7:28 p.m., Commissioner Loper made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Floyd seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

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Wendall Kessler, Chairman

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Patrice R. Crawley, County Clerk