



**MINUTES  
WAYCROSS CITY COMMISSION  
PUBLIC HEARING**

**WAYCROSS CITY COMMISSION CHAMBERS  
(FIRST FLOOR OF CITY HALL)**

**TUESDAY, APRIL 18, 2023  
4:45 p.m.**

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

The Public Hearing of the Commission of the City of Waycross was held on Tuesday, April 18, 2023, in the Commission Chambers of City Hall. Mayor Pro Temp Sheinita Bennett called the meeting to order at 4:49 p.m. Those in attendance were Community Improvement Director, Marc Hawkins, Commissioners Henry Strickland Norman Davis, Diane Hopkins and Katrena Felder.

**II. EXPLANATION OF PUBLIC HEARING RULES**

Read by Mayor Pro Temp, Sheinita Bennett.

**III. CONSIDERATION OF PUBLIC HEARING PETITION:**

**A.** Considering Closing and Abandoning a Ten Foot (10') Wide Alley in Block 72 of South Deenwood Subdivision Running Westerly from Garlington Avenue Toward Columbus Street for Approximately 140 Feet and Running Between Ware County Tax Parcel Number WA0307 202 and Ware County Tax Parcels Numbers WA0310 010 and WA0310 011

**1.** Reading of Public Notice: City Clerk

Read by City Clerk, Jacqueline Powell

**2.** Community Improvement Department Statement

Community Improvement Director, Marc Hawkins, spoke on the details of the closing and abandoning of this alley. He presented a map to refresh the commissioners of the area that is to be closed.

After a brief discussion there was a motion given by Commissioner Strickland to approve this closure. Seconded by Commissioner Hopkins. All voted in favor and the motion passed.

**IV. PUBLIC CONSIDERATION:**

- A. Support (Comments Limited to 10 Minutes)
- B. Opposition (Comments Limited to 10 Minutes)
- C. Other Comments of Support (Limited to 3 Minutes)
- D. Opposition (Comments Limited to 3 Minutes)
- E. Other Inquiries by Commission

**V. COMMISSION CONSIDERATION OF ACTIONS**

**VI. ADJOURNMENT**

Mayor Pro Temp, Sheinita Bennett asked if there was a motion to adjourn. There was a motion made by Commissioner Strickland seconded by Commissioner Hopkins. All agreed and the meeting was adjourned at 4:56.



**CITY OF WAYCROSS**

BY: *Michael Angelo James*  
**MICHAEL-ANGELO JAMES, Mayor**

*Jacqueline Powell*  
**JACQUALINE POWELL, City Clerk**