

NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF GREENE

The Greene County Board of Commissioners met in regular session on Monday, February 19, 2024, at 7:00 p.m. in the Greene County Operations Center. Present for the meeting: Chairman Bennie Heath, Vice Chairman James T. Shackleford Jr, Commissioners Jerry Jones, Derek Burress, and Ray Johnson. County Manager Kyle DeHaven, County Attorney Gay Stanley, and Deputy Clerk Kathy Mooring.

A. Call to Order

Chairman Bennie Heath called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m., and asked Commissioner Jerry Jones to give the Invocation and lead the Pledge to the Flag.

There were six Greene County staff in attendance and ten people from the public present.

B. Approval of Agenda

Chairman Heath asked if there were any changes or corrections to the Agenda. Seeing as no changes, Chairman Heath called for a motion to approve the agenda.

On motion by Commissioner Jones and seconded by Commissioner Johnson, the Board voted unanimously to approve the agenda.

C. Consent Agenda

Chairman Heath asked for any changes/corrections to the Consent Agenda.

Commissioner Jones made a motion to rescind the motion for the appointment to the Trillium Health Resources Regional Advisory Board made during the previous meeting on February 5, 2024. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion. Chairman Heath called for a vote, the Board voted unanimously to rescind the appointment to the Trillium Health Resources Regional Advisory Board.

Commissioner Burress asked for changes to the minutes of the February 5, 2024 to further explain the listing of subject to be discussed in closed session. There was no further discussion and the Chairman called for the vote.

On motion by Commissioner Jones and second by Commissioner Johnson, the Board voted unanimously to approve the Consent Agenda as presented.

- February 5, 2024 Regular Meeting Minutes
- Release/Refunds
- Monthly Collection Report
- Consideration of Late Present Use Value Applications
- Finance Report
- Health CPT Codes proposal

Refunds: NCVTS Tax & Tag

Deshawn Quintell Carmon	\$18.45	Mary Jo Nimmo	\$116.87	David Gregory Brown	\$91.17
Ernesto Ismael Moran	\$298.59				

Releases: Ad Valorem Tax

Louis David Joyner, Jr.	\$977.53	Ronald William Brooks	\$100.00		
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Refunds: Ad Valorem Tax

Cassandra Blount	\$100.00				
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D. Public Comments

None

E. Presentations

1. Greene Central FFA. Emily Hardy introduced herself and she introduced Audrey Beddar the FFA President and Ms. Beddar gave an update on the FFA Program and asked the Board of Commissioners to sign the Proclamation declaring the week of February 17 – 24, 2024 as National FFA Week in Greene County. Chairman Heath read the Proclamation and asked the Board for a motion to approve the Proclamation. He also acknowledged all the FFA members present and thanked them for being present and being members of such a worthy organization.

On motion by Commissioner Jones and seconded by Commissioner Johnson, the Board voted unanimously to approve the Proclamation.

2. Stephanie Wiggins, Tax Administrator.

Ms. Wiggins presented the current collection report and requested the Board order the collector to advertise the tax liens.

On motion by Commissioner Jones and seconded by Commissioner Johnson, the Board voted unanimously to approve the order to advertise.

Ms. Wiggins then asked the Board to schedule the Board of Equalization and Review to convene on April 1, 2024 and adjourn on April 15, 2024.

On motion by Commissioner Jones and seconded by Commissioner Johnson, the Board voted unanimously to convene the Board of Equalization and Review on April 1, 2024 and adjourn the same on April 15, 2024.

F. County Manager

1. Mr. DeHaven presented a request from Eastern Carolina Council to re-appoint Alice Barfield and Sharon Harrison to the Greene County Joint Community Advisory Committee.

On motion by Commissioner Jones and seconded by Commissioner Shackelford, the Board voted unanimously to re-appoint Alice Barfield and Sharon Harrison to the Greene County Joint Community Advisory Committee.

2. Mr. DeHaven next presented a Budget Amendment for the Emergency Telephone-System Fund (ETSF). The request is to appropriate ETSF funds to purchase equipment (recorder) needed for primary dispatch. He noted this is an eligible expense to utilize ETSF funds.

On motion by Commissioner Jones and seconded by Commissioner Johnson, the Board voted unanimously to approve this budget amendment.

3. Mr. DeHaven next presented a contract from Friendship Clothing Collections, LLC. This organization will set up collection points at our convenience sites and landfill for citizens to discard unwanted clothing, shoes, and books. These items will be provided to charities, shelters and other organizations for items that are useable. If items are unuseable they will be made into rags and given to same organizations. The company will be paying us \$.02 - \$.04 per lb. of goods collected. Commissioner Burruss asked if the agreement could be spelled out better on the

amount paid to the County by item. He also encourages the County to keep exploring potential new revenue streams.

On motion by Commissioner Jones and seconded by Commissioner Johnson, the Board voted unanimously to approve this contract.

4. Mr. DeHaven next asked that the Board schedule a meeting/workshop to discuss upcoming topics like the budget, organizational goals, etc. All Commissioners in favor of this and directed the County Manager to proceed.

G. County Attorney Report

No comment.

H. Commissioner's Report and Recommendations

Chairman Heath had a few announcements of up coming events taking place at the Greene County Senior Center. First, there will be a Black History Month Program on Thursday, February 22, 2024 at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Second, they are having a Free Hearing Screening Event on Tuesday, February 27, 2024 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Third, there will be a Free Medicare Seminar on Thursday, February 29th, 2024 at 11 a.m. For additional information on any of these events and to register call the Senior Center at 252-747-5436.

Commissioner Johnson announced a Golf Tournament on April 5th at Cutter Creek to raise money to send baseball teams to Cooperstown. April 6th Shine Fire Department will have their reverse drawing.

Commissioner Jones noted that the Library will be having a concert on Friday, February 23rd. Commissioner Burress stated he saw a couple of days ago that the internet and phone lines were down at the County Complex. He stated this seems to be happening a lot lately, plus a county employee that has an "out of office" message directing the sender of the email to contact another employee for phone/internet issues. He feels these outages hurt productivity for the county staff and accessibility for residents. Trey Cash asked to speak and stated the last outage was state wide and there was nothing we (County) could do to resolve the issue. Commissioner Burress feels the County should explore other options for a more reliable provider.

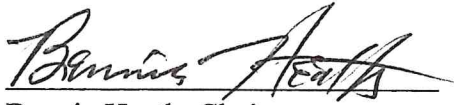
I. CLOSED SESSION – Personnel

Motion/Second into closed session – Commissioners Jones and Johnson

Motion/Second out of closed session – Commissioners Jones and Johnson

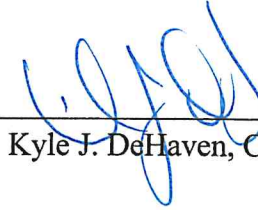
J. ADJOURN

On motion by Commissioner Jones and second by Commissioner Johnson to adjourn the meeting, the Board voted unanimously to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

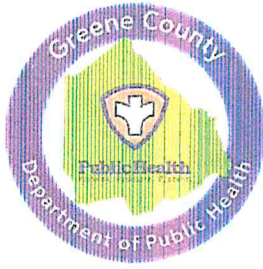


Bennie Heath, Chairman

Attest:



Kyle J. DeHaven, Clerk to the Board



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Greene County Department of Public Health Snow Hill, NC 28580

February 6, 2024

Set Fees for the Following CPT Codes:

CPT CODE	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT FEE	PROPOSED FEE	AMOUNT OF INCREASE
11730	Avulsion of nail plate, partial or complete, simple; single	**New Fee	\$160.00	N/A
96380	Counseling and administration of Nirsevimab (RSV Vaccine)	**New Fee	\$45.00	N/A

The Greene County Department of Public Health has the need for utilizing the above referenced CPT (Current Procedural Terminology) codes due to the department will be providing these services to the citizens of Greene County. The Fee Setting Committee met February 5, 2024 via email and has agreed to the fees as listed above for the services to be billed to all payor sources. **All of these fees need to be retroactive to January 1, 2024.** In order to charge all parties these rates for these services, GCDPH needs the approval of the Greene County Board of Health and the Greene County Board of Commissioners. The Greene County Board of Health gave their approval via email on February 6, 2024. Please accept our proposal to allow us to charge the fees as listed above to all payor sources.

Betty Shingleton

A handwritten signature in purple ink that reads "Betty Shingleton".

Business Officer I

Joy Brock

A handwritten signature in purple ink that reads "Joy Brock".

Health Director

Dr. Whitley Bartholomew

A handwritten signature in purple ink that reads "Whitley Bartholomew".

Greene County BOH, Chairman

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Prevent • Promote • Protect

National FFA WEEK

FEBRUARY 17-24, 2024

PROCLAMATION

Whereas, FFA and agricultural education provide a strong foundation for the youth of America and the future of food, fiber, and natural resources systems; and

Whereas, FFA promotes premier leadership, personal growth and career success among its members; and

Whereas, agricultural education and FFA ensure a steady supply of young professionals to meet the growing needs in the science, business, and technology of agriculture; and

Whereas, the FFA motto — “Learning to Do, Doing to Learn, Earning to Live, Living to Serve” — gives direction and purpose to these students who take an active role in succeeding in agricultural education; and

Whereas, FFA promotes citizenship, volunteerism, patriotism and cooperation.

Therefore, I do hereby designate the week of Feb. 17-24, 2024, as National FFA Week.



SIGNATURE



DATE



National FFA Organization | 6060 FFA Drive | Indianapolis, IN 46278-1370
317-802-6060 | 888-332-2668 | [FFA.org](https://www.FFA.org)

Commissioners
Bennie Heath - Chairman
James T. Shackleford-Vice Chair
Jerry Jones
Susan Blizzard
Derek Burress



County Manager
Kyle J. DeHaven

Finance Officer
Beverly T. Stroud

County Attorney
Gay Stanley

February 19, 2024

Lauren Latshaw
Eastern Carolina Council
PO Box 1717
233 Middle St., Suite 300
New Bern, NC 28563

Dear Ms. Latshaw;

It is with great pleasure to advise you that Ms. Alice Barfield and Sharon Harrison have been re-appointed to the Greene County Joint Community Advisory Committee by the Greene County Board of Commissioners.

Sincerely,

Bennie Heath, Chairman
Greene County Board of Commissioners

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The mission of Greene County Government is to serve and improve the lives of all citizens by providing high-quality, cost-effective services in an open, professional and ethical environment

LINE ITEM TRANSFER					
FROM			TO		
<u>Account Name</u>	<u>Acct #</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Account Name</u>	<u>Acct #</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Total		\$ -	Total		\$ -

BUDGET AMENDMENT					
<u>REVENUES</u>			<u>EXPENDITURES</u>		
<u>Account Name</u>	<u>Acct #</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Account Name</u>	<u>Acct #</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Undesignated Fund Balance	16000-329800	70,000.00	Equipment	16902-530100	70,000.00
Total		70,000.00	Total		70,000.00

<u>Explanation:</u>
Replace voice logging recorder in E911 Center

Brock Kearney

Approved by:

Approved by: Bennie Heath

SERVICE CONTRACT AGREEMENT

Overview

Recycling provides a valuable service to communities and benefits charities, shelters, disaster victims and provides residents with a convenient disposal of unwanted clothing, shoes, and books.

Service offer:

During the term of agreement, **Friendship Clothing Collection** should pick up from Greene County recycle sites and landfill, the following recycle items:

-Clothes - Shoes - Books

The above-mentioned items will be picked up on the day(s) agreed upon.

Pick up days: As need it, Starting on: as soon as possible

Other Instructions: The bin(s) will be placed on the location chosen by the property manager.

Prices by pound: .02- .04

Landfill: 105 landfill road (sr1239) walstonburg nc 27888

Director: David Jones

Address: 105 Landfill rd walstonburg nc 27888

Telephone: 1252-747-5720

Email: david.jones@greencountync.gov

Signature  Date: 2-21-24

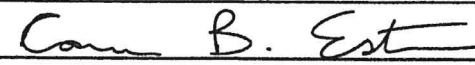
Contractor:

Jolyn Trading, LLC DBA

Friendship Clothing Collection, LLC

801 Bricksteel Lane Garner, NC 27529

Contact: 919-772-344 or 919-798-8228 Email: Dave@friendshipusedclothing.com

Signature:  Owner: Carmen B. Esteban

Date: _____

Either party of this contract has the right to terminate this contract with giving a 30-day written notice at any time in such case whereas tenant violates the agreement or location is found to not benefit tenant in clothing donations.