

GRADY COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS/GRADY COUNTY LAKE AUTHORITY

WORKSHOP MINUTES

May 7, 2020 Workshop Meeting

The Grady County Board of Commissioners and Grady County Lake Authority met on May 7, 2020 at 8:30 am for a joint workshop meeting in order to discuss the possibility of an RV Park and trails at Tired Creek Lake. Commissioners Keith Moyer, Phillip Drew, June Knight, Ray Prince, County Administrator Buddy Johnson, and County Clerk John White were present. Commissioner LaFaye Copeland attended by phone. Grady County Lake Authority members in attendance were Chip Wells, Laura Register, and Ray Prince.

Mr. Moyer called the meeting to order.

Mr. Moyer asked Mr. White to give the invocation and pledge to the flag.

Motion by Mrs. Knight, second by Mr. Drew to approve the agenda amended to allow any public comments. The motion was approved.

Public Comments

Terry Akridge, 111 Wood Duck Dr.

Mr. Akridge spoke about the comment made in the paper about a slap in the face to the Lake Authority. Mr. Akridge stated that he felt slapped in the face every time he pays taxes and there is nothing being done at the lake.

PRESENTATION

Mr. Will Butler with REI, and Mr. Charlie Johnson with WPI presented information to the board and Lake Authority concerning the potential development of nature trails and a RV park at Tired Creek Lake. They reviewed with both groups what was involved and the plans that would be needed. Mr. Butler and Mr. Charlie Johnson then fielded questions from the board and Lake Authority.

Mr. Buddy Johnson mentioned that another joint meeting with the Board of Commissioners and Lake Authority would be needed soon to get ready to refinance the bonds. Mr. Moyer suggested May 19, 2020 at 4:00. Mr. Buddy Johnson also stated he would like Mr. Randy Wind, former member of the Lake Authority to give a history of the project to both groups so everyone understands where we are and what the roles of the two groups are in the process.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Drew and second by Mr. Prince. The motion was approved.

KEITH MOYER, CHAIR

PHILLIP DREW, VICE-CHAIR

RAY PRINCE, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

JOHN WHITE, COUNTY CLERK

JUNE KNIGHT, COMMISSIONER

LAFAYE COPELAND, COMMISSIONER

