

Summary
Georgia Board of Public Safety
Virtual and Call-In Meeting

April 11, 2024

Board Members Present:

Willie C. Bolton
Stacey Cotton
Roy H. Fickling
Richard Hyde
Jimmy McDuffie
Leonard “Dee” Meadows
Janet L. Moon
Michael Nail
Billy New
Tyrone Oliver
Charles D. Sikes
Joey Terrell
Susan K. Treadaway
Craig Tully
Ellis Wood

Board Members Absent:

Vice-Chairman Ellis Wood called the meeting to order.

Lieutenant Richard Sikes gave the Invocation and led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Board approved the minutes of the February 8, 2024 Board meeting.

Mr. Ellis Wood was re-elected as Vice-Chairman for the Board and Chief Craig Tully was re-elected as Secretary for the Board.

The Board approved the following donations for the Georgia Department of Public Safety:

Item: Thirteen (13) Ryobi One 18V Cordless Impact Drills with Lithium Batteries
Value: \$2,716.61
Donated By: The City of Dawsonville

Item: Thirteen (13) Ryobi One 18V 120-Watt 12V Automotive Power Inverters
Value: \$649.61
Donated By: The City of Dawsonville

Item: Sixteen (16) Blauer Frisk Gloves
Value: \$325.46
Donated By: The City of Dawsonville

Item: One (1) Dragon Eye LIDAR Device
Value: \$2,100.00
Donated By: The City of Monroe Police Department

Item: One (1) Stalker RLR LIDAR Device
Value: \$2,521.50
Donated By: The Blue Ridge Police Department

Item: One (1) Stalker RLR LIDAR Device
Value: \$2,521.50
Donated By: The Fannin County Commissioners Office

Item: Two (2) Stalker RLR LIDAR Devices
Value: \$5,043.00
Donated By: The McCaysville Police Department

Item: One (1) Stalker RLR LIDAR Device
Value: \$2,521.50
Donated By: The Towns County Sheriff's Office

The Board approved a Resolution for the Georgia Department of Public Safety to authorize the Commissioner of Public Safety to accept transfer of custody of the state-owned communications tower located at 427 North Expressway, Griffin, Georgia, and its radio equipment shelter from the Technical College System of Georgia.

The Board approved a Resolution for the Georgia Department of Public Safety to authorize the Commissioner of Public Safety to enter into negotiations, agreements, and supporting documents as necessary to execute a five-year lease amendment for the Kennesaw Hangar.

The Board approved a Resolution for the Georgia Department of Public Safety to authorize the Commissioner of Public Safety to enter into negotiations with the Jekyll Island State Park Authority, and to execute all contracts and supporting documents as necessary to acquire from the Authority a long-term lease of the facilities, barracks, and headquarters of Post 35, Jekyll Island.

The Board approved a request for preliminary approval of a 30% increase to the Maximum Rate Tariff for Nonconsensual Towing in Intrastate Transportation with the final adoption on June 13, 2024 after a public hearing on May 15, 2024.