

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

February 4, 2024

Board Members Present:

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

Board Members Absent:

Leonard “Dee” Meadows
Joey Terrell

Vice-Chairman Ellis Wood called the meeting to order.

Chief Craig Tully gave the Invocation and led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Board approved the minutes of the December 13, 2023 Board meeting.

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

Item: Two (2) Stalker DSR2X Radar Units
Value: \$7,500.00
Donated By: The Appalachian Regional Drug Enforcement Office

Item: Two (2) DragonEye DESL Lidar Units
Value: \$4,200.00
Donated By: The Appalachian Regional Drug Enforcement Office

Item: Three (3) Stalker DSR 2X Radars
Value: \$11,280.00
Donated By: Hart County Board of Commissioners

Item: Fuel for Helicopters and Hotel Rooms
Value: \$4,500.00
Donated By: The Atlanta Air Show

Item: Fuel for Helicopters and Hotel Rooms
Value: \$4,000.00
Donated By: The Vidalia Onion Festival Air Show

Item: Fuel for Helicopters and Hotel Rooms
Value: \$4,500.00
Donated By: The Augusta Air Show

The Board approved a Resolution for the Georgia Bureau of Investigation that the State Property Commission grant a Revocable License to the City of Calhoun for the installation of the new sewer line extension for the New Region 1 Georgia Bureau of Investigation property and to seek approval of a permanent easement for the City to maintain and operate the line in the same area.

The Board approved an amendment to add language to the criteria of the second category of the Governor's Public Safety Award regarding guidelines for posthumous nominations.

The Board approved a recommendation from Director Chris Wigginton for a citizen member position on the Memorial/Governor's Public Safety Awards Committee.

The Board approved names for the Georgia Public Safety Line of Duty Deaths Memorial.