



**Board of Commissioners Voting  
Session Minutes  
Tuesday, February 24, 2026 - 6:00 PM**

**I. Call to Order, Invocation, Pledge to Flag**

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Pat Graham at 6:00 p.m.

Attendee Name	Title	Status
Pat Graham	Chairman	Present
Joe Goodman	District 1	Present
Kenny Shook	District 2	Present
Rolando Alvarez	District 3	Present
Alex Ward	District 4	Present
Tim Walker	District 5	Present
Deborah Lynn	District 6	Present
Srikanth Yamala	County Manager	Present

**Also Present:** County Attorney Charles Ferguson, County Clerk Abril Olivas, and Interim Deputy County Clerk Riley McReynolds

Commissioner Shook led the invocation and pledge.

**II. Approval of Agenda**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Alex Ward, District 4
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Joe Goodman, District 1
<b>AYES:</b>	Graham, Goodman, Shook, Alvarez, Ward, Walker, Lynn

Motion to approve. Motion made by Ward, seconded by Goodman. Voting results shown in the box above.

**III. Remarks by Commissioners IV.**

**Approval of Minutes**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Kenny Shook, District 2
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Deborah Lynn, District 6
<b>AYES:</b>	Graham, Goodman, Shook, Alvarez, Ward, Walker, Lynn

Motion to approve. Motion made by Shook, seconded by Lynn. Voting results shown in the box above.

- a) January 22, 2026, Special Called Minutes
- b) February 10, 2026, Voting Session minutes
- c) February 16, 2026, Special Called minutes

V. **Public Comment on Agenda Items**

VI. **Presentation**

- a) Presentation of the Barrow County Trails Master Plan.

Hugh Knapp of the Northeast Georgia Regional Commission (NEGRC) presented the Board with the Barrow County Trails Master Plan.

VII. **New Business**

- a) Consideration to approve the RFP2026-09 Design-Build Contractor Services Splash Pad at Victor Lord Park for the Parks & Recreation Department from Scroggs & Grizzel Contracting, Inc. of Clermont, GA, in the amount of \$1,458,833.00, and authorize the Chairman to execute the agreement and approve the necessary budget amendment.

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Deborah Lynn, District 6
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Rolando Alvarez, District 3
<b>AYES:</b>	Graham, Goodman, Shook, Alvarez, Ward, Walker, Lynn

Motion to approve as presented. Motion made by Lynn, seconded by Alvarez. Motion with the voting results shown in the box above.

- b) Consideration to approve the ratification for the emergency procurement for 100 tons of salt material for the Roads & Bridges Division from Chick Enterprise Inc. d/b/a Rock Salt USA of St. Louis, MO, in the amount of \$41,200.00 and approve the necessary budget amendment.

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Alex Ward, District 4
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Joe Goodman, District 1
<b>AYES:</b>	Graham, Goodman, Shook, Alvarez, Ward, Walker, Lynn

Motion to approve. Motion made by Ward, seconded by Goodman. Motion with the voting results shown in the box above.

- c) Consideration to approve a resolution authorizing the transfer of Parcel No. XX011 005 and XX011 010 (154 Hill's Shop Road) from Barrow County's wastewater service area to Gwinnett County's wastewater service area in accordance with the Service Delivery Strategy agreement and to authorize the Chairman to execute the resolution.

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Tim Walker, District 5
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Deborah Lynn, District 6
<b>AYES:</b>	Graham, Goodman, Shook, Alvarez, Ward, Walker, Lynn

Motion to approve as presented. Motion made by Walker, seconded by Lynn. Motion with the voting results shown in the box above.

- d) Consideration to approve a resolution authorizing water utility service area exchange between Barrow County and the City of Winder and to authorize the Chairman to execute the resolution.

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Joe Goodman, District 1
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Deborah Lynn, District 6
<b>AYES:</b>	Graham, Goodman, Shook, Alvarez, Ward, Walker, Lynn

Motion to approve as presented. Motion made by Goodman, seconded by Lynn. Motion with the voting results shown in the box above.

- e) Consideration to authorize the County Manager to enter into an agreement with outside counsel should the Ethics Board request the Board of Commissioners to retain counsel for the purpose of providing advice and guidance related to an ethics complaint filed by Alecia Behlog.

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Pat Graham, Chairman
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Kenny Shook, District 2
<b>AYES:</b>	Graham, Goodman, Shook, Alvarez, Ward, Walker, Lynn

Motion to approve as presented. Motion made by Graham, seconded by Shook. Motion with the voting results shown in the box above.

**VIII. Executive Session**

**IX. Adjournment**

<b>RESULT:</b>	<b>PASSED [UNANIMOUS]</b>
<b>MOVER:</b>	Pat Graham, Chairman
<b>SECONDER:</b>	Alex Ward, District 4
<b>AYES:</b>	Graham, Goodman, Shook, Alvarez, Ward, Walker, Lynn

Motion to adjourn at 6:28 p.m. Motion made by Graham, seconded by Ward. Voting results shown in the box above.

These Minutes have been approved by the Barrow County Board of Commissioners.

*Abril Olivas*  
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Abril Olivas,  
County Clerk