

RESOLUTION R - 018 - 17

A RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONTINUING PAYMENT OF EMERGENCY EXPENDITURES IN 2017 ANNUAL BUDGET

WHEREAS, the Sole Commissioner of Walker County is the county governing authority of Walker County, Georgia;

WHEREAS, the current 2017 annual budget was adopted for fiscal year beginning October 1, 2016 and ending September 30, 2017;

WHEREAS, the Sole Commissioner and county financial officer have prepared and submitted to the Commissioner's office a proposed 2018 annual budget and placed copies of the budget in the Commission office for review by county residents;

WHEREAS, notice was published on August 9th and 16th, 2017, in the *Walker County Messenger*, the legal organ of Walker County, that the proposed property tax increase and budget were available for review and that a public hearing on the proposed property tax increase and budget would be held on August 24th, 2017;

WHEREAS, public hearings were held on August 17th, 19th, 22nd, 23rd, and 24th, 2017, to receive public comment on the proposed property tax increase and budget pursuant to O.C.G.A. §36-81-5;

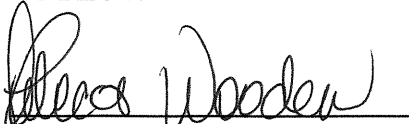
WHEREAS, the Sole Commissioner of Walker County is continuing to work with County government staff, departments, and constitutional officers to further reduce anticipated expenditures for the 2018 fiscal year;

WHEREAS, such 2018 fiscal year budget will be presented for final approval at the regular commission meeting set for Thursday, October 5th, 2017;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Sole Commissioner of Walker County, Georgia, that pending such approval of the 2018 fiscal year budget, only those emergency expenditures as needed to maintain essential county functions shall be paid by the County and such expenditures shall be included in the 2018 budget.

SO RESOLVED AND ADOPTED this 28th day of September, 2017.

ATTEST:



REBECCA WOODEN, County Clerk

WALKER COUNTY, GEORGIA



SHANNON WHITFIELD, Commissioner