

**TAZEWELL COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
REGULAR MEETING**



August 5, 2025 – 4:00 P.M. (Tuesday)

**197 MAIN STREET
TAZEWELL, VIRGINIA 24651**

Members of the public also have an option to participate by telephone by calling **(425) 436-6388**, and entering "836650" as the access code when prompted.

Time	Subject	Pg
4:00 pm	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Call to Order 2. Pledge and Invocation 3. Welcome 4. Consideration of approving the agenda format (additions/deletions) 5. Approval of meeting minutes from June 27, 2025 	4
4:05 pm	<p>6. Consent Calendar (All items on the consent calendar are considered to be routine matters. The following items may be enacted by one motion, with the concurrence of the Board of Supervisors, a member may request that an item be removed for further discussion)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Approval of Warrants B. County Departments - Transfer the following amounts from the Contingent Expenditures and Grant Account No. 91050-7041 to various department accounts as shown on the attached table: C. Ratify poll approving \$9,000 from Western District Capital Funds for repairs to Caleb Hollow Road 	20
4:10 pm	<p>7. Department Reports</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Kenneth Dunford – Engineering Report 	
4:20 pm	<p>8. Introduction of new SVCC President</p>	
4:25 pm	<p>9. Executive/Closed Meeting - Pursuant to Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ A(7) Legal consultation regarding the Landfill Construction Contract ▶ A(29) Contract Negotiations with the Town of Richlands on the PSA water contract ▶ A(29) Negotiations with Pure Salmon on Jonah Water Use Agreement ▶ A(3) Property acquisition regarding Pocahontas ATV trail ▶ A(7) Legal consultation regarding Lexcite case 	
6:00 pm	<p>10. Special Presentations</p>	

	<p>▶</p> <p>Supervisor Gillespie:</p> <p>▶</p> <p>Supervisor Hrovatic:</p> <p>▶</p>	
8:00 pm	<p>16. Executive/Closed Meeting – Pursuant to Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711 (if needed) ▶ A(1) Personnel – County Attorney position</p>	
8:45 pm	17. Return/Certification/Report of Action (if necessary)	
8:55 pm	18. Other business as may properly come before the Board	
9:00 pm	<p>19. Adjourn The meeting is adjourned until Tuesday, September 9, 2025 at 4:00 p.m.</p>	

VIRGINIA: AT THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE TAZEWELL COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS HELD JUNE 27, 2025 AT FOUR O'CLOCK P.M. IN THE TAZEWELL COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 197 MAIN STREET, TAZEWELL, VIRGINIA 24651

PRESENT: AARON GILLESPIE, CHAIRMAN
KYLE CRUEY, VICE-CHAIRPERSON
ANDY HROVATIC, MEMBER
CHUCK PRESLEY, MEMBER
SHANNA PLASTER, MEMBER
C. ERIC YOUNG, COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR
CHASE D. COLLINS, COUNTY ATTORNEY
STEPHANIE RUSSELL, EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT
SUSAN JEWELL, PARALEGAL
MEMBERS OF THE PRESS: JIM TALBERT, BLUEFIELD DAILY TELEGRAPH

ABSENT: None

MINUTES

Chairman, Aaron Gillespie, called the regular meeting to order and presided with all members present.

Supervisor Cruey led The Pledge of Allegiance to the United States flag followed by the invocation given by Supervisor Plaster.

The Chairman welcomed those in attendance and citizens who were participating by conference call. Citizens were able to call in and participate in the meeting by calling (425) 436-6388 and entering the access code 836650.

AGENDA APPROVED AS AMENDED

The Chairperson called for any additions/deletions to the agenda.

Upon motion of Supervisor Hrovatic, seconded by Supervisor Cruey and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors approved the June 27, 2025 amended agenda with additions/deletions, a copy of which is available at the County Administration Office, 197 Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia 24651.

MINUTES APPROVED AS WRITTEN

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruey, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the minutes from the June 3, 2025 meeting. A copy is available in the County Administration Office, 197 Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia 24651.

CONSENT CALENDAR

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruey seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves items A, B and C, of the Consent Calendar. The County Administrator is authorized to issue warrants in accordance with this action and said warrants shall be converted to negotiable checks by the Treasurer of Tazewell County, Virginia.

Upon motion of Supervisor Gillespie seconded by Supervisor Hrovatic and adopted by a vote of 4 to 0, with all members present and Supervisor Cruey abstaining and all others voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves item D, of the Consent Calendar.

Consent Calendar

(All items on the consent calendar are considered to be routine matters. The following items may be enacted by one motion, with the concurrence of the Board of Supervisors, a member may request that an item be removed for further discussion)

- A. Approval of Warrants
- B. County Departments - Transfer the following amounts from the Contingent Expenditures and Grant Account No. 91050-7041 to various department accounts as shown on the attached table.
- C. Consider ratifying poll to donate \$2,000.00 from Southern District discretionary funds to Tannersville VFD for July 4th celebration
- D. Consider ratifying poll to declare K9 Officer Reni and kennel as surplus and sell to his former partner for \$1.00
- E. Approval of Supplemental Appropriations for the following funds for FY25 due to expenses exceeding authorized appropriations: Coal Severance Fund: \$169,500; Law Library Fund: \$5,075; Coal Road Economic Development Fund: \$45,165

Consent Calendar Items June 27, 2025 Meeting REVISED

Source	Check #	To Acct	Amt	Description
VaCorp	656119	31020-6009	\$96.99	2003 Suburban windshield repair (Bishop VFD)
CMCS	248419	31020-1150	\$577.89	TCSO CITAC overtime

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

Engineering – Kenneth Dunford

Landfill interviews

Mr. Dunford announced that all interviews have been completed, with Schnabel Engineering as the highest-ranking firm from all proposals received in response to the RFQ for engineering services at the landfill. Mr. Dunford requested the board's approval to begin contract negotiations with Schnabel.

Upon motion of Supervisor Presley, seconded by Supervisor Plaster and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves Mr. Dunford's request to begin contract negotiations with Schnabel Engineering.

Streets and Roads - Citizen complaint on Sparrow Street and Songbird Lane

Mr. Dunford provided to the Board status updates for Sparrow Street and Songbird Lane in Falls Mills, Virginia. Mr. Dunford explained that he did go out and take a look at these two (2) roads. He advised that there are major drainage problems in that road system, they do not have proper ditches and the roads slope toward Falls Mills Road which causes water to rush over the road and then go into somebody else's properties. There are a lot of issues with this road, the road only has twenty (20) foot of right of way and only measures approximately 9 feet wide. This would be a very expensive project to undertake.

Supervisor Cruey inquired what exactly needs to be done in order to fix the drainage issues? Mr. Dunford replied that we need drainage easements and right of ways, then we could dig out ditches and install trench drains. Supervisor Cruey then asked how much would everything cost? Mr. Dunford said off the top of his head, maybe thirty thousand (\$30,000) up to forty thousand (\$40,000).

Supervisor Cruey requested that Mr. Dunford prepare an estimate for the cost of repairs and present it at the August meeting.

Paving Schedule

Mr. Dunford advised the Board that the paving bids had been returned under budget. The Board previously voted to approve the paving contract at \$438,980.10. However, Dominion Paving came in as the lower bidder at \$415,563.

Upon motion of Supervisor Hrovatic, seconded by Supervisor Plaster and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the paving contract with Dominion Paving in the amount of \$415,563.

With the remaining \$43,000.00 in the account, the Coal Severance Committee also voted to approve \$20,000 for the Western Gas Feasibility Study and \$23,000 for paving of gravel roads. Mr. Dunford provided a chart in his report, which lists the ten (10) gravel roads to be paved. Mr. Dunford then requested that the Board approve the two (2) motions.

Upon motion of Supervisor Plaster, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves \$20,000 for the Western Gas Project Feasibility Study.

Upon motion of Supervisor Hrovatic, seconded by Supervisor Plaster and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the list of roads along with the \$23,000. A copy is available in the County Administration Office, 197 Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia 24651.

Airport

Mr. Dunford advised the Board that he has received the Engineers' Detail to fix the sink hole at the airport. Mr. Dunford requested permission to advertise via the newspaper to solicit quotes/bids to repair the depression at the airport.

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruely, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves Mr. Dunford's request to advertise for bids needed to repair the depression at the airport.

Robert's Rules of Order

Due to noise concerns from the live band expected to begin playing outside on Main Street, County Administrator Eric Young asked that the Board shorten the first Executive Session and carry over any unheard business to the second Executive Session.

Upon motion of Supervisor Gillespie, seconded by Supervisor Cruely and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors approved the suspension of Robert's Rules so the Board could more easily move about the agenda.

EXECUTIVE/CLOSED MEETING – 4:33 pm

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruely, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof, the Board enters into an Executive/Closed meeting and invites all persons necessary to conduct business in this session, pursuant to Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711.

Executive/Closed Meeting – Pursuant to Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711

- ▶ A(5) Potential location/expansion of business involving incentives; Project Resort
- ▶ A(8) Legal consultation regrading landfill construction contract
- ▶ A(29) Contract Negotiations with BluePsi for Western Gas Study; Project Resort
- ▶ A(7) Legal consultation regarding Richlands campus drainage litigation;

RETURN/CERTIFICATION/REPORT OF ACTION – 5:46 pm

The Board of Supervisors returned to public session and Chairman Cruely read the following certification:

**CERTIFICATION OF
EXECUTIVE/CLOSED MEETING
TAZEWELL COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

WHEREAS, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors has convened an executive/closed meeting on this date pursuant to an affirmative vote and in accordance with The Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and

WHEREAS, 2.2-3711 of the Code of Virginia requires a certification by the Board of Supervisors that such executive/closed meeting was conducted in conformity with Virginia law;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby certifies that, to the best of each member's knowledge, (i) that only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements by Virginia law were discussed in the executive/closed meeting to which this certification resolution applies, and (ii) only such public business matters as were identified in the motion convening the closed meeting were heard, discussed or considered by the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors. The Chairman called for a roll call vote with the following votes hereby recorded.

The Chair called for a roll call vote on the Certification:

Ayes: Five (5)

Nays: None (0)

Absent: None (0)

Absent during vote: None (0)

Report of Action: One (1)

ACTION FOLLOWING EXECUTIVE SESSION

Contract with BluePsi for Western Gas Study

Upon motion of Supervisor Hrovatic, seconded by Supervisor Plaster and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the contract with BluePsi. BluePsi will perform a feasibility study for the construction of a natural gas distribution line from the Pounding Mill tap to Southwest Virginia Community College, for an amount not to exceed \$135,000. Furthermore, the Board approved use of the \$100,000 DHCD Gas Feasibility Study Grant, the \$20,000 approved by the Coal Severance Tax Committee for this purpose, \$10,000 from the Western District Capital Improvement fund and up to \$5,000 from FY26 contingency funds if necessary. Supervisor Hrovatic further moved that the Board transfer the same into the Capital Projects fund for this purpose.

SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

VDOT project adjustment

VDOT will present at the August 5, 2025 Board meeting.

TAZEWELL COUNTY BUDGET FY25-26

Budget Committee update

County Administrator Eric Young explained that the public hearing held during the June 3, 2025 Board meeting had been recessed until tonight to consider any amendments to that budget. He said as of this afternoon at the Budget Committee meeting, we have an ending balance of \$6,505,000. The committee met and considered several amendments, most of which had been proposed by staff.

Presentation /Discussion of staff proposed changes to the advertised budget

Mr. Young provided a detailed breakdown of the proposed changes and demonstrated with a PowerPoint display. Some of the figures were adjusted from the advertised budget to allow for tax revenue variances, possible grant reimbursement and reductions in retirement accounts. A copy of the proposed staff changes is available at the County Administration Office, 197 Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia 24651. Mr. Young asked the Board to consider amending the advertised budget to include the proposed staff amendments.

Upon motion of Supervisor Hrovatic, seconded by Supervisor Cruey and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the staff recommended amendments to the FY2025-2026 proposed budget.

Board requested changes to proposed FY2026 budget

Young continued, during the Budget Committee Meeting of this afternoon, the committee also addressed the additional 1.55 million we have at the end of the year. Mr. Young explained that the committee has requested to add \$800,000, into additional contingency, with the remaining \$750,000, going to the reserve fund.

Upon motion of Supervisor Presley, seconded by Supervisor Cruey and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves amending the proposed FY26 budget to increase the beginning balance to \$6,550,000.00 and add \$800,000 to contingency and \$750,000 to the reserve fund.

Mr. Young explained that the budget committee would also request a \$17,000 appropriation to the landfill for tires. He said, since Lusk Disposal is no longer taking our tires, we reached an agreement with Capital: Capital will pay the disposal fee if we provide the cost for transportation, at approximately \$12,000. The additional \$5,000 would cover the cost to host a possible event at the fairgrounds to catch up on some of the backlog.

Upon motion of Supervisor Gillespie, seconded by Supervisor Plaster and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves an increased budgeted appropriation to the landfill of \$17,000 for tire disposal.

Approve tax levies

Mr. Young advised the board that a motion to approve the tax levies as advertised for calendar year 2025, the only difference being the meals tax that was enacted earlier this year with all other taxes remaining the same.

Upon motion of Supervisor Hrovatic, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 4 to 1, with all members present and Supervisor Cruey voting against, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the 2025 tax levies as advertised.

Board member amendments

Mr. Young asked if any board members wanted any further amendments. There were not any requests.

Ordinance approving the FY25-26 amended budget

Mr. Young requested adopting the proposed ordinance approving the FY26 budget ordinance, adopting local tax levies, and budget for the County of Tazewell, Virginia, for fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2026, to be effective on July 1, 2025 at 12:01 a.m. as amended.

Upon motion of Supervisor Hrovatic, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves to adopt the budget for the County of Tazewell, Virginia, for fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2026, to be effective on July 1, 2025 at 12:01 a.m. as hereby amended, excluding the appropriation for the Care Center.

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruvey, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 4 to 0, with all members present and Supervisor Gillespie abstaining and all others voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the appropriation for the Care Center for FY25-26.

Order approving annual appropriation

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruvey, seconded by Supervisor Hrovatic and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the annual appropriation for the operation of all General County Agency budgets, for fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2026 at 12:01a.m.

Order approving budget transfers/appropriations

Upon motion of Supervisor Hrovatic, seconded by Supervisor Plaster and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves budget transfers/appropriations as may be necessary from surplus accounts, etc. to close all such accounts for the fiscal year, FY25-26.

Order approving categorical funding for Tazewell County School Budget

Mr. Young advised the Board that Superintendent Dr. Chris Stacy, had sent the school board's proposed budget for approval. A copy of which is available at the County Administration Office, 197 Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia 24651.

Mr. Young discussed with the Board approving the school board's funding categorically, so that money allotted in one area specifically cannot be moved/transferred to another area to cover costs without the Board's approval. Young pointed out that Dr. Stacy had earmarked 3.5 million for capital outlay facilities (capital improvements), when questioned about this expense I was told it was for asbestos at Abbs Valley without providing a specific amount. Additionally, I am requesting approval for a supplemental audit during the school year to make sure the monies allocated for certain areas are being spent within those categories.

Mr. Young asked the Board to move \$2 million from Capital Outlay Facilities to Debt Service.

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruvey, seconded by Supervisor Hrovatic and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves categorical funding for Tazewell County School Budget FY25-26 as presented by Dr. Stacy except that Capital Outlay is reduced to \$1,043,323 and Debt Service is increased to \$3,168,393 and authorizes a supplemental category audit during the school year.

Order approving sequestration of School Facilities Fund

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruey, seconded by Supervisor Hrovatic and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby budget and sequester the School Facilities Fund according to the “Sequestered Unencumbered Projects List” and hereby sequesters said fund subject to future appropriation. A copy of which is available at the County Administration Office, 197 Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia 24651.

Order approving 3% COLA for all employees

Upon motion of Supervisor Hrovatic, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 3 to 0, with all members present and Supervisors Cruey and Plaster abstaining and all others voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves a 3% COLA for all employees for FY26.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

County employee bonuses

The Chairman called to order a public hearing that was duly advertised according to law regarding county employee bonuses.

The Chairman called for public comments from those present or listening via telephone.

The Chairman called a second and third time for additional public comments from the floor. Hearing none, the Chairman closed the public hearing.

Mr. Young asked that the Ordinance be amended to provide that any employees still employed as of July 15th be eligible for the bonus.

Upon motion of Supervisor Presley, seconded by Supervisor Hrovatic and adopted by a vote of 3 to 0, with all members present and Supervisors Cruey and Plaster abstaining and all others voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby adopts the ordinance to approve the one-time 1.5% bonus for all county employees employed as of July 15, 2025.

TAZEWELL COUNTY BUDGET FY25-26

Order approving 6% pay increase for all dispatchers

(Including the already approved 3% COLA this would be a 9% total increase)

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruey, seconded by Supervisor Gillespie and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves a 6% pay increase for all dispatchers; in addition to the 3% COLA previously approved.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

Public hearing regarding DSS employee bonuses

The Chairman called to order a public hearing that was duly advertised according to law a public hearing regarding DSS employee bonuses.

The Chairman called for public comments from those present or listening via telephone.

The Chairman called a second and third time for additional public comments from the floor. Hearing none, the Chairman closed the public hearing.

Upon motion of Supervisor Crucey, seconded by Supervisor Gillespie and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves a one-time 1.5% bonus for all DSS employees as advertised.

TAZEWELL COUNTY BUDGET FY25-26

Order approving pay scale adjustment minimum wage increase compression

Upon motion of Supervisor Plaster, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the pay scale adjustment to offset minimum wage increase compression including a \$1,000 increase for lower tiers and a \$750 increase for middle tiers. A copy of the pay scale adjustment is available at the County Administration Office, 197 Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia 24651.

ADMINISTRATIVE/FINANCIAL/COUNTY PROJECTS UPDATE

Storm recovery update

FEMA/VDEM

County Administrator, Eric Young, explained that county officials spent approximately three (3) days with representatives from FEMA, going around the county and looking at some of the various properties that sustained damage due to Helene. Mr. Young provided a few photographs taken of debris which is now clogging sewer lines throughout the County.

According to Young, the County has been approved for a few grants through FEMA: Currently, we were approved for \$60,000 to cover damage to public roads and we were approved for \$300,000 for our Lechate tanks.

DHCD Individual relief grant

The DHCD flood grant is now open. Young stated, we are planning to have a link on our website so residents can apply. However, this grant is only for damage/loss to residences/structures; Has to have suffered major damage or total loss. We will be advertising on our website for upcoming meetings in the community or you can come by the County Administration Building located at 197 Main Street, Tazewell, to apply in person, Young said.

CITIZEN COMMENTS – SCHEDULED

► *Robert Carlson*, North Tazewell, Virginia

Mr. Carlson asked questions and made comments regarding the data sheets and toxic materials associated with solar controls, such as environmental and worker safety.

County Attorney Chase Collins, explained that requirements were passed last month requiring that any data sheets with MSDS or PSDS for any solar project must come through the Planning Commission and the Board of Supervisors.

Mr. Carlson made additional comments related to local ordinances stating you can not have forever chemicals.

Mr. Collins stated he does not believe the County can restrict the forever chemicals based on local ordinances alone, it would depend on the zoning restrictions.

► **Clay Yearins**, Tazewell, Virginia

Mr. Yearins originally came before the Board at the June 3, 2025 meeting to request monetary donations for animal vaccines. The Board requested Mr. Yearins provide more information and possibly secure a portion of the requested funds by outside sources.

Mr. Yearins has returned to deliver his findings to the Board as requested. Mr. Yearins said he now believes he will only need \$4.38 per vaccine and with the 500 vaccines previously allotted the total needed would be approximately \$2,190.00. As of today, Mr. Yearins has secured the following donations:

Farm Bureau - \$400

Town Council - \$200

Moose Lodge - \$500

Leaving a balance of \$540 to fully fund his vaccine project.

Supervisor Hrovatic was pleased with all of Mr. Yearins updates and pledged \$110 from Western District's discretionary fund; Supervisor Plaster pledged \$110 from North Western District's capital fund; Supervisor Gillespie pledged \$110 from Southern District's discretionary fund; Supervisor Cruvey pledged \$110 from Northern District's capital fund and Supervisor Presley pledged \$110 from Eastern District's discretionary fund.

Mr. Young said, the donation will be given to the Animal Shelter and they will pay Crab Orchard in return.

Upon motion of Supervisor Hrovatic, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves a donation to the Animal Shelter in the amount of \$540.

BREAK – 6:47 p.m.

Upon motion of Supervisor Gillespie, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves a short 10-minute recess.

RETURN - 7:01 p.m.

CITIZEN COMMENTS – UNSCHEDULED

► **Nicole Collins**, North Tazewell, Virginia

Mrs. Collins questioned the specifics of the one-time 1.5% bonus for county employees. Mrs. Collins was unhappy with the employed as of July 15, 2025 requirement in order to receive said bonus. Mrs. Collins believed the stipulation was made due to her husband, County Attorney Chase Collins, separating from employment as of July 1, 2025.

ADMINISTRATIVE/FINANCIAL/COUNTY PROJECTS UPDATE

Fairview Housing

Mr. Young stated, we have been working with Fairview to assist in finding financing for the project. Currently, they are working with a bank in Cincinnati, Ohio, which offers grants. The bank believes Fairview would qualify for \$700,000 in grants. Mr. Young reiterated that a \$900,000 local contribution had already been approved by

the Opioid Committee. Mr. Young stated that between the grant and contribution Fairview should have the funding needed to purchase the building and begin renovations.

Mr. Young further explained that due to the timeframe needed to apply for the grant, we will need to extend the option to purchase with the landowner and are required to pay \$10,000 in order to extend another sixty (60) days.

Upon motion of Supervisor Plaster, seconded by Supervisor Hrovatic and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves payment of the \$10,000 to extend the option from Opioid Abatement Funds.

Tourism Zone

Mr. Young stated that Supervisor Hrovatic had inquired at the June 3, 2025 meeting if we could include all of Tazewell County in the tourism zone. Mr. Young said if that is what the Board would like to do, then yes, the whole of Tazewell County could be included in the tourism zone. Young reminded the Board that the Board would have to provide all of the funding or the IDA would not have any money to hand out.

Upon motion of Supervisor Hrovatic, seconded by Supervisor Cruey and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the ordinance as amended to include the entirety of Tazewell County within the tourism zone.

Landfill – tires

This matter was addressed earlier in this meeting.

Consider ratifying poll to transfer \$100,000 to the FY25 EMS equipment for the purchase of two life pack monitors and remove \$60,000 expense from the proposed FY26 budget revisions

County Administrator Young had previously conducted an email poll to approve the purchase of two (2) life pack monitors for \$137,000, whereby the Board paid \$100,000 out of contingency and the remaining \$37,000 was paid out of the FY25 EMS budget.

To offset part of the cost, the poll removed the \$60,000 Ambulance Grant Match expense from the proposed FY26 budget.

Upon motion of Supervisor Plaster, seconded by Supervisor Cruey and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves to ratify the poll to transfer \$100,000 from FY 25 contingency for the purchase of two life pack monitors and remove \$60,000 expense from the proposed FY26 budget revisions for ambulance grant match.

Funding request – Camp Joy

Deferred to the August 5, 2025 meeting. Mr. Young will request their attendance to the meeting and possible presentation.

Funding request – Feeding Southwest Virginia

A funding request was submitted by Feeding Southwest Virginia in the amount of \$2,000. Upon discussion, Supervisor Hrovatic noted that the FY26 budget already allotted \$2,000 for Feeding Southwest Virginia.

Consider ratifying poll to donate \$3,500 to Tazewell County Chamber of Commerce for Cavitts Creek concert

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruey, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all

members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves to ratify an email poll wherein \$3,500 was approved for the Tazewell County Chamber of Commerce for the Cavitts Creek concert.

Dogs running at large

Sheriff Brian Heatt and First Sergeant Davis of the Tazewell County Sherriff’s Department spoke briefly about some of the issues they are facing with repeat offenders and the recently adopted ordinance. First Sgt. Davis said the main issue is the word “permit” in the ordinance. The Judge has been dismissing our cases since the owners are not “permitting” their dog to run at large as opposed to the dog getting out on its own.

County Attorney, Chase Collins advised that the language comes directly from the Code of Virginia and is not specifically something that can be amended or changed. This ordinance could provide clarification to the Judge on the definition of permit.

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruey, seconded by Supervisor Gillespie and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves a revision to the ordinance with the language the verb permit shall mean owning or possessing any dog running outside the property of the owner, or custodian of any dog not under the owner’s immediate control as advertised.

Consider approving \$5,000 from FY25 contingency for law library fund deficit

Upon motion of Supervisor Plaster, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves \$5,000 from FY25 contingency for law library fund deficit.

Sandoz Subdivision Settlement

Chase Collins spoke briefly regarding the opioid litigation and subsequent settlement agreement provided in the supplemental agenda.

Upon motion of Supervisor Gillespie, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the opioid settlement agreement as presented and to execute any and all documents necessary. A copy of the settlement agreement is available at the County Administration Office, 197 Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia 24651

Donating an ambulance to Endless Opportunities

This matter has been deferred to the August 5, 2025 meeting.

Other

Southwest Virginia Community College MOU

A discussion ensued regarding the current MOU and a newly funded private donation of \$50,000 for the next three (3) years. Since the new private donation does not go into effect until January 2026, the Board would like to continue using the current MOU through the 2025 school year. Beginning in January 2026, the Board would like the following revisions be made to the MOU: **For a qualified firefighter of child of a firefighter that their tuition would be paid in full and any remaining funds would be paid towards the tuition of Tazewell County residents in the discretion of SWVCC.**

Upon motion of Supervisor Hrovatic, seconded by Supervisor Cruvey and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves to amend the MOU in January 2026 with the following language; For a qualified firefighter of child of a firefighter that their tuition would be paid in full and any remaining funds would be paid towards the tuition of Tazewell County residents in the discretion of SVCC.

Mr. Young stated he would begin working with the college to draft the revised MOU for 2026-27.

Appointments

IDA

Supervisor Cruvey asked if Mr. Young had received Suzanne Brinegar's letter of resignation. Mr. Young stated he received an email stating Mrs. Brinegar resigned from the town council but not specifically mentioning the IDA.

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruvey, seconded by Supervisor Gillespie and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby reappoints Rick Chitwood to the IDA, contingent on Suzanne Brinegar's resignation.

Upon motion of Supervisor Hrovatic, seconded by Supervisor Plaster and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby reappoints Darrell Cantrell to the IDA.

Tourism

Upon motion of Supervisor Gillespie, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby reappoints LaRonda Lindsey to serve on the Tourism Committee for the Western District.

Cumberland Plateau Housing Authority

Upon motion of Supervisor Gillespie, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby reappoints Ramona Simmons to serve on the CPHA.

Planning Commission

The Chairman directed that this matter be deferred to the August 5, 2025 meeting

Library (resignation of Connie Bailey)

The Chairman directed that this matter be deferred to the August 5, 2025 meeting.

BOARD CONCERNS

Supervisor Presley

Supervisor Presley expressed his appreciation to Mr. Collins for his work as County Attorney.

Supervisor Plaster

Supervisor Plaster expressed her appreciation to Mr. Collins for his work as County Attorney.

Supervisor Hrovatic

Supervisor Hrovatic expressed his appreciation for Mr. Collins impartiality in politics and the job he has done as County Attorney.

Supervisor Cruey

The Town of Pocahontas is facing a hardship due to mowing the eleven (11) acres at the Historic Cemetery.

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruey, seconded by Supervisor Presley and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approve transferring \$5,000 from the Northern District’s capital improvement fund for the purpose of mowing.

Supervisor Cruey expressed his appreciation to Mr. Collins for his legal advice and his work during his time with the county.

Supervisor Gillespie

None.

Mr. Collins expressed his sentiments regarding his employment as County Attorney. He went on to quote Walter Kronick, “A moment for which he has planned but still comes with some sadness”. I am certainly going to miss each and every one of you.

EXECUTIVE/CLOSED MEETING – 8:10pm

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruey, seconded by Supervisor Plaster and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof, the Board enters into an Executive/Closed meeting and invites all persons necessary to conduct business in this session, pursuant to Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711.

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| <p>Executive/Closed Meeting – Pursuant to Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ A(1) Personnel – County Administrator annual evaluation ▶ A(1) Personnel in Legal Department ▶ A(1) Personnel in Operations |
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RETURN/CERTIFICATION/REPORT OF ACTION – 9:32 pm

The Board of Supervisors returned to public session with the meeting called to order by Chairman Gillespie and Supervisor Cruey read the following certification:

**CERTIFICATION OF
EXECUTIVE/CLOSED MEETING
TAZEWELL COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

WHEREAS, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors has convened an executive/closed meeting on this date pursuant to an affirmative vote and in accordance with The Virginia Freedom of Information Act; and

WHEREAS, 2.2-3711 of the Code of Virginia requires a certification by the Board of Supervisors that such executive/closed meeting was conducted in conformity with Virginia law;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby certifies that, to the best of each member's knowledge, (i) that only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements by Virginia law were discussed in the executive/closed meeting to which this certification resolution applies, and (ii) only such public business matters as were identified in the motion convening the closed meeting were heard, discussed or considered by the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors. The Chairman called for a roll call vote with the following votes hereby recorded.

Chairman Gillespie called for a roll call vote on the Certification:

Ayes: Four (5)

Nays: None (0)

Absent: None (0)

Absent during vote: None (0)

Report of Action: Three (3)

ACTION FOLLOWING EXECUTIVE SESSION

Personnel in Operations

Upon motion of Supervisor Presley, seconded by Supervisor Cruvey and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby move to increase the compensation for the Director of Operations and Emergency Management by five percent (5%).

Personnel in legal department

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruvey, seconded by Supervisor Hrovatic and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby move to authorize the County Administrator to contract with outside legal counsel to perform legal services for the county on an as needed basis and appoint Eric Young Interim County Attorney until such time as we may solicit applications, interview and appoint qualified legal counsel to fill the position.

Upon motion of Supervisor Gillespie, seconded by Supervisor Plaster and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby move to increase the compensation for the County Administrator by three percent (3%).

OTHER BUSINESS

None.

ADJOURN

Upon motion of Supervisor Cruvey, seconded by Supervisor Plaster and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0 with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one voting against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby recesses until Tuesday, August 5, 2025 at 4:00 pm.

A copy teste:

Aaron Gillespie, Chairman

WARRANTS August 2025

Payroll

Ordered that ADP direct deposits & warrants totaling \$ 362,668.01 from the General, covering net payroll, for the various County agencies, for the period ending June 30, 2025, be approved.

Ordered that ADP direct deposit & warrants \$514,915.20 from the General Fund, covering net payroll, for the various County agencies, for the period ending July 15, 2025 and 1 ½ % bonus be approved.

Accounts Payable/Payroll Deductions

Ordered that Warrant Nos 507669-507857 and electronic transfers (ACH) totaling \$ 558,336.07 from the General, landfill Enterprise, Capital Outlay, Law Library, and CARES funds covering operating expenses for the various County agencies issued June 25, 2025 be approved.

Ordered that Warrant Nos 507858-507865 and electronic transfers (ACH) totaling \$ 705,083.41 from the General, covering payroll deductions for the various County agencies for the period ending June 30, 2025 be approved.

Ordered that Warrant Nos 507866-507987 and electronic transfers (ACH) totaling \$2,094,304.16 from the General, Landfill Enterprise, Capital Outlay, Law Library, and CARES funds covering operating expenses for the various County agencies issued July 10, 2025 be approved.

Ordered that Warrant Nos. 507988-507995 and electronic transfers (ACH) totaling \$230,835.54 from the General, covering payroll deductions for the various County agencies for the period July 15, 2025, be approved.

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Ordered that Warrant No 802273-802277 totaling \$ 125,503.50 from the General, Landfill Enterprise, Capital Outlay, and Law Library, covering operating expenses for the month of June 2025, be approved.

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PR Deduction	6/30/2025	Accounts Payable	6/25/25
Anthem	297218.55	507858-507865	
Col Life	5413.89	Checks	\$ 449,199.93 507669-507756
		ACH	\$ 85,199.94
YCMA	\$ 3,149.00	EO Run	23936.2 507757-507857
NRS	\$ 3,149.00	extra	
NRS Roth	\$ 3,325.00		\$ 558,336.07
VCU	\$ 2,757.00		
Hyd Disability	\$ 770.59		
VRS	\$ 241,417.50		
ICMA	\$ 10,718.52		
Taxes	\$ 135,873.36		
Garnishments	\$ 1,291.00		\$ 705,083.41

PR Deduction	07/15/25	Accounts Payable	07/10/25
Anthem	\$ 23,927.00	507988-507995	Checks \$ 568,710.57 507866-507987
Col Life	\$ 5,612.05		ACH \$ 1,518,635.74
			ADP \$ 6,460.85
YCMA			Voided \$ 500.00
OL	\$ 3,063.12		Britts run \$ 2,094,307.16
NRS	\$ 3,370.00		
NRS Roth	\$ 380.00		
VCU	\$ 2,757.00		
Hyd Disability	\$ 763.91		
ICMA	\$ 10,763.81		
Taxes	\$ 139,735.19		
Garnishments	\$ 1,303.77		
Bonus PR Taxes	\$ 39,065.84		
Correction Tax	\$ 93.85		\$ 230,835.54

Jun-25	Manual Checks	
802273	\$ 100,000.00	Town of Richlands
802274	\$ 2,000.00	Tannersville Fire
802275	\$ 1,003.50	SWVA Emergency Medical Council
802276	\$ 13,500.00	Chamber
802277	\$ 9,000.00	Communities in School
	\$ 125,503.50	

**Consent Calendar Items
August 5, 2025 Meeting**

Source	Check #	To Acct	Amt	Description
Anonymous		7301-3099	\$20.00	Donation for library
CMCS	248732	31020-1150	\$1,068.42	Reimbursement for overtime for CITAC officers.
Natasha Hunt	5029	73010-1150	\$200.00	Payroll reimbursement
Cecil Gillespie	1098	7301-6012	\$1,000.00	Donation for library
Regina Roberts		7301-3099	\$400.00	Donation for library
VAcorp	662798	31020-8105	\$14,763.00	2019 Ford Explorer VIN 4429 – total loss
VAcorp	664937	31020-6009	\$2,672.66	Luke Deel’s deer accident
VAcorp	664939	31020-6009	\$291.23	James Crigger’s windshield
VAcorp	663078	31020-8105	\$18,883.00	Ins. – Total loss 2020 Ford Explorer; VIN 7942
Care Center	3265	31020-5510	\$102.00	Travel reimbursement – Michelle Conklin
Care Center	3264	31020-5510	\$102.00	Travel reimbursement – Andrew Layne
Freedom Ford	1237	31020-6009	\$2,634.23	Reimbursement for warranty
Dominion Auto	11569	31020-6009	\$1,165.00	Sale of 2011 Chev Traverse
Felicia De Courcy	16186	31020-6010	\$30.00	Donation for police supplies
New People	066999	31020-6010	\$5,400.00	Sponsor – DARE t-shirts
Consolidated Steel	81314	31020-6010	\$500.00	Donation for the Motor Squad

VIRGINIA: AT AN REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF TAZEWELL COUNTY, VIRGINIA HELD AT THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, LOCATED AT 197 MAIN STREET, IN THE TOWN OF TAZEWELL, VIRGINIA, 24651, ON THE 5TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2025, THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED, UPON A MOTION AND SECOND:

Resolution No.: 25-0

Date: August 5, 2025

RESOLUTION FOR HIGHWAY SYSTEM CHANGES RESULTING FROM THE CONSTRUCTION OF VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECT 0602-092-P51, M502, B634 (UPC 13010)

WHEREAS, the Virginia Department of Transportation has constructed Route 602, Pleasant Hill Church Road, on a new alignment under Project 0602-092-P51, M502, B634, and

WHEREAS, the project sketch and VDOT Form(s) AM4.3, attached and incorporated herein as a part of this resolution, define adjustments required in the secondary system of state highways as a result of that construction, and

WHEREAS, the new road serves the same citizens as served by those portions of old road identified on the project sketch and VDOT Form(s) AM4.3 to be abandoned, which portions no longer serve a public need, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, this Board requests the Virginia Department of Transportation to abandon Segment(s) A-F, E-D, and G-H from the secondary system of state highways, pursuant to §33.2-912 of the Code of Virginia, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors requests the Virginia Department of Transportation to add segment(s) A-B, B-C, C-D, C-E, and G-B to the secondary system of state highways, pursuant to §33.2-705 of the Code of Virginia, for which sections the VA Dept. of Transportation has acquired the necessary right of way

and easements for cuts, fills, and drainage; records of which are on file with the Circuit Court Clerk of Tazewell County; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, this Board requests that section(s) H-F be accordingly re-numbered as part of the secondary system of state highways, and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors orders that a certified copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Resident Engineer for the Virginia Department of Transportation.

It is so **RESOLVED** this 5th day of August, 2025.

ATTEST:

Aaron M. Gillespie
Chairman – Board of Supervisors

C. Eric Young
Tazewell County Administrator

RECORDED VOTE:

MEMBERS PRESENT: _____
MEMBERS ABSENT: _____
AYES: _____
NAYS: _____
ABSTENTIONS: _____



COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Form AM 4.3

In Tazewell County

by Resolution of the governing body adopted 6/27/2025

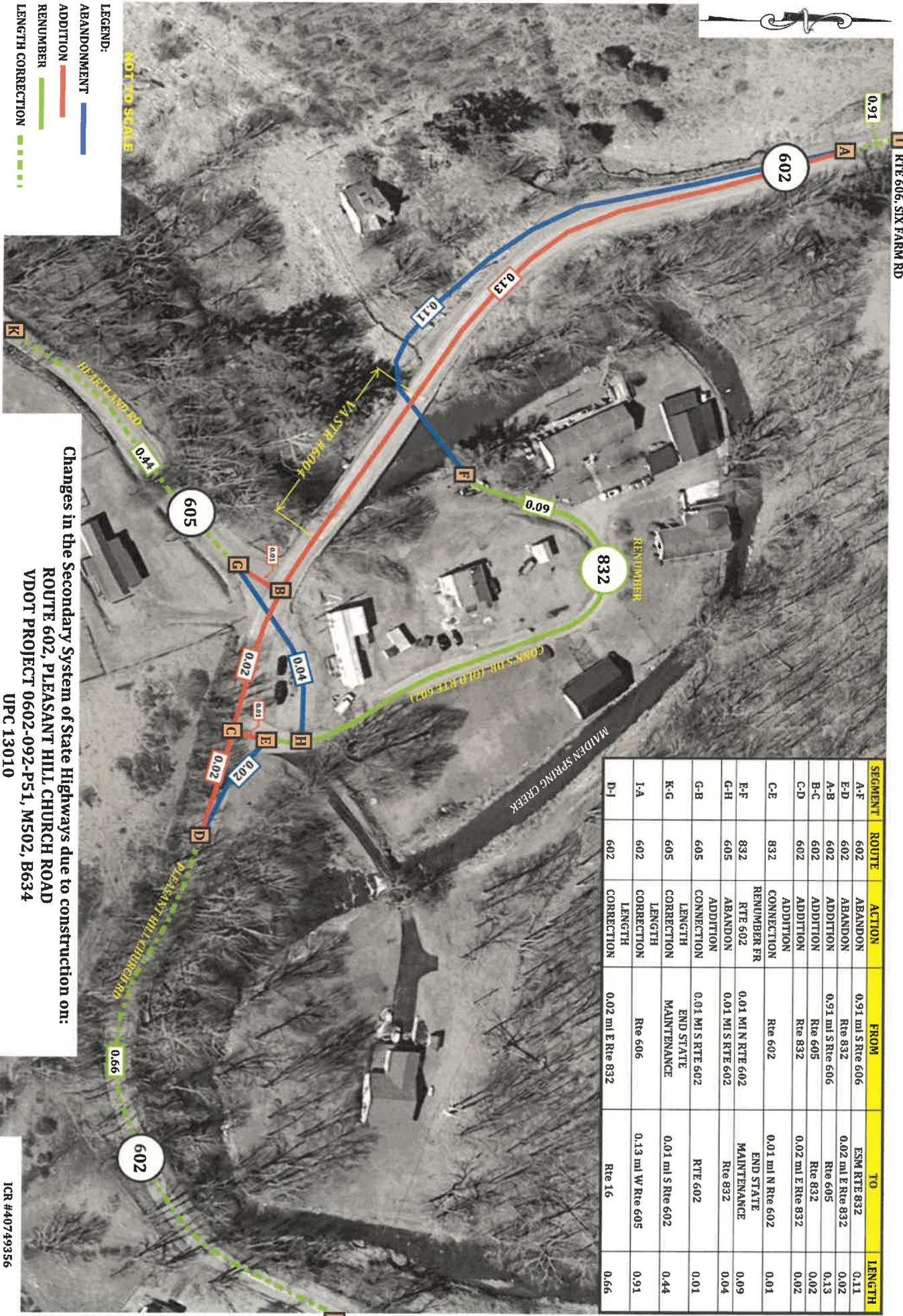
The following VDOT Form AM-4.3 is hereby attached and incorporated as part of the governing body's resolution for changes to the secondary system of state highways.

A Copy Testee Signed (County Official): _____

Report of Changes in the Secondary System of State Highways

Project/Subdivision: 0602-092-P51, M502, B634

CHANGE TYPE	RTE NUM & STREET NAME	CHANGE DESCRIPTION	FROM TERMINI	TO TERMINI	LENGTH	NUMBER OF LANES	RECORDATION REFERENCE	ROW WIDTH
Abandonment	Rt. 602 - PLEASANT HILL CHURCH RD	Project §33.2-912	0.91 MI S RTE 606 [A]	ESM RTE 832 [F]	0.11	2		0
Addition	Rt. 602 - PLEASANT HILL CHURCH RD	VDOT Project §33.2-705	0.91 MI S RTE 606 [A]	RTE 605 [B]	0.13	2	UPC 13010 PROJECT PLANS	40
Length Correction	Rt. 602 - PLEASANT HILL CHURCH RD	Data Adjustment, Project by VDOT §33.2-326	RTE 606 [I]	0.13 MI W RTE 605 [A]	0.91			0
Addition	Rt. 602 - PLEASANT HILL CHURCH RD	VDOT Project §33.2-705	RTE 605 [B]	RTE 832 [C]	0.02	2	UPC 13010 PROJECT PLANS	40
Length Correction	Rt. 602 - PLEASANT HILL CHURCH RD	Data Adjustment, Project by VDOT §33.2-326	0.02 MI E RTE 832 [D]	RTE 16 [J]	0.66			0
Addition	Rt. 602 - PLEASANT HILL CHURCH RD	VDOT Project §33.2-705	RTE 832 [C]	0.02 MI E RTE 832 [D]	0.02	2	UPC 13010 PROJECT PLANS	40
Abandonment	Rt. 602 - PLEASANT HILL CHURCH RD	Project §33.2-912	RTE 832 [E]	0.02 MI E RTE 832 [D]	0.02	2		0
Abandonment	Rt. 605 - HEARTLAND RD	Project §33.2-912	0.01 MI S RTE 602 [G]	RTE 832 [H]	0.04	2		0
Addition	Rt. 605 - HEARTLAND RD	VDOT Project §33.2-705	0.01 MI S RTE 602 [G]	RTE 602 [B]	0.01	2	UPC 13010 PROJECT PLANS	40
Length Correction	Rt. 605 - HEARTLAND RD	Data Adjustment, Project by VDOT §33.2-326	END STATE MAINTENANCE [K]	0.01 MI S RTE 602	0.44			0
Addition	Rt. 832 - CONNS DR	VDOT Project §33.2-705	RTE 602 [C]	0.01 MI N RTE 602 [E]	0.01	2	UPC 13010 PROJECT PLANS	40
Renumber	Rt. 832 - CONNS DR	Route Renumbering Project by VDOT §33.2-326	0.01 MI N RTE 602 [E]	ESM RTE 832 [F]	0.09			0



NOT TO SCALE

- LEGEND:
- ABANDONMENT —
 - ADDITION —
 - RENUMBER —
 - LENGTH CORRECTION - - -

SEGMENT	ROUTE	ACTION	FROM	TO	LENGTH
A-F	602	ABANDON	0.91 mi S Rte 606	ESM RTE 832	0.11
E-D	602	ABANDON	Rte 832	0.02 mi E Rte 832	0.02
A-B	602	ADDITION	0.91 mi S Rte 606	Rte 605	0.13
B-C	602	ADDITION	Rte 605	Rte 832	0.02
C-D	602	ADDITION	Rte 832	0.02 mi E Rte 832	0.02
C-E	832	CONNECTION	Rte 602	0.01 mi N Rte 602	0.01
E-F	832	RENUMBER FR RTE 602	0.01 mi N Rte 602	END STATE MAINTENANCE	0.09
G-H	605	ABANDON	0.01 mi S Rte 602	Rte 832	0.04
G-B	605	ADDITION		RTE 602	
K-G	605	LENGTH CORRECTION	0.01 mi S RTE 602		0.01
		END STATE MAINTENANCE			
I-A	602	LENGTH CORRECTION	Rte 606	0.13 mi W Rte 605	0.91
D-I	602	LENGTH CORRECTION	0.02 mi E Rte 832	Rte 16	0.66

Changes in the Secondary System of State Highways due to construction on:
 ROUTE 602, PLEASANT HILL CHURCH ROAD
 VDOT PROJECT 0602-092-P51, M502, B634
 UPC 13010

ICR #40749356

Grant Application Tazewell County Board of Supervisors



**** Submission of a grant application does not mean that your organization will receive the funding requested. Your request will be presented to the Board for consideration.**

Upon completion, please return to: County Administrator, 197 Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia 24651 (by mail or in person)

Name/Group making request CVCAs Camp Joy Renovation

Mailing address 1379 Camp Joy Road; PO Box 188; North Tazewell, VA 24630

Contact person Liz Lester, Director of Special Projects

Phone 276-988-5583 Email llester@clinchvalleycaa.org

Amount requested \$ 85,000

501(c)3 yes Please provide 501(c)3 number 54-0790271

no

Purpose for which funds will be used purchase of two prebuilt camps and bathrooms built inside of them

Signature Liz Lester Digitally signed by Liz Lester
Date: 2025.06.03 16:39:05 -04'00' Date _____

*** If you are asking for a donation for the rental fee of Nuckolls Hall or the Peery-Fuller Building, you must call the Administration Office to reserve the building.

- Approved Deferred to Budget Committee
 Denied Does not qualify for consideration



CLINCH VALLEY COMMUNITY ACTION'S CAMP JOY SUMMER CAMP
1379 Tazewell Ave, PO Box 188 North Tazewell VA 24630
276-988-5583 (office) 276-988-1441 (fax) www.clinchvalleycaa.org

June 4, 2025

Dear Board of Supervisors,

I am writing to you regarding the pending renovations needed at Camp Joy Summer Camp, which is owned by Clinch Valley Community Action. As you can see, we have been able to do the repairs needed to three buildings completely. We had to demolish three of the five cabins due to conditions. The original caretaker's house is halfway completed. I personally have been making some repairs that I am able to do to help save money. The little bit of private funding that we still have will be able to finish the caretaker's house. The repairs to the two remaining cabins are more than \$250k. It would be more cost-effective to have these demolished and replaced with prebuilt cabins. I do not like to see a part of history be removed, but due to years of neglect before me and the current executive director, it is truly a health and safety hazard to even enter the cabins. The attached are just a few available premade cabins that are available. \$85k is a lot to ask for, but the benefit it will provide to the community is great. My goal is that once all the renovations are completed, a hiking trail can be made of 6 acres of wood to connect to the trail at the Bluestone Industrial Park, and local schools, clubs, churches, businesses, or hospitals will use the camp for their events. The only cost they would need to pay is for the utilities. This way, it is affordable to everyone equally.

Thank you for taking the time to read my request and for considering investing in a great project for the citizens of Tazewell County.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Liz Lester". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Liz Lester

Director of Special Projects

Clinch Valley Community Action

Style: **Lofted Side Porch Cabin by Countryside Barns** www.countrysidebarns.com

Size: **14' x 44'**

Porch Depth: **6'**

Siding: **Vinyl**

Wall Color: **Natural Clay**

Window Frame: **Uninsulated (White)**

Roof: **Metal (Charcoal)**

Sidewall Height: **6' 8.5"**

Base Price	\$30,486.00
3' Exterior 9-Lite Door IS (1 x \$495)	<i>included</i>
3' Exterior 9-Lite Door IS (1 x \$495)	\$495.00
2' x 3' Non-Insulated Window, White (6 x \$95)	\$570.00
2' x 3' Non Insulated Window (Loft), White (1 x \$105)	\$105.00
Black Shutters (set of 2) (6 x \$33)	\$198
Advantech Flooring (for cabins or finished buildings)	\$893.20
Spray Foam Floor Insulation	TBD

Subtotal	\$32,747.20
Tax (no charge)	\$0
Special permits may be required for a 12 ft. or 14 ft. wide building out of state, please call 800-467-4614 for more information.	TBD

Total \$32,747.20





16' x 32' Side Porch Cabin

Home Left Right In Out Interior Undo Reset



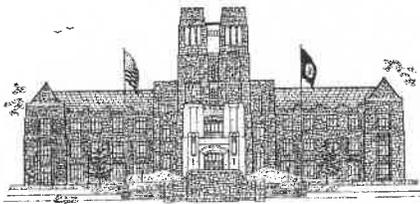
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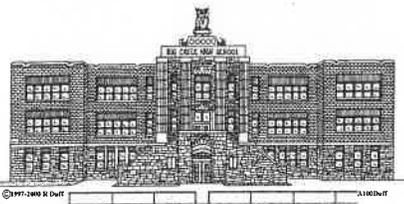
Riverview Elem/Middle School



Virginia Tech - Burruss Hall



Mercer County Courthouse



Big Creek High School



Pen & Ink Rendering of Homes

Personalized Drawings

Artist: Robert E. Duff, Sr.
P.O. Box 273 • Tazewell, VA 24651
e-mail: info@duffcreations.com

THS - RHS
GSHS

Cell: 276/ 970-5901

Printing of: Letterhead / Envelopes / Note Cards / T-shirts / Business cards / School Prints & more

Tazewell BOS
Attn: Susan Jewell
Tazewell, VA 24651

7-1-2025
DATE

Class of 2026 Gifts for Graduates / TBOS Co-Sponsor with Advertising

THS
1) [1] – Listing - 2” x 3”

RHS
2) [1] * Listing – 2” x 3”

GHS
3) [1] * Listing – 2” x 3”

- Thank-You For Your Support! -

Total: \$ 3,866

1) TAZEWELL HS / 2) RICHLANDS HS / 3) GRAHAM HS

HIGH SCHOOLS

Class of 2026

Pen & Ink Matted Personalized Prints / Gifts for Graduates
Adv / Co-Sponsor

Specializing in Detailed Renderings of buildings
Federal ©copyright protection apply to all artwork by Robert E Duff, Sr.

New Website: **DUFFCREATIONS.COM**

“Unique Gifts For Unique People”

National Opioids Settlements: Alvogen, Amneal, Apotex, Hikma, Indivior, Mylan, Sun, Zydus
Opioids Implementation Administrator
opioidsparticipation@rubris.com

Tazewell County, VA
Rubris Reference Number: CL-1767359

**TO LOCAL POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS AND SPECIAL DISTRICTS:
THIS NOTICE CONTAINS IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT NATIONAL OPIOID
SETTLEMENTS.**

SETTLEMENT OVERVIEW

Proposed nationwide settlement agreements (“Settlements”) have been reached that would resolve opioid litigation brought by states, local political subdivisions, and special districts against eight opioids manufacturers, Alvogen, Amneal, Apotex, Hikma, Indivior, Mylan, Sun, and Zydus (the “Manufacturers”). Local political subdivisions and special districts are referred to as “subdivisions.”

The Settlements require the settling Manufacturers to pay hundreds of millions of dollars to abate the opioid epidemic. The Settlements will provide a maximum of approximately \$720 million in cash to participating states and subdivisions to remediate and abate the impacts of the opioid crisis. Depending on participation by states and subdivisions, the Settlements require:

- Alvogen to immediately pay up to approximately \$19 million;
- Amneal to pay up to approximately \$74 million over 10 years, and to provide either approximately \$177 million of its generic version of the drug Narcan or up to an additional approximately \$44 million in cash;
- Apotex to immediately pay up to approximately \$65 million;
- Hikma to immediately pay up to approximately \$98 million, and to provide either approximately \$35 million of its naloxone product or up to an additional approximately \$7 million in cash;
- Indivior to pay up to approximately \$75 million over five years, a portion of which, at the election of the state, could be paid in the form of Indivior’s branded buprenorphine and/or nalmefene products with a value of up to \$140 million.;
- Mylan to pay up to approximately \$290 million over nine years;
- Sun to immediately pay up to approximately \$32 million; and
- Zydus to immediately pay up to approximately \$15 million.

The Settlements also contain injunctive relief governing opioid marketing, sale, distribution, and/or distribution practices and require the Manufacturers to implement safeguards to prevent diversion of prescription opioids.

Each of the proposed settlements has two key participation steps.

First, each eligible state decides whether to participate in each Settlement. A list of participating states for each settlement can be found at <https://nationalopioidsettlement.com/>.

Second, eligible subdivisions within each participating state decide whether to participate in each Settlement. The more subdivisions that participate, the more funds flow to that state and its subdivisions. Any subdivision that does not participate cannot directly share in any of the settlement funds, even if the subdivision’s state is settling and other participating subdivisions are sharing in settlement funds. If the state does not participate in a particular Settlement, the subdivisions in that state are not eligible to participate in that Settlement.

National Opioid Settlement: Purdue Pharma L.P.
Rubris Reference Number: «=rubris_identifier»

***TO LOCAL POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS:
THIS NOTICE CONTAINS IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT A NEW
NATIONAL OPIOID SETTLEMENT.***

PURDUE PHARMA L.P. & SACKLER FAMILY SETTLEMENT OVERVIEW

A proposed nationwide settlement agreement has been reached with Purdue (and certain of its affiliates) and the Sackler family concerning alleged misconduct related to opioids.

The proposed settlement is being implemented in connection with Purdue's bankruptcy proceedings, and consists of, among other things, a settlement of Purdue's claims against the Sacklers and certain other parties (referred to as the "Estate Settlement"), and a settlement of direct claims against the Sacklers held by States, local governments and other creditors (the "Direct Settlement", and together with the Estate Settlement, the "Settlement"). The Settlement contemplates that the Sacklers will be paying an aggregate of \$6.5 billion in 16 payments over 15 years, including \$1.5 billion on the settlement's Effective Date (expected to be in 2026), though some amounts are subject to discounted prepayments. These amounts are in addition to amounts available from the Purdue estate including amounts available on the Effective Date (expected to be around \$900 million) and amounts that may be paid in the future.

The Settlement also contains injunctive relief governing opioid dispensing practices and requires the successor-in-interest of Purdue Pharma L.P. to implement safeguards to prevent diversion of prescription opioids, and also restrict certain Sacklers from directly or indirectly engaging in the manufacturing or sale of opioids, as detailed in the Settlement.

The proposed settlement has two key participation steps now that **all eligible states and territories elected to participate in the Direct Settlement.**

First, eligible subdivisions within each participating state decide whether to participate in the Direct Settlement. The Direct Settlement is documented in the Governmental Entity and Shareholder Direct Settlement Agreement, which is commonly referred to as the "GESA". The more subdivisions that participate, the more funds flow to that state and its subdivisions. Any subdivision that does not participate cannot directly share in any of the Direct Settlement funds, even if the subdivision's state is settling and other participating subdivisions are sharing in settlement funds.

YOU MUST PARTICIPATE IN THE DIRECT SETTLEMENT BY RETURNING YOUR PARTICIPATION FORM IN ORDER TO RECEIVE THE BENEFITS OF THE SETTLEMENT.

Second, concurrently with the solicitation of eligible subdivisions to participate in the Direct Settlement, votes will be solicited for approval of Purdue Pharma L.P.'s bankruptcy plan, which plan will provide distributions in respect of the Estate Settlement. **NOT ALL SUBDIVISIONS ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SETTLEMENT WILL RECEIVE PACKAGES TO VOTE ON THE PLAN.**

Please note that this is NOT a solicitation or a request for subdivisions to submit votes on the Purdue bankruptcy plan. This settlement package only pertains to a decision to participate in the Direct Settlement with the Sacklers.

TAZEWELL COUNTY, VIRGINIA

**A RESOLUTION OF TAZEWELL COUNTY ADOPTING THE CUMBERLAND PLATEAU
PLANNING DISTRICT COMMISSION 2025 HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE**

WHEREAS the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property within Tazewell County; and

WHEREAS Tazewell County has prepared a multi-hazard mitigation plan, hereby known as the Cumberland Plateau Planning District Commission 2025 Hazard Mitigation Plan Update in accordance with federal laws, including the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended; the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, as amended; and the National Dam Safety Program Act, as amended; and

WHEREAS the Cumberland Plateau Planning District Commission 2025 Hazard Mitigation Plan Update identifies mitigation goals and actions to reduce or eliminate long-term risk to people and property in Tazewell County from the impacts of future hazards and disasters; and

WHEREAS adoption by the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors demonstrates its commitment to hazard mitigation and achieving the goals outlined in the Cumberland Plateau Planning District Commission 2025 Hazard Mitigation Plan Update.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TAZEWELL COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, THAT:

In accordance with The Code of Virginia, § 15.2-1425, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors adopts the Cumberland Plateau Planning District Commission 2025 Hazard Mitigation Plan Update.

While content related to Tazewell County may require revisions to meet the plan approval requirements, changes occurring after adoption will not require Tazewell County to re-adopt any further iterations of the plan.

Subsequent plan updates following the approval period for this plan will require separate adoption resolutions.

ADOPTED by a vote of ____ in favor and ____ against, and ____ abstaining, this ____ day of ____, 2025.

By: _____ (print name)

ATTEST: By: _____ (print name)

APPROVED AS TO FORM: By: _____ (print name)

Grant Application Tazewell County Board of Supervisors



**** Submission of a grant application does not mean that your organization will receive the funding requested. Your request will be presented to the Board for consideration.**

Upon completion, please return to: County Administrator, 197 Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia 24651 (by mail or in person)

Name/Group making request THS Band Boosters

Mailing address 626 Oriole Street, Bluefield, VA 24605

Contact person Heather Davis Booster President

Phone 276-970-4447 Email hdbrady08@gmail.com

Amount requested \$ 1000

501(c)3 yes Please provide 501(c)3 number _____

no

Purpose for which funds will be used instrument repairs & travel expenses for 80 kids

Signature Heather B Davis Date 7/8/25

*** If you are asking for a donation for the rental fee of Nuckolls Hall or the Peery-Fuller Building, you must call the Administration Office to reserve the building.

Approved

Deferred to Budget Committee

Denied

Does not qualify for consideration



Tazewell High School Band Boosters

c/o Suzanne Hutchison
626 Oriole St. – Bluefield, VA 24605
President Heather Davis 276-970-4447

June 30, 2025

Tazewell County Board of Supervisors
197 Main Street
Tazewell, VA 24651

RE: Tazewell Band Booster Donation

Dear Mr. Gillespie:

The Tazewell High School Marching Band is working diligently to raise funds for the upcoming band season. We are working to enhance the theme of our show featuring the music of “Queen” and need your help moving forward.

With the anticipated costs of meals for 80 kids, band camp, travel, band props, and uniforms, we are looking for community members to help us have a successful season. Any donation amount will help us to provide for our kids.

Should you have any questions feel free to contact me.

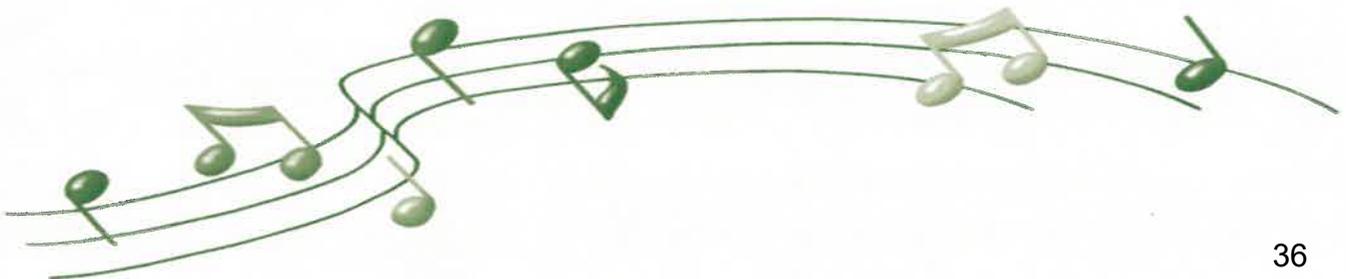
Your consideration is greatly appreciated.

Thank you,

Heather Davis

Band Booster President

C: Band Booster File





Tazewell Youth Football League

To Whom It May Concern:

I hope this letter finds you in good health and spirits. I am writing to you on behalf of the Tazewell Youth Football League. This non-profit organization strives to provide opportunities and resources for our youth to participate in football in our community.

We are looking for sponsors to help us with donations for helmets, shoulder pads, and water for practices and games. We have tried to build up our equipment for the added number of children we have been getting the past couple of years, and we are still running a little short. This year we have gained enough children to have 2 Smurf and 2 Peewee teams from Tazewell. We also provide water for all practices and games for all our children. We must keep the children hydrated in this heat.

Please take a moment to review our sponsorship request and see if it fits your business and budget. Please reach out to our secretary, Carolyn Moore, if you have any questions.

Carolyn.shantae08@gmail.com

Sincerely,

Shea Moore, President

276-245-9205

Grant Application Tazewell County Board of Supervisors



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Upon completion, please return to: County Administrator, 197 Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia 24651 (by mail or in person)

Name/Group making request TRIAD

Mailing address P.O. Box 871 Tazewell Va. 24651

Contact person Melissa Hankins

Phone 970 - 3944 Email mspurgen@tazewellva.com

Amount requested \$ 500.00

501(c)3 yes Please provide 501(c)3 number _____

no

Purpose for which funds will be used Senior Safety Day 10/15/25

Signature Melissa Hankins Date 7/1/25

*** If you are asking for a donation for the rental fee of Nuckolls Hall or the Peery-Fuller Building, you must call the Administration Office to reserve the building.

Approved

Deferred to Budget Committee

Denied

Does not qualify for consideration

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The Hugh I. Shott, Jr. Foundation, Inc.

622 Commerce St.
Bluefield, WV 24701

July 11, 2025

Tazewell County Board of Supervisors
197 Main St.
Tazewell, VA 24651
Attn: C. Eric Young

RE: Grant Application

Dear Mr. Young,

As you are aware, your Board's grant application for \$800,000 for the purpose of constructing a Springville Fire Station in Bluestone Business Park was previously considered and tabled during the October, 2024 meeting of the Board of Directors of the Hugh I. Shott, Jr., Foundation, Inc. Since that time the application has been revisited during each of the following meetings of the Foundation's Board, with no action being taken.

The Foundation's mission is focused on promoting the best interests of the entire seven county area it is directed to serve. As you are also aware, the Board has expressed concerns over the apparent lack of agreement among the various Tazewell County governmental entities over the prioritization and allocation of the limited financial resources available to the County. Further, some of those involved in making those decisions seem to be reluctant to consider the overall best interests of the entire area.

During the Foundation's recent June meeting, your application was again considered. Because the application has been pending on our agenda for an extended period and it appeared to our Board that no significant progress toward the resolution of that situation has been made, it was decided to deny the request at this time and remove it from our agenda.

Sincerely,



John H. Shott,
President

JHS/js

APPALACHIAN AGENCY FOR SENIOR CITIZENS

(Two (2) Year Term)

Ginger Branton

07-01-2024 **06-30-2026**

Work: 1413 Front Street

Richlands, VA 24641

963-3385 (Work)

Home: P.O. Box 436

Richlands, VA 24641

276-245-7559

cart@roadrunner.com

Ralph Mullins

07-01-2024 **06-30-2026**

161 Valley Drive

Richlands, VA 24641

276-963-0338

CUMBERLAND PLATEAU REGIONAL HOUSING AUTHORITY

(Four (4) Year Term)

Ms. Ramona Simmons

07-01-2022 06-30-2026

127 Dirt Digger Road
Pounding Mill, VA 24637
971-1078
964-6507

(Filled Eli Jones expiring term – effective 08-31-2014)
(Reappointed 08-07-2018)

MEETING DATE AND LOCATION: Meets on the first Thursday of each month at 5:00 p.m. at the Fox-Meadows Housing Project in Lebanon.

AMOUNT OF PAY: None

The Housing Authority is committed to excellence in providing decent, safe and affordable housing in communities and ensuring equal opportunity in housing for everyone

TAZEWELL COUNTY FIRE-RESCUE, INC. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

(Two (2) Year Term)

Jim Talbert, CVN/RNP
PO Box 818
Richlands, VA 24641
(reappointed 6-4-2019)

07-01-2024 06-30-2026

Michael Hymes
PO Box 7
Tazewell, VA 24651
(fills expiring term of Kathern Dowdy)

07-01-2019 06-30-2023

Frederick W. Harman
201 East Main Street
PO Box 523
Tazewell, Virginia 24651
988-5547
(reappointed 6/2/20 for 2 yr. term)

07-01-2020 06-30-2023

LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

(Four (4) Year Term)

Karel Ann Ryan 01-01-2022 12-31-2025
PO Box 299
Tazewell, VA 24651
karelhamilton@gmail.com
(fills expired term of Peggy Riley, effective Jan. 31, 2018)

Connie Bailey 01-01-2024 12-31-2027
2268 Virginia Avenue
Bluefield, VA 24605
276-326-1484
caprines@comcast.net
(filled unexpired term of Laura Blevins who resigned)

Courtney Jennelle 01-01-2022 12-31-2025
PO Box 662
Raven, VA 24639
276-298-9943
courtneywyatt@live.com
(filled vacancy – Ginger Branton’s resignation)

Patsy Murphy 01-01-2024 12-31-2027
1805 Lee Avenue
Bluefield, VA 24605
(fills unexpired term of Stephanie Carr)

Regina Roberts 01-01-2024 12-31-2027
261 Cove Road
Tazewell, VA 24651
Reginaroberts89@icloud.com

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (IDA)

(Four (4) Year Term)

Darell Cantrell
219 E. Hillcrest
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609
cdarell@gmail.com
276-971-7037
(filled unexpired term of Marco Warner)

07-01-2021 06-30-2029

Kyle Hurt
349 Brandon Drive
Bluefield, VA 24605
276- 322-4695
kyleh@mefcor.com
(Oath taken 06-28-2017)
(Oath taken 07/14/2021)

07-01-2021 06-30-2029

Melanie Protti-Lawrence
302 Marcus Drive
Bluefield, VA 24605
276-245-5515
melaniepl@biweb.com
(Fills the expired term of James Curtis Gillespie)
(Oath taken 7-18-2019)

07-01-2023 06-30-2027

Darrell Addison
502 Lakepark Drive
Richlands, VA 24641
276-964-4195
(Appt. 8-3-10)
(Oath taken 07-18-2019)
darrell24641@hotmail.com

07-01-2022 **06-30-2026**

Mack Payne
1565 Fincastle Tpke.
Tazewell, VA 24651
276-971-3119
roger237@verizon.net
(Fills the expired term and resignation of Monte Rife)
(Oath taken 07-02-2019)

07-01-2023 06-30-2027

Curtis W. Breeding
PO Box 494
Richlands, VA 24641
276-971-7416
(Reappointed 06-02-20)
(Oath taken 07-15-2019)
curtisbreeding50@yahoo.com

07-01-2024 06-30-2028

Rich Chitwood
148 Dallas Road
N. Tazewell, VA 24630
[276-971-3898](tel:276-971-3898)
(filled unexpired term of Suzanne Brinegar)

07-01-2024 06-30-2028

LIAISON - FARM BUREAU REPRESENTATIVE

Rick Snapp
7976 Burkes Garden Road
Tazewell, VA 24651
276-970-1136
Snappdairy04@gmail.com

(Appointed 4-3-2018)

The Liaison Member is a non-voting, non-paid member and serves at the will and pleasure of the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors.

TAZEWELL COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION

BOARD OF SUPERVISOR - REPRESENTATIVE

Chuck Presley 01-01-2024 12-31-2027
40 College Drive
Bluefield, VA 24605
540-558-8341

SOUTHERN

Robert "Bob" Moss 07-01-2022 06-30-2026
3777 Hogback Road (Liberty)
Tazewell, Virginia 24651
(Home) 276-988-9050
Robmoss58@yahoo.com
(Replaced Bill Gillespie whose term expired 06-30-2014)

NORTHERN

Ann Robinson, Chair 07-01-2021 06-30-2025
PO Box 11
Fall Mills, Virginia 24613
(Work) 276-322-4900
annmrobinson@comcast.net

EASTERN

Anthony Ramella 01-01-2023 12-31-2026
1402 Triangle Road
Bluefield, VA 24605

WESTERN

Jason Herndon 07-01-2023 06-30-2027
PO Box 653
Richlands, VA 24641
Cell: 276-971-5057
jason@mcclureconcrete.com
(Reappointed 6-4-2019)

NORTHWESTERN

Lance Wimmer 07-01-2023 06-30-2027
222 Tatum Road
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609
276-210-7873

AGRICULTURE/FARMING REPRESENTATIVE

Hayden Lyons

01-01-2023 12-31-2026

PO Box 45

Pounding Mill, VA 24637

Representative Agriculture/Farming

(filled Charlie Hart's resignation 1/2023)

TAZEWELL COUNTY STAFF

Director of Engineering

Kenneth Dunford, Jr.

173 Main Street

Tazewell, Virginia 24651

276-385-1254

MEETING DATE AND LOCATION: Meets on the second Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. in the County Administration Building, 197 Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia 24651

AMOUNT OF PAY: \$50.00 per month (Except County staff)

****Real Estate Holdings -Required****

Pursuant to VA Code Section 15.2 -2200 to 2210 - To improve the public health, safety, convenience and welfare of County citizens and to plan for the future development of communities.

TAZEWELL COUNTY
TOURISM DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE
(Established 12-16-2003)

(Two (2) Year Term)

SOUTHERN

Susan Reeves 728 Fincastle Tnpke Tazewell, VA 24651 276-970-1780	07-01-2024	06-30-2026
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Beth Takach 279 Richardson Drive Tazewell, VA 24651 (Filled the expired term of Tammy Allison) (Reappointed on 06-03-2025)	07-01-2023	06-30-2027
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EASTERN

Lee Riffe 215 Hockman Pike Bluefield, VA 24605 304-320-9746 leer17@verizon.net (replaced the expired term of Michael A. Brown)	07-01-2022	06-30-2024
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David Comer 1046 Virginia Ave. Bluefield, VA 24605 276-245-6065	07-01-2024	06-30-2026
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NORTHERN

Dedra Cox 263 Mission Church Road Bluefield, VA 24605 304-320-4353 dedracox38@yahoo.com (Appointed on 08-03-2021) (Fills the expired term of Roger Scarberry)	07-01-2023	06-30-2025
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Warren Hinkle
4432 Baptist Valley Rd.
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609
warrenhinkletcfp@gmail.com

07-01-2024 06-30-2026

WESTERN

Larhonda Lindsey
2037 Cedar Valley Drive
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609
276-964-3005
(Replaced the expired term of Sarah Romeo)

07-01-2025 06-30-2027

Brad Ratliff
1053 Cedar Valley Drive
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609
276-522-
Email: brad@ratlifflaw.net

07-01-2024 06-30-2026

NORTHWESTERN

Rick Wood
226 Floyd Ave
Richlands, VA 24641
(Logan Plaster - resigned)
(Reappointed on 06-03-2025)

07-01-2023 06-30-2027

Keshia Cole
118 Coleman Lane
Tazewell, VA 24651
276-971-5338

07-01-2024 06-30-2026

TAZEWELL COUNTY ROAD VIEWERS

(One (1) Year Term)

SOUTHERN

Russell Stowers 07-01-2023 06-30-2025
6949 Clearfork Road
Bastian, VA 24314

NORTHERN

Scott Rasnick 07-01-2024 06-30-2025
1498 Mundy Town Road
North Tazewell, VA 24630
(Cell) 276-385-085-0853
(Home) 276-979-1907
(Replaced expired term of Ray Howell)

EASTERN

Curtis Gillespie 07-01-2023 06-30-2025
2013 Kimball Avenue
Bluefield, VA 24605
(Replaced Steve Slade who term expired)
(Appointed 09-03-2019)

WESTERN

Clyde Sparks 07-01-2023 06-30-2025
3850 Indian Creek Road
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609

NORTHWESTERN

Jim Reynolds 07-01-2023 06-30-2025
431 Daw Road
Raven, Virginia 24639
276-245-6500

Advisors to the Road Viewers:

VDOT Representative
Tazewell County Engineer

Members must be sworn in by the Clerk of the Court
Pursuant to Code of Virginia Section 33.1-230
The Board of Supervisors may appoint five (5) members who shall be resident freeholders of the
County