

July 10, 2018
Special Session
Bonifay, Florida

The Holmes County Board of Commissioners met in a Special Session on the above date with the following members present: Commissioner Mickey Locke, Commissioner Clint Erickson, Commissioner Bobby Sasnett, Commissioner Phillip Music and Commissioner Danny Powell, Chairman of the Board.

Joey Marsh, County Coordinator and Brandon Young, County Attorney, were present.

Angie Purvee, Deputy Clerk, was present and kept the minutes.

Chairman Powell called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m. He led the prayer and pledge.

Chrissy Howell and Calvin Wilkinson discussed complaints about their garbage service and requested that the Board enforce more stringent regulations on the local companies.

Brandon Young, County Attorney, advised that the Board must determine if they want to continue offering non-exclusive franchise agreements to the local garbage companies or contract exclusively with one company for the County's garbage service. He also asked for direction in imposing stricter regulations in the agreements.

Discussion regarding this matter included the following:

- Ability to contact local companies
- Responsibility of enforcing regulations
- Methods used to send bills and late notices to customers
- Vehicles and equipment used for garbage service
- Properly disposing of garbage collected
- Garbage falling out onto roadsides
- Length of contract for garbage services

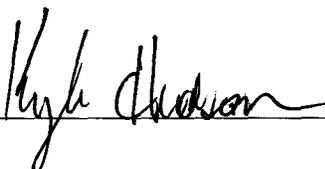
The following citizens discussed this matter:

- Dottie Clark
- Coy Mixon, Northwest Sanitation
- Mike Ard, A & A Disposal

The Board agreed by consensus to continue offering non-exclusive franchise agreements to the local garbage companies and directed the County Attorney to draft an agreement to include the following items:

- Monthly bills to be mailed upon request
- Trucks are to be clearly marked with company's name and contact information
- Companies must have a regular pick-up schedule
- Companies are to file their waste disposal tickets with the County
- Companies must be fully insured
- Contract will list penalties if regulations are violated
- Contract will be for five years with a yearly fee

There being no further business at this time the meeting was adjourned at 8:57 a.m.



Clerk



Chairman