



LUMPKIN COUNTY
Board of Commissioners
Public Hearing Minutes
Commissioners Boardroom
99 Courthouse Hill
Dahlonega, GA 30533

February 19, 2026
4:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 4:00 pm. Present were Vice Chairman Jeff Moran and Commissioners Tucker Greene, Bobby Mayfield, and Rhett Stringer.

CONSIDERATION OF AGENDA

PUBLIC COMMENT

1. Public Comment on proposed revisions to Sec. 26-225. – Nonresidential driveway and right-of-way encroachment requirements, and Sec. 26-226. – General requirements for road construction.

Citizen Steve Sylvester said he is part of a group called Preserving Lumpkin. He and some other citizens were under the impression that the County was going to do a large-scale evaluation of the existing ordinances instead of updating them on a piecemeal basis. The Ordinance Review Committee was quashed at the recent BOC Retreat, said Mr. Sylvester. Why is this change suddenly a top priority, he asked? He also said that the County should publicize these changes in layman's terms so it is easier for citizens to understand what exactly is being changed. Mr. Sylvester requested that the BOC table this motion and reestablish the Ordinance Review Committee, and then we can all get together at a later date to figure out these changes.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 4:05 pm.

Date

Jeff Moran, Vice Chairman
Lumpkin County Board of Commissioners

Attest:

Melissa Witcher
Clerk, Lumpkin County