

**MINUTES OF BUNCOMBE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS'
SPECIAL MEETING OF OCTOBER 1, 2019 AT 4:30 P.M.**

BE IT REMEMBERED: That the Board of Commissioners met in special session on October 1, 2019, in the Commission Chambers, 200 College Street, Room 326 in downtown Asheville, North Carolina at 4:30 p.m. where and when the following business was transacted:

The Chairman called the meeting to order with the following members present:

Brownie Newman, Chairman
Jasmine Beach-Ferrara, Vice Chair
Joe Belcher, Commissioner
Amanda Edwards, Commissioner
Mike Fryar, Commissioner
Robert Pressley, Commissioner
Al Whitesides, Commissioner

Staff present: Avril Pinder, County Manager; Sybil Tate, Assistant County Manager; Dakisha Wesley, Assistant County Manager; Lamar Joyner, Clerk to the Board; Michael Frue, Senior Staff Attorney; Heather Hockaday, Attorney; Larry McDevitt, Attorney; Ron Payne, Attorney

The Chairman asked for a motion to go into closed session pursuant to NCGS 143-318.11(a) (3) to hear a legal matter and to hear the legal matter for the County of Buncombe vs. Wanda Skillington Greene, Amanda Louise Stone, Jon Creighton and Joe Wiseman as recorded in Buncombe County Superior Court File #: 18 CVS 4206. Commissioner Whitesides made the motion and Commissioner Pressley seconded. The motion passed 7-0.

CLOSED SESSION

The Board heard the legal update and had discussion regarding the previous mentioned legal matters. No action was taken.

Commissioner Belcher moved to go back into open session. Commissioner Pressley seconded and the motion passed 7-0.

Commissioner Edwards made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:56 p.m. Commissioner Belcher seconded and the motion passed 7-0.

LAMAR JOYNER, CLERK
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

BROWNIE NEWMAN, CHAIRMAN
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