**BOARD OF TAX ASSESSORS** 

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Wayne Waldron, Chief Appraiser

## **Brooks County Board of Tax Assessors**

610 South Highland Road, Quitman, GA 31643

## Regular Scheduled Meeting of the Brooks County Board of Assessors

Date: October 9, 2024

Time: 5:15 p.m.

Location: Brooks County Commissioners Meeting Room

### Agenda

## **Regular Meeting**

- I. Call to Order/Invocation
- II. Approval of Minutes from Previous Meetings
  - 1) Regular Meeting held September 11, 2024
- III. Approval of Proposed Agenda
- IV. Appearances / Requests (10 Minutes)
  - 2) None
- V. Staff Reports and Recommendation
  - 3) Errors/adjustments
  - 4) Parcel combinations
  - 5) Intent to terminate letters
  - 6) Chief Appraiser's report/comments
- VI. Unfinished Business
- VII. New Business
  - 7) Consolidating fictitious parcels
- VIII. Assessors Comments
- IX. Executive Session
- X. Adjournment

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Prepared by: Wayne Waldron

# Brooks County Board of Tax Assessors Meeting Minutes

October 9, 2024

## Scheduled Monthly Meeting

## I. Call to Order

Mr. DeShazior called to order the regular meeting of the Brooks County Board of Tax Assessors at 5:15 p.m. on October 9, 2024 with all members present. Wayne Waldron, Chief Appraiser and Mica Jarvis, Secretary were also in attendance. Mr. DeShazior gave the invocation.

## II. Approval of Minutes from Previous Meetings

Assessors reviewed minutes from the regular meeting held on September 11, 2024.
 After review, Mr. Bentley made a motion to approve the minutes as printed. Mr.
 Manning seconded. All members in favor. Motion carried.

## III. Approval of Proposed Agenda

Assessors reviewed the proposed agenda for the current meeting. After review, Mr. Manning made a motion to approve the proposed agenda as printed. Mr. Bentley seconded. All members in favor. Motion carried.

## IV. Appearances/Taxpayer Requests

2) None

## V. Staff Reports and Recommendations

- Assessors reviewed errors/adjustments (see attached). After review, errors/adjustments were approved as attached.
- 4) Assessors reviewed parcel combination requests (see attached). After review, parcel combinations were approved as attached.

I certify that these minutes are a true and accurate record of the Brooks County Board of Tax Assessors meeting held on 9/11/2024 at 5:15 pm. Signed Chair/Vice-Chair and Secretary. Date: 11/13/2U

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- Assessors reviewed a sample letter and a listing of property owners in agricultural covenants that will receive Intent to Terminate letters (see attached). After review, the Board approved the mailing of Intent to Terminate Letters to property owners as listed.
- 6) Chief Appraiser's Report/Comments (see attached)

Assessors reviewed a proposed policy regarding office closures (see attached). After review, Mr. Manning made a motion to adopt the new policy. Mr. Bentley seconded. All members in favor. Motion carried.

## VI. Unfinished Business

## VII. New Business

7) Mr. Waldron presented the Board with a list of all parcels in tax district 98 (see attached) and proposed moving the value held in tax district 98 back to the corresponding parcel in tax district 99 for Appraisal Year 2025. The change will have no effect on the total value of the parcels, existing covenants, the tax rates applied to the parcels, or the tax maps. Mr. Waldron also supplied the Board with sample letters to be mailed to all affected owners explaining the proposed change. After discussion, Mr. Bentley made a motion to authorize the mailing of letters notifying the affected owners of the proposed change. Mr. Manning seconded. All members in favor. Motion carried.

## VIII. Assessors Comments

IX. Executive Session

## X. Adjournment

There being no further business, Mr. Manning made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:02 p.m. Mr. Bentley seconded. All members in favor. Motion carried.

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# **ACO Summary Batch**

Batch			0CT2 4						Assessment	ment
Owner Account Number	Account #	Account Type	Dig Year	Owner Name	C #	ACOKEY	Property	ΤD	Original	Revised
49493	0	Pers	2023	2023 SEARS, SUE	OCT24	3233	3233 139AA 0004	99	6,164	0
DELETE 2023 PREBILL. MH MOVED OUT OF COUNTY IN 2022.	BILL. MH MOVED (	OUT OF COUNT	Y IN 2022							
49493	0	0 Pers	2024	2024 SEARS, SUE	OCT24	3234	3234 139AA 0004	99	5,820	0
DELETE 2023 PREBILL. MH MOVED OUT OF COUNTY IN 2022.	BILL. MH MOVED (	OUT OF COUNT	Y IN 2022							
53647	933518 Pers	Pers	2024	2024 WILLIAMS SCOTSMAN, INC	OCT24	3235		02	0	4,029
CREATE BILL FOR 2024	2024									
53647	933519 Pers	Pers	2024	2024 WILLIAMS SCOTSMAN, INC	ОСТ24	3236		05	0	7,302
CREATE 2024 BILL										
			4	4 Records included in report					11,984	11,331

Chairman, County Board of Assessor

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**Meeting Date:** 

Wednesday, October 9, 2024

Parcel Combinations: AY2025

<u>Owner</u>	2025 PIN	Previous PINs/	Total Acres	Comments
FOREMAN. REBECCA	Q19 0032B	Q19 0032B	1	L00X150
		Q19 0032A	5	50X200
			0.57	

We the undersigned members of the Brooks County Board of Tax Assessors do hereby approve the above listed actions.

Brewer Bentley

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Meeting Date: Wednesday, October 9, 2024

## Notice of Intent to Terminate a Conservation Use Covenant 30-Day notice to be mailed 10/10/2024

Real Key	Parc Num		Owner	Deed Book - Page	Covenant - Year	Acres	Es	st. Penalty	Tax District
225	010	0005	WATKINS, HOWELL L II	785-685	2018	178.00	\$	-	02
226	010	0006	WATKINS, HOWELL L II	734-267	2015	72.60	\$	_	02
9768	010	0007	WATKINS, HOWELL L II	735 033	2015	190.06	\$	-	02
347	018	0020	WHITE, CARL W & CAROLYN C	867-161	2024	38.20	\$	-	02
357	018	0028A	WHITE, CARL W & CAROLYN C	867-163	2024	100.15	\$	-	02
1279	039	0004	WHITE, CARL W & CAROLYN C	870-190	2024	84.00	\$	_	02
1281	039	0006	WHITE, CARL W & CAROLYN C	825-652	2021	54.00	\$	-	02
590	022	0027	THOMAS, WILLIE MACK JR	776-009	2017	93.50	\$	-	02
8398	022 (	00292	THOMAS, WILLIE MACK JR	776-013	2017	21.30	\$	=	02
1173	037 (	0021	HICKS, IRA JR & ANNIE S	815-400	2020	29.72	\$	-	02
3904	129 (	0001	COLLINS, CHARLOTTE K	734-345	2015	113.40	\$	-	02
3972	134 (	0019	LINDSAY, HUBERT R	837-137	2022	175.14	\$	-	99
8439	048 (	0027A	MCLANE, JANE B	814-157	2020	100.05	\$	-	02

**Brewer Bentley** 

Melvin Deshazior

Ralph Manning

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10/9/2024 Chief Appraiser report

## **Budget/County Admin Update**

The Board appointment for the term beginning January 1, 2025 was advertised in the Free Press (attached). The Commissioners met 10/7/2024 and re-appointed Brewer Bentley for another 3 years.

## **BOE-Appeals**

Have had conversation with the appeal administrator, she is considering reaching out to Thomas County BOE to hear our appeals. One alternate missed training and the other resigned, we still only have two current members.

## **Training**

Mica and I attended the annual WinGAP conference in Svannah last week. There are still no personal property classes scheduled. New policy recommendation regarding office closures (attached).

## **Upcoming**

Prior to November 1, we will mail expiration letters for all 2015 Conservation Use and Preferential Assessment Covenants, as well as the 2010 FLPA covenants. At the same time, we will also be sending 'possible' breach letters. All letters will include an insert with information about what is required with the application, pursuant to policy 7.11 adopted last month.

	Original Covenant Year	Number Expiring	
Conservation Use	2015	213	
Preferential Assessment	2015	1	
FLPA	2010	6	
Total:			220
Potential Breach of Covenant Letters		49	

Wayne Waldron Chief Appraiser **1.17** (Adopted 10/09/2024) It is the policy of the Brooks County Board of Tax Assessors to follow the office closure procedures of the County Administrative offices regarding inclement weather or other unscheduled closures.

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<u>Owner</u>	2025 PIN 2025 Tax District	Previous PINs/ Previous District	<u>Total Acres</u>	Comments
BLAINE CIRCLE, LLC	123 0011	123 0011/99	200	
DEANVE CINCLE, LLC	TAX DISTRICT: 99	123FDS0011/98	42.99	NO COVENANT
	TAX DISTRICT: 55	1231 030011/30	242.99	710 001217/111
CHRISTIE, JENNETTA	121 0011	121 0011/99	200	
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	121FDS0011/98	98.83	SAME CUVA 2020
		·	298.83	
COON CREEK FARMS, LLC	134 0003	134 0003/99	200	
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	134FDS0003/98	43.74	SAME CUVA 2017
			243.74	
DAVIS, KIMBERLY T ETAL	140 0004	140 0004/99	200	
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	140FDS0004/98	142.66	SAME CUVA 2019
			342.66	
JLH LAND COMPANY	140 00052A	140 00052A/99	200.00	
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	140FDS00052A/98	481.97	SAME FLPA 2024
			681.97	
KUNTZ CO., LLC	122 0002B	122 0002B/99	200.00	
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	122FDS0002B/98	24.65	SAME CUVA 2016
		122OFD0002B/02	138.00	
			362.65	
LANGDALE CAPITAL ASSETS, INC	140 00052	140 00052/99	200.00	
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	140FDS00052/98	1,504.00	SAME FLPA 2024
			1,704.00	
LANGDALE CAPITAL ASSETS, INC	135 0026	135 0026/99	200.00	
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	135FDS0026/98	87.00	SAME FLPA 2011
			287.00	***************************************
LANGDALE TIMBER HOLDINGS, LL		134 0024/99	200.00	0.1.15 51.51.665
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	134FDS0024/98	206.78	SAME FLPA 2024
		101 0001 (00	406.78	
OWENS, KATHERINE	121 0021	121 0021/99	44.61	
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	1210FD0021/02	p	SAME CUVA 2018
	420 0000	420, 0000/00	177.61	
RIVERBOTTOM FAMILY FARM, LLC		120 0009/99	200.00 191.68	SAME CUVA 2016
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	120FDS0009/98	180.00	SAIVIL COVA 2016
		1200FD0009'02		
CENTERO DANCH	147 0003	147 0003	571.68	No combination
SENDERO RANCH	147 0002	147 0002	351.48 351.48	only district change
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	TD-98	551.48	only district change

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Owner	2025 PIN	Previous PINs/	Total Acres	Comments
	2025 Tax District	Previous District		
SENDERO RANCH	146 0001	146 0001/99	195.00	
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	146FDS0001/98	112.75	SAME FLPA 2021
			307.75	
THE LANGDALE COMPANY	140 00053	140 00053/99	200.00	
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	140FDS00053/98	143.00	SAME FLPA 2024
		1400FD00053/02	1,070.00	
			1,413.00	
THE LANGDALE COMPANY	134 0025	134 0025/99	200.00	
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	134FDS0025/98	588.00	SAME FLPA 2024
			788.00	
THE LANGDALE COMPANY	140 00051	140 00051/99	200.00	
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	140FDS00051/98	247.45	SAME FLPA 2024
			447.45	
THE LANGDALE COMPANY	140 0005	140 0005/99	200.00	
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	140FDS0005/98	160.00	SAME FLPA 2024
		140OFD0005/02	300.00	
			660.00	
THE LANGDALE COMPANY	121 0005	121 0005/99	200.00	
	TAX DISTRICT: 99	121FDS0005/98	67.38	SAME FLPA 2024
			267.38	

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Kuntz Co., LLC 3328 Studstill Rd Quitman, GA 31643

Re: Tax Parcels 122 0002B, 122FDS0002B & 122OFD0002B

The Brooks County Board of Tax Assessors is in the process of updating records regarding tax districts and parcel numbers. Records indicate you own a 362.65 acre tract split among three parcel numbers in three different tax districts.

The Board is proposing to combine the parcels into one tax district with one parcel number effective for tax year 2025. Please note that this combination *will have no effect on the total value of the property*, or the tax rate being applied. This proposal simplifies records, so the entire property is identified, mapped, and billed as one parcel.

The 2024 tax bills, that were recently mailed, identify your property as three parcels and three districts. Next year, you will only receive one bill for the entire 362.65 acres with the parcel number 122 0002B.

If you have any questions or concerns, you may contact our office.

Thank you,

Wayne Waldron Chief Appraiser BOARD OF TAX ASSESSORS
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Katherine Owens 3201 Pine Cliff Dr Valdosta, GA 31602

Re: Tax Parcels 121 0021 & 121FDS0021

The Brooks County Board of Tax Assessors is in the process of updating records regarding tax districts and parcel numbers. Records indicate you own a 177.61 acre tract split among two parcel numbers in two different tax districts.

The Board is proposing to combine the parcels into one tax district with one parcel number effective for tax year 2025. Please note that this combination will have no effect on the total value of the property, or the tax rate being applied. This proposal simplifies records, so the entire property is identified, mapped, and billed as one parcel.

The 2024 tax bills, that were recently mailed, identify your property in two parcels and two districts. Next year, you will only receive one bill for the entire 177.61 acres with the parcel number 121 0021.

If you have any questions or concerns, you may contact our office.

Thank you,

Wayne Waldron Chief Appraiser