

Macon County



**MACON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
JUNE 10, 2025
6 P.M.
AGENDA**

1. Call to order and welcome by Chairman Young
2. Announcements
 - (A) This meeting is also serving as the Annual Opioid Meeting with Municipalities and the boards from both the Town of Franklin and the Town of Highlands were invited to attend.

3. Moment of Silence

4. Pledge of Allegiance

5. Public Hearing(s) – **6 P.M.**

(A) Recommended Fiscal Year 2025-26 budget

6. Adoption of the FY26 budget and budget ordinance

(A) Budget Ordinance FY2026 – No Change to Cullasaja’s Tax Rate

(B) Budget Ordinance FY2026 – Half a Cent Increase to Cullasaja’s Tax Rate

(C) Budget Ordinance FY2026 – One Cent Increase to Cullasaja’s Tax Rate

7. Additions to agenda

8. Public Comment Period

9. Adjustments to and approval of the agenda

10. Reports/Presentations

(A) Annual Opioid Meeting with the Town of Franklin and the Town of Highlands – Southwestern Commission Executive Director Russ Harris

11.Old Business

- (A) Schedule Joint Meeting with the Macon County Board of Health – Mr. Cabe
- (B) Update on Community Funding Pool – Mr. Cabe

12.New Business

- (A) Discussion and Update on Clean-up of Private Property Located at 7017 Georgia Road, Franklin, NC – Planning, Permitting, and Development Director Joe Allen

13.Consent Agenda – Attachment #13

All items below are considered routine and will be enacted by one motion. No separate discussion will be held except on request of a member of the Board of Commissioners.

- (A) Minutes of the May 13, 2025, Regular Meeting, May 22, 2025, Continued Session, and the May 28, 2025, Continued Session
- (B) Budget Amendment #338
- (C) Approval of the Macon County Public Health FY26 Billing Guide and Fee Plan
- (D) Approval of the hiring of relatives to the Sheriff Brent Holbrooks
- (E) Approval of Destruction of Public Records for Macon County Solid Waste
- (F) Approval of Update to Longevity Pay Policy
- (G) Approval of Lease for Space at Otto Volunteer Fire and Rescue
- (H) Ordinance Amending the Fiscal Year 2024-25 Budget
- (I) Capital Project Ordinance Amendment – Recreation Parks Capital Projects
- (J) Capital Project Ordinance Amendment – Greenway Improvements SCIF
- (K) Capital Project Ordinance Amendment – Macon Middle School Renovation
- (L) Capital Project Ordinance Amendment – Franklin High School Project
- (M) Capital Project Ordinance Amendment – Highlands School Project
- (N) Capital Project Ordinance Amendment – Highlands Middle School Renovations
- (O) Grant Project Ordinance Amendment - Housing Administration
- (P) Grant Project Ordinance Amendment - Duke Energy 2017 HHF
- (Q) Tax releases for the month of May 2025 in the amount of \$2,109.69
- (R) Monthly ad valorem tax collection report – no action necessary

14.Appointments

- (A) Southwestern Community College Board of Trustees (1 seat)
- (B) Agriculture Advisory Board (5 seats)
- (C) Town of Franklin Planning Board (2 ETJ seats)
- (D) Department of Social Services Board (1 seat)
- (E) Macon County Library Board (1 seat)
- (F) Fontana Regional Library Board (1 seat)

15.Closed session as allowed under NCGS 143-318.11

16.Recess/Adjourn