

**SPECIAL CALLED MEETING**

**The Spalding County Board of Commissioners held their Special Called Meeting in Room 108 in the Courthouse Annex, Friday, March 9, 2012, beginning at 10:00 a.m. with Commissioner Gwen Flowers-Taylor presiding. Commissioners Bob Gilreath, Raymond Ray, Samuel Gardner and Eddie Freeman were present. Also present were County Manager William P. Wilson Jr., Attorney Jim Fortune and Official Court Reporter Suzanne D. Gatlin.**

**I. OPENING (CALL TO ORDER) – Chairman, Gwen Flowers-Taylor**

**II. ACTION ITEMS:**

**a. Conduct license revocation hearing for County Rock Bar & Grill located at 2700 North Expressway Griffin, Georgia 30223.**

Chairman Flowers-Taylor opened the meeting advising that the purpose of the meeting was for the Board of Commissioners to receive evidence as to various alleged violations of State law and County ordinances by the business establishment known as County Rock Bar & Grill located at 2700 North Expressway. Mrs. Flowers-Taylor noted that the alcoholic beverage license is in the name of Melissa H. Chamblee, who is represented by attorney Brian Near.

Chairman Flowers-Taylor advised Brian C. Near that after evidence was presented by Spalding County, Mr. Near would then be permitted to put into the record any evidence and/or testimony statements that he believed were relevant to the issue at hand. At the conclusion of evidence, Mrs. Flowers-Taylor advised that the Board would then consider whether or not there was sufficient evidence that in fact Country Rock Bar & Grill has violated certain provisions of the State Law and/or county ordinances to have their licenses revoked or suspended and whether or not fees should be imposed.

Chairman Flowers-Taylor then allowed both counsels to make their opening statements & present pertinent evidence.

After hearing statements, witnesses & reviewing evidence from both parties, Commissioner Raymond Ray made a motion to suspend/terminate the alcohol license and impose fines totaling \$4,000 on the Country Rock Bar & Grill located at 2700 North Expressway Griffin, Georgia 30223 effective immediately. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Gilreath and carried by unanimously.

**XI. ADJOURNMENT**

***Motion/Second by Freeman/Gilreath to adjourn at 12:54 p.m. Motion carried by all.***

An official transcript of proceedings as recorded by Suzanne D. Gatlin, will be filed in the Spalding County Commissioners Office, Room 104, located at a 119 E. Solomon Street, Griffin, Georgia 30224.

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