

LOWNDES COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
MINUTES
REGULAR SESSION
Tuesday, October 28, 2025

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

Chairman Bill Slaughter
Vice Chairman Scott Orenstein
Commissioner Mark Wisenbaker
Commissioner Demarcus Marshall
Commissioner Michael Smith

Commissioner Joyce Evans was not in attendance.

Chairman Slaughter called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m. and recognized the presence of Leadership Lowndes class members.

INVOCATION

Vice Chairman Scott Orenstein

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Vice Chairman Scott Orenstein

MINUTES

The minutes were presented for the work and regular session of October 14, 2025. No revisions to the minutes were requested. Vice Chairman Orenstein made a motion to approve the minutes as presented, second by Commissioner Wisenbaker. All voted in favor, no one opposed. Motion carried.

FOR CONSIDERATION

Beer & Wine License - Tara Kay Middleton of RaceTrac Inc, DBA RaceTrac #2666, 4541 North Valdosta Road, Valdosta, GA

Finance Assistant Director, Rachel Bowen, presented the item stating this request is for a beer and wine license for consumption off the premises. This is a new establishment located at 4541 North Valdosta Road, dba RaceTrac #2666 and all requirements have been met. Commissioner Wisenbaker made a motion to approve the alcohol license as presented, second by Commissioner Marshall. All voted in favor, no one opposed. Motion carried.

Section 125 Plan Document Renewal for 2026

Human Resources Director, Kevin Beals, presented the item. Mr. Beals stated approval of the plan will allow qualifying employee deductions to be withheld pretax and in accordance with the IRS guidelines. Commissioner Marshall made a motion to approve the item as presented, second by Vice Chairman Orenstein. All voted in favor, no one opposed. Motion carried.