DeKalb County Government

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Agenda

PECS-Planning, Economic Development & Community Services Committee

Commissioner Nicole Massiah (Chairperson)

Commissioner Michelle Long Spears

Commissioner Robert Patrick

Tuesday, November 17, 2026 **3:30 PM**

Meeting Started At:

Attendees:

I. MINUTES

2026-1688 Commission District(s): ALL
Minutes for October 27, 2026, Planning, Economic Development, and Community Services Committee Meeting,

II. AGENDA ITEM

Code Enforcement

2026-1058 Commission District(s): All
LB - Invitation No. 2026-042-ITB Nuisance Abatement and Remediation Services (Three (3) Year Multiyear Contract). For use by the Department of Code Compliance and Enforcement (CC) to obtain services to reduce blight in the County including abatement of vacant and abandoned properties (houses and lots). Recommend award to the overall lowest, responsive and responsible bidders: Cascade Services, Inc. and Executive Realty Solutions, Inc.: Amount Not To Exceed: $450,000.00.

Planning and Sustainability

2026-1335 Commission District(s): All
CO - Change Order No. 1 to Contract No. 2000135 for Tree Planting Program: For use by the Department of Planning and Sustainability (P&S) to obtain a tree planting program to increase the planting of shade trees in front yards, side yards and public spaces for increase overall tree canopy coverage in unincorporated DeKalb County. Seeking to increase the contract scope of work, funds and term through March 31, 2030. Awarded to Trees Atlanta. Amount Not To Exceed: $75,000.00

Human Services

2026-1421 Commission District(s): All
CO - Change Order No. 1 to Contract No. 1349726 In-Home Services for Seniors and Their Caregiver (Three (3) Year Multiyear Contract). For use by the Department of Human Services to obtain in-home services for seniors who need assistance for their daily living. This request seeks to increase contract term through December 31, 2027. Awarded to CSS Corp. dba CSS Healthcare Services. CONTRACT TERM INCREASE ONLY.

Chief Executive Office

Commission District(s): All Commission Districts

2026-1537 Authorization for DeKalb County (the "County") to outsource the Office of Economic Development to become the staff of DeKalb Development Corporation ("DDC"), an affiliate of Decide DeKalb Development Authority ("Decide DeKalb") and to provide up to one million nine hundred seventy-five thousand ($1,975,000) dollars of additional annual funding to Decide DeKalb for DDC's operations

2026-1350 Commission District(s): All
RFP - Request for Proposals No. 2026-005 Feasibility Study Community Land Trust. For use by the Office of the CEO to conduct a comprehensive feasibility study evaluating the potential establishment of a Community Land Trust (CLT) serving residential and commercial properties within DeKalb County. Recommend award to the highest scoring proposer: Urban Institute, Inc. Amount Not To Exceed: $123,000.00.

Community Development

2026-1485 Commission District(s): ALL
CO - Change Order No. 1 to Contract No. 1382513 Neighborhood Stabilization Program (NSP-1) Implementation. For use by the Department of Community Development (CD) to obtain services acquiring, rehabilitating, and selling DeKalb residential properties. Seeking increase in contract term through December 31, 2027. Awarded to National Property Institute LLC. CONTRACT TERM INCREASE ONLY.

2026-1584 Commission District(s): All Commission Districts
This agenda item authorizes the allocation and expenditure of an amount not to exceed One Million Dollars ($1,000,000) from the Affordable Housing Fund for due diligence, professional, and legal expenses associated with the "Revive DeKalb" Blighted Property and Redevelopment Program ("Revive DeKalb"), implemented jointly by the DeKalb Regional Land Bank Authority and the CEO's Office of Housing.

2026-1586 Commission District(s): All Commission Districts
This agenda item approves an allocation of up to Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars ($250,000) from the DeKalb County Affordable Housing Fund for the development, implementation, and initial operation of a compliance monitoring, activity reporting, and communications system (the "DeKalb Housing Platform") for the County's Housing Investment Bond Programs.

2026-1587 Commission District(s): All Commission Districts
This agenda item approves an allocation of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars ($500,000) from the DeKalb County Affordable Housing Fund to the DeKalb Regional Land Bank Authority (the "Land Bank") to support increased public land disposition activity and related expenses for housing.

Meeting Concluded At:

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Barbara H. Sanders-Norwood CCC, CMC