

**Georgia Mountains Regional Commission**  
**Council Meeting**  
White County and the City of Cleveland  
Unicoi State Park  
Hwy 356, Helen, Ga 30545  
September 28, 2023 at 6:00 p.m.

**AGENDA**

- I. **CALL TO ORDER – Ken Schubring – GMRC Chairman**
- II. **WELCOME/INTRODUCTIONS – Travis Turner, White County BOC Chairman and Josh Turner, City of Cleveland Mayor**
- III. **INTRODUCTION OF SPECIAL GUESTS – Courtney Umbehant – GMRC Vice-Chairman**
- IV. **DEVOTION/INVOCATION/PLEDGE/DINNER – Ms. Deborah Mack, GMRC Chaplain**
- V. **PROGRAM –**

**Aleisha Rucker-Wright**  
**Deputy Executive Director, Georgia Communications Authority**  
**Georgia Emergency Management and Homeland Security Agency**
- VI. **CONSIDERATION OF MINUTES/ATTENDANCE REPORT OF THE AUGUST 31<sup>ST</sup> MEETING – Bruce Palmer, GMRC Council Secretary**
- VII. **REPORTS**
  - **Chairman’s Report – Ken Schubring, GMRC Chairman**
  - **Executive Director’s Report – Heather Feldman, GMRC Executive Director**
- VIII. **OLD BUSINESS**
  - **None**
- IX. **NEW BUSINESS**
  - **Annual Meeting and Awards Dinner – Deborah Mack, Annual Meeting Committee Chairwoman**
  - **GDOT Transit Contract Resolution – Adam Hazell, GMRC Planning Director**
  - **CEDS/Regional Plan Update – Patrick Larson, GMRC Economic Development Director**
- X. **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Future Scheduled Council Meetings**

  - **Oct. 26, 2023\* Lumpkin County/City of Dahlonega**
  - **Nov. 16, 2023 City of Dawsonville**
  - **Dec. 1, 2023 Dillard House, GMRC Annual Meeting and Awards Dinner**

*\*WD Board Meeting at 4:00*
- XI. **DOOR PRIZES**
- XII. **ADJOURNMENT**

