



MINUTES  
APRIL 20, 2019  
6:00 P.M.

**STEPHENS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
HISTORIC COURTHOUSE COURTROOM**

**PRESENT FOR MEETING:** Chairman Dean Scarborough, Commissioners Michelle Ivester, James Addison and Dennis Bell; County Clerk Beth Rider; County Administrator Phyllis Ayers

**REGULAR MEETING**

Chairman Scarborough called the regular meeting to order at 6:02 p.m. and welcomed those present.

**I. NEW BUSINESS**

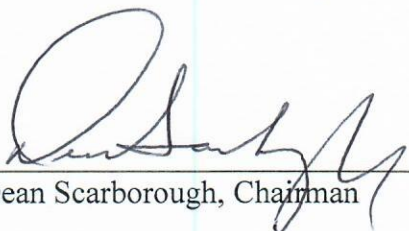
**1. BOARD TO CONSIDER MOTION TO AUTHORIZE CHAIRMAN TO SIGN  
STEPHENS COUNTY DECLARATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY RESOLUTION**

A motion was made by Commissioner Bell, seconded by Commissioner Ivester to authorize Chairman to sign local emergency resolution. Motion carried unanimously.


**II. ADJOURNMENT**

A motion was made by Commissioner Addison, seconded by Commissioner Bell to adjourn the regular meeting.

Approved this 14<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2019

  
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Dean Scarborough, Chairman

Attest:

  
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Beth Rider, County Clerk





STATE OF GEORGIA  
STEPHENS COUNTY

### DECLARATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Stephens County, Georgia has experienced an event of critical significance as a result of *Severe and Significant Storm and Rain Event* on April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019;

WHEREAS, in the judgment of the Chair of the Stephens County Board of Commissioners, with advice from the Stephens Emergency Management Agency, there exist emergency circumstances located in Stephens County requiring extraordinary and immediate corrective actions for the protection of the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Stephens County, including individuals with household pets and service animals; and

WHEREAS, to prevent or minimize injury to people and damage to property resulting from this event, certain actions are required.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me by local and state law;

IT IS HEREBY DECLARED that a local state of emergency exists and shall continue until the conditions requiring this declaration are abated.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

That the Stephens County Emergency Management Agency shall activate the Emergency Operations Plan;

ENTERED at 6:02 A.M./P.M. on April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

Chair, Stephens County Board of Commissioners