

**MINUTES FOR THE WORK SESSION OF THE WHITFIELD COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HELD MONDAY AUGUST 27, 2018, AT 5:15 P.M. IN ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING #1, 301 W.
CRAWFORD STREET**

WORK SESSION

The Chairman called the work session to order.

The following members were present:

R. Lynette Laughter, Chairman
Harold Brooker, Vice Chairman
Barry W. Robbins, Member
Roger Crossen, Member
Greg Jones, Member

Others Present:

Mark Gibson, County Administrator
Robert Smalley, County Attorney
Department Heads
Press

Work Session:

Chairman Laughter called the work session to order.

Fire Chief Edward O'Brien informed the Board about the RFP for Station 12. O'Brien noted that the due date for the responses is August 31, 2018.

Fire Chief Edward O'Brien informed the Board of recent bid for furnishing and installing a generator at the Fire Headquarters at North Park Drive. O'Brien will bring this bid before the Board at the September meeting.

Dr. Pablo Perez presented the board with a request from several community organizers for regulation size soccer fields in Whitfield County or a soccer complex with 12-16 fields. Supporters of this request included soccer coaches from Dalton State College, Dalton High and Northwest High Schools as well as coaches from community leagues.

Jennifer Shearin, Director of the Dalton-Whitfield Community Development Corporation informed the Board of some of the services they provide to all Whitfield County citizens. Shearin noted that they provide housing counseling services, foreclosure prevention and homeless housing programs.

The work session was adjourned.

R. LYNETTE LAUGHTER, CHAIRMAN
WHITFIELD COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

BLANCA CARDONA, COUNTY CLERK

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