



Special Called Meeting Macon-Bibb County Commission

September 9, 2026 | 9:05 AM

City Hall
700 Poplar Street
Macon, GA 31201

Mayor Lester M. Miller
Mayor Pro Tem Valerie Wynn
Commissioner Paul Bronson
Commissioner Stanley Stewart
Commissioner Joey Hulett
Commissioner Andrea Cooke
Commissioner Raymond Wilder
Commissioner Bill Howell
Commissioner Donice Bryant
Commissioner Brendalyn Bailey

1. Call to Order

Mayor Lester M. Miller

2. Adoption of Millage Rate

- a. An Ordinance Of The Macon-Bibb County Commission Setting The Millage Rate At 9.575 Mills, To Be Levied And Assessed For The Year 2026 Upon The Taxable Property Located In The Macon-Bibb County Tax District (Sponsored by: Lester M. Miller, Mayor)

3. Appropriations

- a. An Ordinance Of The Macon-Bibb County Commission To Authorize An Appropriation, In The Amount Of \$130,000.00, From The Sponsored Programs – Macon Violence Prevention – Contract Labor – Contractual Services Line Item, For The Purpose Of Funding An Electronic Monitoring Services Purchase Order Or Agreement With A1 Monitoring, LLC; And For Other Lawful Purposes. (Sponsored by: Lester M. Miller, Mayor)

4. Agreements

- a. A Resolution Of The Macon-Bibb County Commission Authorizing The Mayor To Execute A One-Year Extension To The Professional Services Agreement With Southern Behavioral Services, In An Amount Of Up To \$99,320.00, To Operate The Employee Assistance Program For Macon-Bibb County Employees, To Be Paid From The General Fund – Human Resources – Payments To Others

Employee Assistance Services Line Item; (Sponsored by: Lester M. Miller, Mayor)

- b. A Resolution Of The Macon-Bibb County Commission Authorizing The Mayor To Sign Such Documents As Are Necessary To Transfer Title To The Parcel Of Real Estate Known As 108 First Street, To The Macon-Bibb County Land Bank Authority For The Purpose Of Abating Taxes And Then Returning The Same To The County; (Sponsored by: Lester M. Miller, Mayor)

5. Grants

- a. A Resolution Of The Macon-Bibb County Commission Authorizing The Acceptance Of A Macon-Bibb Law Enforcement Foundation Grant, In The Amount Of \$2,000.00, With No Local Match Required, Awarded To The Bibb County Sheriff's Office To Purchase A Mobile Pa System (Sponsored by: Lester M. Miller, Mayor)

6. Executive Session

Consultation with the county attorney or other legal counsel to discuss pending or potential litigation, settlement, claims, administrative proceedings, or other judicial actions brought or to be brought by or against Macon-Bibb County or any officer or employee or in which the county or any officer or employee may be directly involved as provided in O.C.G.A. § 50-14-2(1); Entering into an option to purchase, dispose of, or lease property as provided in O.C.G.A. § 50-14-3(b)(1)(E); and Discussion or deliberation on the appointment, employment, compensation, hiring, disciplinary action or dismissal, or periodic evaluation or rating of a county officer or employee as provided in O.C.G.A. § 50-14-3(b)(2);



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AN ORDINANCE OF THE MACON-BIBB COUNTY COMMISSION SETTING THE MILLAGE RATE AT 9.575 MILLS, TO BE LEVIED AND ASSESSED FOR THE YEAR 2026 UPON THE TAXABLE PROPERTY LOCATED IN THE MACON-BIBB COUNTY TAX DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER LAWFUL PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, O.C.G.A. § 48-5-32.1 provides that the Macon-Bibb County Commission shall establish an annual millage rate to be levied and assessed on taxable property throughout Macon-Bibb County tax district; and

WHEREAS, an advertisement appeared in the August 19, 2026, edition of the Macon Reporter, in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 48-5-32.1, advertising an intent to set the tax year 2026 millage rate at 9.575, being the same millage rate levied in tax year 2025, and being an increase of 0.813 mills over the “rollback” millage rate of 8.762 mills, and that, prior to voting on the millage rate, there would be three public hearings, to be held at 12:00 Noon on Friday, August 28, 2026; 9:00 A.M. on Tuesday, September 1, 2026; and 6:01 P.M. on Tuesday, September 1, 2026, in the Commission Chambers at Macon City Hall, 700 Poplar Street, Macon, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, copies of the advertisements were posted on the official website of Macon-Bibb County, at <https://www.maconbibb.us/proposedfy27budget/> on August 18, 2026, and remained accessible for public viewing through the adoption of this Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, an advertisement appeared in the August 19, 2026, edition of the Macon Reporter, in accordance with O.C.G.A. § 48-5-32, advertising that the millage rate would be set on September 1, 2026, at 6:05 P.M., at the regular meeting of the Macon-Bibb County Commission, following the aforementioned public hearing thereon, in the Commission Chambers at Macon City Hall, 700 Poplar Street, Macon, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, the Macon-Bibb County Commission met and held one public hearing on Friday, August 28, 2026, and two public hearings on Tuesday, September 1, 2026, in accordance with the advertisements that were run; and

WHEREAS, the Macon-Bibb County Commission finds that this Ordinance is necessary and proper to promote or protect the safety, health, peace, security, and general welfare of Macon-Bibb County and its inhabitants;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Macon-Bibb County Commission and it is hereby so ordained by the authority of the same that:

Section 1.

For the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses of Macon-Bibb County, Georgia for sustaining the credit thereof, for supporting and maintaining government, and for other purposes, a millage rate of 9.575 mills is hereby levied and assessed for the year 2026 upon the taxable property located in the Macon-Bibb County Tax District, previously established by Ordinance No. O-14-0044. The Finance Officer has prepared an exhibit reflecting said millage rate which has been attached hereto as Exhibit A, and is incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2.

Except as otherwise provided herein, for purposes of the assessment, revaluation, and collection of property taxes for Macon-Bibb County, Georgia, any special tax districts (including, but not limited to, Tax Allocation Districts (TADs) and Business Improvement Districts (BIDs)), previously created by Macon-Bibb County, Bibb County or the City of Macon and presently in effect for road repair, street lighting, or other governmental purposes shall not be affected by the adoption of this ordinance and shall continue in full force and effect for any subject property.

Section 3.

The methods and requirements for the payment and collection of property taxes heretofore established and utilized for the previous year, including but not limited to the due dates and in what length of time taxes must be paid, are hereby reaffirmed as the methods and requirements for Macon-Bibb County, Georgia.

Section 4.

The preamble of this Ordinance shall be considered to be and is hereby incorporated by reference as if fully set out herein.

Section 5.

The Mayor, and all other proper officers and agents of the County are authorized and directed to execute such documents and to take such other actions as may be required to accomplish the intents and purposes of this Ordinance.

Section 6.

In the event scrivener's errors shall be discovered in this Ordinance or in the Exhibits hereto after the adoption hereof, the Commission hereby authorizes and directs that each such scrivener's error shall be corrected in all multiple counterparts of this Ordinance.

Section 7.

The sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, and phrases of this Ordinance are severable, and not mutually dependent upon each other or upon any other provisions in the Macon-Bibb County Code of Ordinances. If any sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases of this Ordinance shall be declared illegal by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such illegality shall not affect any of the remaining sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases of this Ordinance, or any other provisions of the Macon-Bibb County Code of Ordinances.

Section 8.

In the event that this Ordinance or part thereof is found by any court of competent jurisdiction to be substantively more appropriately denominated an act of resolution by the Macon-Bibb County Commission, it is the intent of this Commission that this Ordinance or such portion thereof shall be considered to have been adopted as a resolution of the Macon-Bibb County Commission. Where any law bearing on the subject matter of this Ordinance calls for the taking of any legislative action by the governing authority of Macon-Bibb County, and such law specifies for such action to be taken by resolution or by ordinance, it is the intent of this Commission that this Ordinance satisfy such requirement, and that this Ordinance be construed accordingly.

Section 9.

All ordinances or resolutions, or parts of ordinances or resolutions in conflict with this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed.

Section 10.

Pursuant to and in accordance with Section 14 of the Charter, the Mayor may disapprove or reduce any item or items of appropriation in this Ordinance. The approved part or parts of this

Ordinance making appropriations shall become law effective immediately upon its approval by the Mayor, and the part or parts disapproved shall not become law unless subsequently passed into law by the Commission over the Mayor's veto by the affirmative vote of six (6) members of the Macon-Bibb County Commission.

SO ORDERED AND ORDAINED this _____ day of _____, 2026.

By: _____
LESTER M. MILLER, Mayor

(SEAL) Attest: _____
JANICE S. ROSS, Clerk of the Commission

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EXHIBIT A

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**MACON BIBB COUNTY TAX DISTRICT
TAX DIGEST VALUATIONS, MILLAGE RATE AND AD VALOREM TAXES
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2026
AND ENDING JUNE 30, 2027**

Tax Digest Valuations:

Real & Personal	\$ 7,559,203,387
Motor Vehicles	26,007,560
Mobile Homes	11,540,114
Timber - 100%	554,238
Heavy Duty Equipment	381,675
Gross Digest	7,597,686,974
Less: Exemptions	595,464,523
NET DIGEST VALUE	\$ 7,002,222,451
Gross Maintenance & Operation Millage	22.3016
Less: Millage Rate Rollback	12.7266
NET M&O MILLAGE RATE	9.5750
Total Macon Bibb County Taxes Levied	\$ 67,046,342



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AN ORDINANCE OF THE MACON-BIBB COUNTY COMMISSION TO AUTHORIZE AN APPROPRIATION, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$130,000.00, FROM THE SPONSORED PROGRAMS – MACON VIOLENCE PREVENTION – CONTRACT LABOR – CONTRACTUAL SERVICES LINE ITEM, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FUNDING AN ELECTRONIC MONITORING SERVICES PURCHASE ORDER OR AGREEMENT WITH A1 MONITORING, LLC; AND FOR OTHER LAWFUL PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, A1 Monitoring, LLC is a contracted service provider for Macon-Bibb County’s Macon Violence Prevention (“MVP”) Program and provides electronic monitoring services for eligible individuals who would otherwise be detained in the Bibb County Law Enforcement Center; and

WHEREAS, the MVP Program intends to continue to utilize these electronic monitoring services; and

WHEREAS, an appropriation in the amount of \$130,000.00 is required from within the Sponsored Programs – Macon Violence Prevention – Contract Labor – Contractual Services line item for the purpose of funding the agreement with A1 Monitoring, LLC;

WHEREAS, the Macon-Bibb County Commission finds that this Ordinance is necessary and proper to promote or protect the safety, health, peace, security, and general welfare of Macon-Bibb County and its inhabitants; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Macon-Bibb County Commission and it is hereby so ordained by the authority of the same that:

Section 1.

The Macon-Bibb County Commission hereby approves an appropriation, in the amount of \$130,000.00, from the Sponsored Programs – Macon Violence Prevention – Contract Labor –

Contractual Services line item for the purpose of funding an electronic monitoring services purchase order or agreement with A1 Monitoring, LLC.

Section 2.

The preamble of this Ordinance shall be considered to be and is hereby incorporated by reference as if fully set out herein.

Section 3.

The Mayor, the County Manager, and all other proper officers and agents of the County are authorized and directed to execute such documents and to take such other actions as may be required to accomplish the intents and purposes of this Ordinance.

Section 4.

In the event scrivener's errors shall be discovered in this Ordinance or in the Exhibits hereto after the adoption hereof, the Commission hereby authorizes and directs that each such scrivener's error shall be corrected in all multiple counterparts of this Ordinance.

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The sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, and phrases of this Ordinance are severable, and not mutually dependent upon each other or upon any other provisions in the Macon-Bibb County Code of Ordinances. If any sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases of this Ordinance shall be declared illegal by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such illegality shall not affect any of the remaining sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses, or phrases of this Ordinance, or any other provisions of the Macon-Bibb County Code of Ordinances.

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All ordinances or resolutions, or parts of ordinances or resolutions in conflict with this Ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed.

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SO ORDERED AND ORDAINED this _____ day of _____, 2026.

By: _____
LESTER M. MILLER, Mayor

(SEAL) Attest: _____
JANICE S. ROSS, Clerk of the Commission

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A RESOLUTION OF THE MACON-BIBB COUNTY COMMISSION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A ONE-YEAR EXTENSION TO THE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH SOUTHERN BEHAVIORAL SERVICES, IN AN AMOUNT OF UP TO \$99,320.00, TO OPERATE THE EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR MACON-BIBB COUNTY EMPLOYEES, TO BE PAID FROM THE GENERAL FUND – HUMAN RESOURCES – PAYMENTS TO OTHERS EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE SERVICES LINE ITEM; AND FOR OTHER LAWFUL PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, Macon-Bibb County is committed to providing excellent benefits and services to the County employees, which includes an employee assistance program; and

WHEREAS, by Resolution R-22-0173 approved by the Macon-Bibb County Commission on September 20, 2022, Southern Behavioral Services was selected as the service provider for the operation of Macon-Bibb County's Employee Assistance Program; and

WHEREAS, accordingly, Macon-Bibb County entered into an agreement (C-22-0165 A) with Southern Behavioral Services for the provision of those services; and

WHEREAS, such agreement expired on June 30, 2025; and

WHEREAS, by Resolution R-25-0132, the Macon-Bibb County Commission authorized an extension to such agreement through June 30, 2026; and

WHEREAS, the Macon-Bibb County Commission now desires to authorize another extension of this Agreement for a one-year term, to expire on June 30, 2027; and

WHEREAS, the Macon-Bibb County Commission finds that this Resolution is necessary and proper to promote or protect the safety, health, peace, security, and general welfare of Macon-Bibb County and its inhabitants;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Macon-Bibb County Commission, and it is hereby so resolved by the authority of the same, that the Mayor is authorized to execute a

one-year extension to the Professional Services Agreement between Macon-Bibb County and Southern Behavioral Services for the provision of Employee Assistance Program services for County employees, in an amount of up to \$99,320.00, to be paid from the General Fund – Human Resources – Payments to Others Employee Assistance Services line item.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Macon-Bibb County Commission hereby declares that the foregoing preamble and whereas provisions set forth hereinabove constitute, and shall be considered to be, substantive provisions of this Resolution and are hereby incorporated by reference into this provision.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Macon-Bibb County Commission grants the Mayor the authority to take any and all further actions necessary to carry out the intents and purposes of this Resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that in the event scrivener's errors shall be discovered in this Resolution after the adoption hereof, the Macon-Bibb County Commission hereby authorizes and directs that each such scrivener's error shall be corrected in all multiple counterparts of this Resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that except as specifically provided herein, any and all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict with this Resolution shall be and the same hereby are repealed, and this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that in the event that this Resolution or part thereof is found by any court of competent jurisdiction to be substantively more appropriately denominated an act of ordinance by the Macon-Bibb County Commission, it is the intent of this Commission that this Resolution or such portion thereof shall be considered to have been adopted as an ordinance of the Macon-Bibb County Commission. Where any law bearing on the subject matter of this Resolution calls for the taking of any legislative action by the governing authority of Macon-Bibb County, and such law specifies for such action to be taken by resolution or by ordinance, it is the intent of this Commission that this Resolution satisfy such requirement, and that this Resolution be construed accordingly. To the extent that this Resolution is construed by any appropriate authority as being substantively an act of ordinance and not an act of resolution, then this Resolution shall operate further to repeal all prior ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its approval by the Mayor or upon its adoption into law without such approval.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2026.

By: _____
LESTER M. MILLER, Mayor

(SEAL) Attest: _____
JANICE S. ROSS, Clerk of the Commission

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A RESOLUTION OF THE MACON-BIBB COUNTY COMMISSION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN SUCH DOCUMENTS AS ARE NECESSARY TO TRANSFER TITLE TO THE PARCEL OF REAL ESTATE KNOWN AS 108 FIRST STREET, TO THE MACON-BIBB COUNTY LAND BANK AUTHORITY FOR THE PURPOSE OF ABATING TAXES AND THEN RETURNING THE SAME TO THE COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER LAWFUL PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, on January 16, 2024, the Macon-Bibb County Commission adopted Resolution R-24-0002, authorizing the County to purchase that parcel of real estate known as 108 1st Street, in Macon, being Parcel No. R073-0079, and being 2.26 acres, more or less (the "Property"); and

WHEREAS, the Property was being sold in an auction being conducted under the authority of the United States Bankruptcy Court out of the assets of the bankrupt entity known as Sangha Hospitality, LLC; and

WHEREAS, at the time of said auction, Sangha Hospitality, LLC owed in excess of \$260,000.00 in unpaid ad valorem property tax accruals dating back to 2021, as well as penalties and interest thereon for non-payment; and

WHEREAS, including penalties and interest on the unpaid property taxes of Sangha Hospitality, LLC, the tax balance attached to the Property is now \$399,513.00; and

WHEREAS, the Macon-Bibb County Commission desires to clear this tax delinquency from this Property; and

WHEREAS, given the purchase vehicle for this property – that it was purchased through a bankruptcy auction – the tax debtor has no current assets from which this tax debt can reasonably be paid; and

WHEREAS, the Macon-Bibb County Land Bank Authority (“Land Bank”) is a land bank duly created under the laws of the State of Georgia and vested with powers under O.C.G.A. § 48-4-112 to discharge and extinguish liens or claims for unpaid property taxes on any parcel it takes title to; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Director of the Land Bank, Everett Varner, has expressed a willingness on the part of the Land Bank to assume title to the Property, abate all prior tax liens and obligations thereon, and then return the property to Macon-Bibb County promptly thereafter; and

WHEREAS, the Macon-Bibb County Commission agrees that transferring the Property to the Land Bank is the most efficient method of clearing the tax delinquency from the Property, and desires to proceed accordingly; and

WHEREAS, the Macon-Bibb County Commission finds that this resolution is necessary and proper to promote or protect the safety, health, peace, security, and general welfare of Macon-Bibb County and its inhabitants;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Macon-Bibb County Commission and it is hereby so resolved by the authority of the same that the Macon-Bibb County Commission authorizes the Mayor to execute such documents as are necessary for the transfer of that parcel of real estate known as 108 First Street; Parcel No. R073-0079; 2.26 acres, more or less, to the Macon-Bibb County Land Bank Authority for the purpose of abating all unpaid taxes from the Property and then promptly returning title to the same back to Macon-Bibb County, with such documents to be in a form approved by the County Attorney.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Macon-Bibb County Commission hereby declares that the foregoing preamble and whereas provisions set forth hereinabove constitute, and shall be considered to be, substantive provisions of this Resolution and are hereby incorporated by reference into this provision.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that in the event scrivener’s errors shall be discovered in this Resolution or in the Exhibits hereto after the adoption hereof, the Macon-Bibb County Commission hereby authorizes and directs that each such scrivener’s error shall be corrected in all multiple counterparts of this Resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Macon-Bibb County Commission grants the Mayor the authority to take any and all further actions necessary to carry out the intents and purposes of this Resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that except as specifically provided herein, any and all ordinances or resolutions or parts of ordinances or resolutions in conflict with this Resolution shall be and the same hereby are repealed, and this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED In the event that this Resolution or part thereof is found by any court of competent jurisdiction to be substantively more appropriately denominated an act of ordinance by the Macon-Bibb County Commission, it is the intent of this Commission that this Resolution or such portion thereof shall be considered to have been adopted as an ordinance of the Macon-Bibb County Commission. Where any law bearing on the subject matter of this Resolution calls for the taking of any legislative action by the governing authority of Macon-Bibb County, and such law specifies for such action to be taken by resolution or by ordinance, it is the intent of this Commission that this Resolution satisfy such requirement, and that this Resolution be construed accordingly.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its approval by the Mayor or upon its adoption into law without such approval.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2026.

By: _____

LESTER M. MILLER, Mayor

Attest: _____

(SEAL)

JANICE S. ROSS, Clerk of Commission



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A RESOLUTION OF THE MACON-BIBB COUNTY COMMISSION AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF A MACON-BIBB LAW ENFORCEMENT FOUNDATION GRANT, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,000.00, WITH NO LOCAL MATCH REQUIRED, AWARDED TO THE BIBB COUNTY SHERIFF’S OFFICE TO PURCHASE A MOBILE PA SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER LAWFUL PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Macon-Bibb Law Enforcement Foundation, Inc. (“MBLEF”) provides private financial support to fund equipment, technology, training, youth programs and community outreach not supported by the Macon-Bibb County budget for the Bibb County Sheriff’s Office; and

WHEREAS, MBLEF desires to provide the Bibb County Sheriff’s Office with funds, in the amount of \$2,000.00, to purchase a mobile PA system; and

WHEREAS, the Macon-Bibb County Commission desires to authorize the acceptance of the Macon-Bibb Law Enforcement Foundation funds for the above-stated purpose upon the conditions described in Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference; and

WHEREAS, the Macon-Bibb County Commission finds that this Resolution is necessary and proper to promote or protect the safety, health, peace, security, and general welfare of Macon-Bibb County and its inhabitants;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Macon-Bibb County Commission, and it is hereby so resolved by the authority of the same that, Macon-Bibb County Commission approves the acceptance of funding from Macon-Bibb Law Enforcement Foundation in the amount of TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS AND 00/100 CENTS (\$2,000.00), with no local match, to the Bibb County Sheriff’s Office to purchase a mobile PA system, as provided in Exhibit A.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Macon-Bibb County Commission hereby declares that the foregoing preamble and whereas provisions set forth hereinabove constitute, and shall be

considered to be, substantive provisions of this Resolution and are hereby incorporated by reference into this provision.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Macon-Bibb County Commission grants the Mayor the authority to take any and all further actions necessary to carry out the intents and purposes of this Resolution.

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[Signatures on the following page.]

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2026.

By: _____
LESTER M. MILLER, Mayor

(SEAL) Attest: _____
JANICE S. ROSS, Clerk of the Commission

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EXHIBIT A



MACON-BIBB LAW ENFORCEMENT FOUNDATION, INC.

P.O. Box 6098 • Macon, GA 31208-6098

Mobilizing our community to support Law Enforcement in Macon-Bibb County

Board of Directors

Walt Miller, Chairman
Rick Lanford
Patrick Goff
Beverly Olson
Dele Reichert
Warren Selby
Anita Shipman
Walter Timley

8/25/2026

Bibb County Sheriff Office
c/o Sheriff David J. Davis
668 Oglethorpe St.
Macon, GA 31201

Dear Sheriff Davis:

This letter serves to confirm that the Macon-Bibb Law Enforcement Foundation has approved the release of funds for the purchase of a mobile PA system.

The approved amount is \$2,000 for the system, to be disbursed in accordance with the Foundation's established policies and procedures.

We sincerely appreciate the continued partnership with the Bibb County Sheriff Office and remain committed to supporting your efforts in serving the community.

Please feel free to contact us should you require any additional information.

Sincerely,

Walter Miller, Chairman
Macon-Bibb Law Enforcement Foundation

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