



Georgia Department of Human Services
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**BOARD OF HUMAN SERVICES
MEETING MINUTES**

**August 25, 2021
2:21 p.m. – 2:32 p.m.
Atlanta, GA**

MEMBERS PRESENT

Robertiena Fletcher, Chair
Randall Smith, Vice Chair
Monica Walters, Secretary
David Barbee
Lisa Hamilton
Scott Johnson
Wes Lewis
Rochard D. White
Jack F. Williams

MEMBERS ABSENT

Also present, Commissioner Gerlda B. Hines.

Chair Robertiena Fletcher called the Board of Human Services' meeting to order at 2:21 p.m. on August 25, 2021.

APPROVAL OF MAY 12, 2021, BOARD MEETING MINUTES

A motion was presented by David Barbee and seconded by Randall Smith that the minutes of the May 12, 2021, board meeting be approved. There being no further discussion, the motion unanimously passed.

APPROVAL OF JUNE 29, 2021 SPECIAL CALLED BOARD MEETING MINUTES

A motion was presented by Mr. Smith and seconded by Mr. Barbee that the minutes of the June 29, 2021, special called board meeting, including the minutes of the open meeting and the executive session, be approved and open for public inspection. There being no further discussion, the motion unanimously passed.

ACTION ITEMS

A motion was presented by Lisa Hamilton and seconded by Mr. Barbee that the Proposed Budget Recommendations for Amended Fiscal Year 2022 and for Fiscal Year 2023 as presented to the Board of Human Services on August 25, 2021, be approved. There being no further discussion, the motion unanimously passed.

COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

Commissioner Gerlda B. Hines provided several agency updates. Updates included space allocation, automation efforts, and staffing as DHS continues to respond to the ongoing effects of COVID-19 on DHS programs and services.

CLOSING COMMENTS

Chair Fletcher concluded the meeting. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 2:32 p.m.

THE NEXT MEETING

The next regular meeting of the Board of Human Services is scheduled for Wednesday, November 10, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,

Monica Walters

Monica Walters, Secretary

APPROVED:



Robertiena Fletcher, Chair