

**MADISON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
AGENDA SETTING MEETING
AGENDA
SEPTEMBER 14, 2020
6:00 P.M.**

**Meeting will be conducted in the Public Meeting Room and online via Zoom
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- 1. Chairman's Report**
- 2. Hearing and Actions on Zoning Matters
None**
- 3. Statements and Remarks from citizens on an agenda item**

NEW BUSINESS:

- 4. Discuss approving a proclamation naming October 5-11, 2020 Mental Awareness Week**
- 5. Discuss noise ordinance**
- 6. Discuss 2021 LMIG projects**
- 7. Discuss amending section 50-34, 50-42 and 50-43 of the personnel policy**
- 8. Roads Update**
- 9. Urgent Matters**
- 10. Executive Session to discuss real estate acquisition, personnel matters and/or potential litigation**
- 11. Adjourn**

BY THE CHAIRMAN OF
THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF
MADISON COUNTY, GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

**MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS WEEK
OCTOBER 5-11, 2020**

WHEREAS, mental health is part of overall health; and

WHEREAS, one in five adults experiences a mental health problem in any given year and one in 17 adults live with mental illness such as major depression, bipolar disorder or schizophrenia; and

WHEREAS, approximately one-half of chronic mental illness begins by the age of 14 and three-quarters by age 24; and

WHEREAS, long delays – sometimes decades – often occur between the time symptoms first appear and when individuals get help; and

WHEREAS, early identification and treatment can make a difference in successful management of mental illness and recovery; and

WHEREAS, it is important to maintain mental health and learn the symptoms of mental illness in order to get help when it is needed; and

WHEREAS, every citizen and community can make a difference in helping end the silence and stigma that for too long has surrounded mental illness and discouraged people from getting help; and

WHEREAS, public education and civic activities can encourage mental health and help improve the lives of individuals and families affected by mental illness.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of Madison County, Georgia do hereby proclaim October 5 through October 11, 2020 as **MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS WEEK** in Madison County to increase public understanding of the importance of mental health and to promote identification and treatment of mental illness.

So resolved by the Madison County Board of Commissioners on this the 28th day of September, 2020.

John D. Scarborough, Chairman, Madison County Board of Commissioners

Rhonda S. Wooten, Clerk, Madison County Board of Commissioners

