

MINUTES OF THE JOINT MEETING OF THE SANTA ROSA COUNTY AND  
ESCAMBIA COUNTY BOARDS OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
HELD OCTOBER 25, 2010  
6495 CAROLINE STREET, SUITE M, MILTON, FLORIDA  
(1:39 p.m. – 2:51 p.m.)

Santa Rosa County Board of County Commissioners

Present: Commissioner Gordon Goodin, Chairman, District 4  
Commissioner Lane Lynchard, Vice Chairman, District 5  
Commissioner Robert A. "Bob" Cole, District 2  
Commissioner W. D. "Don" Salter, District 3  
Commissioner Jim Williamson, District 1  
Hunter Walker, County Administrator  
Angela Jones, Interim County Attorney  
Kelly Hobbs, Deputy Clerk to the Board

Escambia County Board of County Commissioners

Present: Commissioner Grover C. Robinson, IV, Chairman, District 4  
Commissioner Kevin W. White, Vice Chairman, District 5  
Commissioner Wilson B. Robertson, District 1  
Commissioner Gene M. Valentino, District 2  
Commissioner Marie K. Young, District 3  
Larry M. Newsom, Interim County Administrator  
Alison Rogers, County Attorney

Others

Present: Shirley L. Gafford, Program Coordinator, County Administrator's Office  
Doris Harris, Deputy Clerk to the Board

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Goodin called the Joint Meeting of the Santa Rosa County and Escambia County Boards of County Commissioners to order at 1:39 p.m.

INVOCATION/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Chairman Goodin advised that Commissioner White would deliver the Invocation and that Commissioner Lynchard would lead the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

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OPENING REMARKS – CHAIRMAN GOODIN AND CHAIRMAN ROBINSON

Chairman Goodin provided opening remarks and advised that this was the fourth time the two Boards had met to discuss the issue relative to conveyance of property on Santa Rosa Island and that the Boards would begin to work their way through the process of obtaining the Act of Congress necessary to transfer the deeds to the local governments.

Chairman Robinson provided opening remarks and advised that this was the appropriate time to discuss options that might be available to Santa Rosa Island residents and leaseholders.

OPENING REMARKS – COUNTY ATTORNEYS

Angela Jones, Interim County Attorney, Santa Rosa County, and Alison Rogers, County Attorney, Escambia County, each provided opening remarks.

DISCUSSION CONCERNING A JOINT RESOLUTION REGARDING CONVEYANCE OF PROPERTY ON SANTA ROSA ISLAND

The Boards:

- A. Discussed the *Joint Resolution of the Escambia County Board of County Commissioners and the Santa Rosa County Board of County Commissioners requesting the support of Congressman Jeff Miller and Senator Bill Nelson to release certain restrictions on conveyance for property on Santa Rosa Island; providing for an effective date;*
- B. Were advised by Commissioner White that a whereas clause could be added to the Resolution to ensure protection of the conservation, preservation, recreation, and public areas; and
- C. Were advised by Chairman Goodin that the County Attorneys would draft a *(final)* Resolution for consideration by the Escambia Board of County Commissioners and the Santa Rosa Board of County Commissioners on November 4, 2010, and November 10, 2010, respectively.

Speaker(s):

Jim Cox	Jerry D. Couey
Deborah Nelson	Teresa Pack
Robert Coley	Carol A. Fritz
Janet deLorge	

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ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Boards, Chairman Goodin declared the Joint Meeting of the Santa Rosa County and Escambia County Boards of County Commissioners adjourned at 2:51 p.m.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
ESCAMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA

ATTEST:

Ernie Lee Magaha  
Clerk of the Circuit Court & Comptroller

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Kevin W. White, Chairman

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Deputy Clerk



Approved: November 18, 2010