

# **Gaston County**

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# Board of Commissioners Board Action

File #: 20-302

Board of Commissioners - To Set Forth the Membership of the Council of Understanding Ad Hoc Committee in the County Appointment Records and to Approve the Dissolution of the Council

## **STAFF CONTACT**

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#### **BACKGROUND**

Upon consensus of the BOC at its June 23, 2020 Regular Meeting, an Ad Hoc Council of Understanding was established by Chairman Tracy Philbeck to study the Confederate monument in front of the Courthouse and to provide a recommendation to the Board of Commissioners on keeping or relocating the monument. Commissioner Tom Keigher was selected to Chair the Committee and to administer the selection process of members. Each Commissioner provided one appointment each. The remaining five were joint selections of Commissioner Keigher and Chairman Philbeck. The following is the final list of selections:

D'Andre Nixon (Philbeck)

Moises Miranda (Joint Selection)

Joe Will (Hovis)

Eric Riley (Joint Selection)

Rev. Dickie Spargo (Worley)

Bill Starnes (C. Brown)

James Muhammad (Joint Selection)

Bruce Cloninger (Fraley)

Cheryl D. Comer, Esq. (Joint Selection)

Dr. Ed Smith (Joint Selection)

Rev. Thomas Gillespie (Keigher)

Jim Stewart (J. Brown)

The Council met on July 7, July 9 and July 13, 2020. On July 13, the Council voted to provide a recommendation to the BOC. With this recommendation, the Council fulfilled its charge and no additional meetings will be necessary. This action sets forth the membership in the County appointment records and authorizes the dissolution of the Council.

### **ATTACHMENTS**

N/A

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