## **Request for Board of Commissioners' Action**

From:	Faye Hughes, County Administrator		Date:	September 14, 2018
Subject:	100 <sup>th</sup> Year Anniversary Resolution	Item Number:	VIII-F	

Several meetings ago, the Historical Society requested that the commission board appoint citizens from their district to serve on an committee that would organize and coordinate events for Cook County's 100<sup>th</sup> year anniversary.

Attached is a Resolution that recognizes the 100<sup>th</sup> year anniversary and authorizes the Board to establish the Cook County, GA Centennial Committee.

The Chair will need a motion to adopt the Centennial Celebration Resolution.

Any discussio	n:		
Votes	ves	no	Motion carried/ failed

## CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION RESOLUTION

Celebrating the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Cook County, Georgia; and for other purposes.

WHEREAS, upon recommendation of the Georgia General Assembly in the summer of 1918, Cook County was created as the 153<sup>rd</sup> Georgia County. Created from Berrien County and named for General Phillip Cook, who fought in both the Seminole War and Civil War and was Georgia's Secretary of State for more than 20 years; and,

WHEREAS, the great County of Cook began its operations in 1919 after constitutional officers were elected, and

WHEREAS, the year 2019 marks the 100th year of its existence and, as such, Cook County, honors this illustrious milestone with a centennial celebration; and

WHEREAS, the 2018 Cook County Board of Commissioners, composed of Chair Debra Robinson, Vice-Chair Lindsey Parrish, Commissioners Jeff Lane, Audie Rowe, and Dwight Purvis recognize the significance of this celebration.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Cook County Board of Commissioners hereby create the Cook County, GA Centennial Committee, and appoints residents from each county district to meet, as appropriate, and to organize events for this milestone year of recognition for Cook County.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the said members of the Cook County Board of Commissioners affix our signatures to this Centennial Resolution, and request that the Resolution be placed as a part of Cook County's official records to mark this year of this historic celebration.

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of September, 2018.

Debra Robinson, Chair

Jeff Lane, Commissioner

Lindsey Parrish, Vice-Chair

Audie Rowe, Commissioner

ATTEST:

Vicki S. Parrish, County Clerk

(County Seal)

Dwight E. Purvis, Commissioner