



## AGENDA ITEM

### Other Business - County Attorney

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**REPORT TO:** Work Session (07/07/25)

**REPORT TO:** Voting Meeting (07/10/25)

**ITEM NO:** 444/2025

**SUBJECT:** Approve the withdrawal of Hall County's objection to the City of Flowery Branch's annexation of the property of Joy Strickland Pearson, Trustee of the Dorothy P. Strickland Revocable Living Trust Dated June 18, 2008, located at 4381 Hog Mountain Road, Flowery Branch, GA 30542, and bearing Hall County Tax Parcel 15046 000001, following the applicant's withdrawal of the annexation application on June 25, 2025.

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### Meetings:

**Work Session Date:** 07/07/25

**Voting Meeting Date:** 07/10/25

### Executive Summary:

**Presenter:** JL

**Recommendation:**  
Approve

### Purpose of Request:

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### History:

On May 22, 2025, the Hall County Board of Commissioners by unanimous vote approved a Resolution Objecting to the City of Flowery Branch's Annexation of the Property of Joy Strickland Pearson, Trustee of the Dorothy P. Strickland Revocable Living Trust Dated June 18, 2008, Known as Hall County Tax Parcel 15046 000001. On May 23, 2025, Hall County timely served notice of its objection to the City of Flowery Branch and the Department of Community Affairs. The applicant, Grand Communities, LLC, subsequently withdrew the annexation application on June 25, 2025.

### Facts and Issues:

The Department of Community Affairs, by its adopted rules, requires that the Hall County Board of Commissioners vote to withdraw its annexation objection to the subject property for Hall County's request for an arbitration panel to be rendered moot in accordance with Ga. Comp. R. & Regs. R. 110-12-8-.03(9)(e).

### Options:

Hall County, by a majority vote of its elected body, is permitted under the rules and regulations of the Department of Community Affairs to withdraw its annexation objection at any time for any reason during the arbitration process.

**Funding Requested** \$ 0.00  
**Are funds within current budget?** No  
**Source of Funds**  
**Does the action involve a Resolution, Ordinance, Contract, Agreement, etc.?** No  
**Has it been reviewed by the County Attorney?** Yes  
**Is there a deadline for this item?** 2025-07-10

**Approvals:**

Submit	Attorney	Administration	Clerk
JL	JR	CR	JR

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**Attachments:**