AGENDA ITEM

Consent Agenda

REPORT TO: **Work Session (10/19/26)**

REPORT TO: **Voting Meeting (10/22/26)**

ITEM NO: 671/2026

SUBJECT: Approve the employment agreement for the Probate Court Staff Attorney.

Meetings:

Work Session Date: 10/19/26

Voting Meeting Date: 10/22/26

Executive Summary:

Presenter: JL

Recommendation:
Approve.

Purpose of Request:

Approve the employment agreement for the Probate Court Staff Attorney.

History:
Nia Evereteze is currently employed as Staff Attorney for the Hall County Probate Court. The proposed Employment Agreement will transition her employment from the Hall County Civil Service System to employment pursuant to an individual employment agreement, as permitted by the Hall County Civil Service Act.

Facts and Issues:

Options:

The proposed Employment Agreement provides that Ms. Evereteze will continue to serve as Staff Attorney for the Hall County Probate Court but will do so pursuant to an individual employment agreement in lieu of membership in the Hall County Civil Service System. Under the Agreement, Ms. Evereteze will serve at the pleasure of the Probate Judge, who will retain authority to direct, supervise, discipline, and terminate her employment. The Agreement provides for an annual salary of $85,000, which Ms. Evereteze is already receiving, together with County employee benefits, and will be effective October 8, 2026. No additional funding is required for the position. The purpose of the Agreement is to transition Ms. Evereteze from the Civil Service System to contractual employment and to establish a form of agreement that may be used for future Probate Court Staff Attorneys employed outside the Civil Service System.	Approve or deny.

Funding Requested	$ 0.00
Are funds within current budget?	Yes
Source of Funds	N/A
Does the action involve a Resolution, Ordinance, Contract, Agreement, etc.?	Yes
Has it been reviewed by the County Attorney?	Yes
Is there a deadline for this item?	2026-10-08

Approvals:

Submit	Budget	Finance	Attorney
JL	JM	TS	JL
Administration		**Clerk**	
CR		JR	

Attachments:

Employment Agreement

HALL COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT REPORT

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Funds Requested: $ 0.00

Request Budgeted: Yes

Proposed Source of Funding:

N/A

Budget Transfer Requested:

No

Funding Source Items:

Budget Transfer Items:

Additional Information/Comments:

Contact for Questions:

Phone: