

COLUMBIA COUNTY CHARTER REVIEW COMMISSION

PO Box 1529 Lake City, FL 32056-1529

Meeting Location

Columbia County School Board Admin. Complex
372 West Dural Street, Lake City, FL 32055

AGENDA

Date May 10, 2012 • 6:00 P.M.

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- I. CALL TO ORDER
 - II. INVOCATION
 - III. PLEDGE
 - IV. ROLL CALL
 - V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES : April 26, 2012
 - VI. REPORT OF CHAIRPERSON
 - VII. REPORTS OF COMMITTEES (IF ANY)
 - VIII. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Each proposed change supports a special interest, or, takes away someone's rights, or costs the tax payers money, or is just a waste of time, or, any combinations.

PUBLIC HEARING:

1.) Proposed Amendment #1

Article 2, Section 2.1 - Adding Two At-Large Members and 5 Single Members

Article 2, Section 2.4 - Staggering At-Large Terms - Initial Term for District Seven Shall be for Two Years and Initial Term for District Six Shall be for four (4) Years.

2.) Proposed Amendment #2

Article 2, Section 2.2 - Creation of a Citizen Redistricting Advisory Committee

3.) Proposed Amendment #3

Article 2, Section 2.8(1) - Amending Provisions for Removal of County Manager by the Board of County Commissioners



4.) Proposed Amendment #4

Article 2, Section 2.11 - Removal of Supplementary Public Notice and Information Provision and Providing State Law Control Public Notice of Hearings and Provision of Materials for Hearings.

5.) Proposed Amendment #5

Article 4, Section 4.2 - Removes a Department Head's Option to Appeal Termination by County Manager to the County Commission.

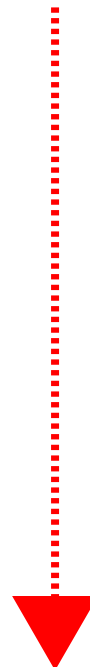
6.) Proposed Amendment #6

Article 5, Section 5.2.1 - Abolishes Elected Office of County Attorney; Provides for Appointment of Qualified County Attorney by Commission.

IX. PUBLIC COMMENT


X. ADJOURNMENT WITH DAY FIXED FOR NEXT MEETING
SECOND PUBLIC HEARING:

Thursday, May 24, 2012 commencing at 6:00 p.m. in the School Board Administrative Complex auditorium




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PUBLIC HEARINGS
PROPOSED RECOMMENDATIONS

Subject 1 **Adding Two Commissioners Elected on a Countywide Basis to the Board of County Commissioners and Providing for Transition Plan** Amendment #1

Title  ADDS TWO MEMBERS TO THE COUNTY COMMISSION FOR WHICH ALL ELECTORS COUNTYWIDE MAY VOTE.

Subject 2 **Creating a Citizen Redistricting Advisory Committee** Amendment #2

Title  ESTABLISHES CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS REGARDING REDISTRICTING.

Subject 3 **Providing for an Additional Method for the Termination of the County Manager by the Board of County Commissioners** Amendment #3

Title PROVIDING ADDITIONAL METHOD FOR REMOVAL OF THE COUNTY MANAGER BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Subject 4 **Deleting the Charter's Requirements for Supplementary Public Notice using the Internet; Requiring the County to Follow Public Notice Policies as Provided in State Law and as Supplemented by County Ordinance** Amendment #4

Title REMOVAL OF REQUIREMENT FOR PROVISION OF SUPPLEMENTARY PUBLIC NOTICE AND INFORMATION VIA THE INTERNET.

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Subject 5  **Deleting a Department Head's Option to Appeal His or Her Termination by County Manager to the County Commission** Amendment #5

Title REMOVES A DEPARTMENT HEAD'S OPTION TO APPEAL TERMINATION BY COUNTY MANAGER TO THE COUNTY COMMISSION.

Subject 6  **Abolishing the Elected Status of the County Attorney and Providing for the Appointment of a County Attorney by the County Commission based on Qualifications and Experience** Amendment #6

Title ABOLISHING ELECTED OFFICE OF COUNTY ATTORNEY; PROVIDING FOR APPOINTMENT OF QUALIFIED COUNTY ATTORNEY BY COMMISSION.