COUNTY AGENDA REQUEST

Department:	Board of Commissioners	Presenter(s):	Commissioner Horgan
Meeting Date:	Thursday, October 13, 2011	Type of Request:	New Business

Wording for the Agenda:

Consideration of the reappointment of Terri Willis to the McIntosh Trail Community Service Board for a three year term with said term commencing on July 1, 2011 and expiring on June 30, 2014.

Background/History/Details:

The Board of Commissioners is required to make appointments to two boards related to the delivery of Mental Health Services. There is the McIntosh Trail Community Services Board which is more involved with the direct delivery of local mental health services, and the Region Six Regional Mental Health Planning Board which evaluates and plans services for a 31 county area from a regional perspective, with the ability to influence funding. Mental Health services in Georgia underwent sweeping changes in 2010. The Georgia Department of Behavorial Health and Developmental Disabilities was created and mental health services were moved from underneath the Department of Human Resources to the new agency. Fayette County was moved out of Region 3 (same counties as ARC) to Region Six.

The McIntosh Trail Community Service Board is headquartered in Griffin and serves Fayette, Butts, Henry, Lamar, Spalding and Upson Counties. Fayette County has two seats on this Board. Ms. Terry Willis is a long-time member has asked to be reappointed. She has been an active member. There are no term limits for this particular Board. This Board meets monthly in Griffin.

There have been no changes in the process for making appointments, thus staff has processed this request in accordance with established practice.

What action are you seeking from the Board of Commissioners?

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If this item requires funding, please describe:

N/A

Has this request been considered within the past two years?	No	If so, when?	
Is Audio-Visual Equipment Required for this Request?	No	Backup Provided with Request?	Yes

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Approved by Finance	Not Applicable	Reviewed by Legal	Yes
Approved by Purchasing	Not Applicable	County Clerk's Approval	Yes
Administrator's Approval	Yes		

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Who We Are

The McIntosh Trail Community Service Board is a public entity created by the Georgia legislature in 1993 to provide mental health, developmental disability and addictive disease services. Services are available to residents of Butts, Fayette, Henry, Lamar, Pike, Spalding and Upson counties.

Our Mission

The mission of McIntosh Trail Community Service Board is to offer individuals experiencing symptoms associated with mental illness, addictive disease and/or developmental disability the hope for optimal functioning by providing quality behavioral health services and supports.

Tournament Highlights

Care Connection
770.358.5252

Grievance Hot Line
770.358.8466

Services:

- Addictive Diseases
- Developmental Disabilities
- Mental Health
- Specialty