COUNTY AGENDA REQUEST

Department:	Administration	Presenter(s):	County Administrator Steve Rapson
Meeting Date:	Thursday, October 24, 2013	Type of Request:	Consent

Wording for the Agenda:

Approval of staff's recommendation to authorize the Fayette County Water System to lower the water level in Lake Peachtree from January through March 2014.

Background/History/Details:

The Lake Peachtree Association requested the Fayette County Water Committee to lower Lake Peachtree during the months of January through March 2014 in order to enable the homeowners around Lake Peachtree to do seawall repairs, dock repairs, and dock construction. Members of the Lake Peachtree Association periodically ask for this action to allow for maintenance of the privately owned docks and shoreline.

This request requires both the approval of the Peachtree City Council and the Fayette County Board of Commissioners. On October 17, 2013, the Peachtree City Council approved the request.

Staff is requesting the Fayette County Board of Commissioners to give similar approval in lowering Lake Peachtree.

What action are you seeking from the Board of Commissioners?

Approval of staff's recommendation to authorize the Fayette County Water System to lower the water level in Lake Peachtree from January through March 2014.

If this item requires funding, please describe:

Not Applicable.

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

**** All audio-visual material must be submitted to the County Clerk's Office no later than 48 hours prior to the meeting. It is also your department's responsibility to ensure all third-party audio-visual material is submitted at least 48 hours in advance.***

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

Staff Notes:

This request represents another example of Fayette County and Peachtree City working together for the betterment of all their citizens.

CITY OF PEACHTREE CITY

INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: **Mayor & Council Members**

FROM: **City Manager**

DATE: **October 11, 2013**

SUBJECT: **Consider Request to Lower Lake Peachtree for Maintenance**
October 17, 2013, City Council Meeting

Recommendation:

That Council authorize the Fayette County Water System to lower the water level in Lake Peachtree from January through March of 2014.

Discussion:

The City has received the attached request from Fayette County to authorize the lowering of the water level in Lake Peachtree during the months of January – March of 2014. This request originated from the Lake Peachtree Association, whose members periodically ask for this action to allow for maintenance of the privately owned docks and shoreline. The request must be approved by the lake's owner, the City of Peachtree City.

Budget Impact:

This item should have no budgetary impact.

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October 2, 2013

Dr. James Pennington, City Manager
City of Peachtree City
151 Willowbend Road
Peachtree City, Georgia 30269

Dear Dr. Pennington,

A request was made to the Water Committee by the Lake Peachtree Association to lower Lake Peachtree during the months of January, February and March 2014 to enable the homeowners around Lake Peachtree to do seawall repairs, dock repairs, and dock construction.

The contract requires the approval of both the City and County to lower the lake. Would you ask the City Council to approve lowering Lake Peachtree in January, February, and March, 2014 and then forward this request to the Board of Commissioners?

If you have any questions, please call me at 770-305-5100.

Sincerely,

Steven A. Rapson,
County Administrator