A special meeting of the Bladen County Board of Commissioners was held at 5:30 pm on Tuesday, January 3, 2017 in the Commissioners Meeting Room of the Bladen County Courthouse.

The following members were present:
Charles R. Peterson, Chairman
Ray Britt, Vice Chairman
Russell Priest
Arthur Bullock
Daniel Dowless
G. Michael Cogdell
Dr. Ophelia Munn-Goins
Ashley S. Trivette
David R. Gooden

Attorney: Allen Johnson, Johnson Law Firm

ITEM 1. Chairman Peterson called the meeting to order.

A. Chairman Peterson provided an invocation.

B. County Manager Greg Martin led the Pledge of Allegiance.

ITEM 2. Revenue Department (Renee Davis, Tax Administrator):

A. Chairman Peterson recognized Mrs. Davis to address the Board. Mrs. Davis provided a brief overview of an Appeal of Denial of Exclusion Status submitted by CB Bladen Solar, LLC, along with other supporting documents. Mrs. Davis stated that she had conversed with North Carolina Department of Revenue Director David Baker regarding the appeal. Following discussion regarding NCGS 105-275 (45), the County of Bladen was recommended to deny the appeal.

Following discussion and upon a motion by Commissioner Bullock, seconded by Commissioner Dowless, the Board unanimously denied an Appeal of Denial of Exclusion Status submitted by CB Bladen Solar, LLC.

ITEM 3. Other Tax Matters:

No one brought another item for discussion.

Upon a motion by Commissioner Dowless, seconded by Commissioner Priest, the meeting adjourned at 5:33 pm.

ATTEST:

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Maria C. Edwards, Clerk to the Board  Charles R. Peterson, Chairman
Bladen County Board of Commissioners