COUNTY AGENDA REQUEST

Department:	Commissioners	Presenter(s):	Commissioner Horgan
Meeting Date:	Wednesday, July 6, 2011	Type of Request:	Old Business

Wording for the Agenda:

Consideration of the appointment of Steve Cole to fill an unexpired term on the Fayette County Hospital Authority which will expire on May 31, 2012; and to an additional four-year term which will commence on June 1, 2012, and will expire May 31, 2016.

Background/History/Details:

The Fayette County Hospital Authority consists of five persons appointed by the Board of Commissioners. The Hospital Authority was enacted in 2000. This body meets only when needed. One of the members, Mr. Stephen Widener, has resigned because he moved out of state.

Mr. Steve Cole has been recommended for consideration to be appointed to fill the vacancy. Mr. Cole is a twenty-year resident of Fayette County and is a retired hospital administrator.

The other members of the Hospital Authority are:
Jack Krakeel, Chairman
Darrell McKinney
Dr. Dave Lee
Joan Smith

What action are you seeking from the Board of Commissioners?

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If this item requires funding, please describe:

Has this request been considered within the past two years?	Yes	If so, when?	September 5, 2011
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		

Staff Notes:

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

Steve Cole

Resident, Fayette County, 1981-Present ----- Retired Hospital Administrator / Educator

Education

University of Georgia
Bachelor of Arts
Political Science / Public Administration
Class of 1968

Duke University
Non-Traditional Masters Degree
Health Administration
Class of 1974

Mercer University, Macon, Georgia
College of Education
Education classes to achieve State of Georgia Teacher Certification, 1993

Health Administration Experience

Accounts Manager, St. Mary's Hospital, Athens, Georgia
Assistant Administrator, Cobb Memorial Hospital, Royston, Georgia
Administrator, Cannon Memorial Hospital, Pickens, South Carolina
Administrator, Henry Medical Center, Stockbridge, Georgia
Administrator, Atlanta Hospital & Regional Diabetes Center, Atlanta, Georgia
Administrator, Medical College of Georgia (Joint Board of Family Practice)
Assistant Administrator, Newnan Hospital, Newnan, Georgia

Teaching Experience

Job Skills / Economics Teacher Lovejoy High School

Professional Honors

1975 Young Administrator of the Year, South Carolina
1986 Fellow, American College of Healthcare Executives
2000 Teacher of the Year, Lovejoy High School
2001 Honored with "Year Book Dedication", Lovejoy High School