

# DeKalb County Government

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# **Agenda Item**

File ID: 2024-0604 Substitute 5/14/2024

**Public Hearing: YES** □ **NO** ☒ **Department:** Chief Executive Office

**SUBJECT:** 

Commission District(s): All Commission Districts

Appointment to the Historic Preservation Commission – Mr. Joe Rothwell.

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## **PURPOSE:**

Pursuant to Section 13.5-3 of the DeKalb County Code, where, for the appointment of members to the DeKalb County Historic Preservation Commission the "chief executive officer or designee shall nominate individuals for confirmation by the board of commissioners as provided in Section 13A," CEO Thurmond nominates Mr. Joe Rothwell for appointment to the DeKalb County Historic Preservation Commission in Seat 3 of Group A. This is for a three (3) year term which will expire June 30, 2026. Mr. Rothwell will replace Dr. Pamela Scully.

#### **NEED/IMPACT:**

The purpose and intent of the DeKalb County Historic Preservation Commission is to establish a uniform procedure for use in providing for the protection, enhancement, perpetuation, and use of places, districts, sites, buildings, structures, objects, landscape features and works of art having special historical, cultural, or aesthetic interest, or value. Mr. Rothwell is a regional preservation planner at Georgia Mountains Regional Commission and lives in Tucker, Georgia. His appointment to the commission will be an asset to the county and those who rely on the services provided through the DeKalb County Historic Preservation Commission.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

No cost to the County.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

To confirm the appointment of Mr. Joe Rothwell to the Historic Preservation Commission in Seat 3 of Group A, with the term being effective upon confirmation and expiring on June 30, 2026.