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Amherst County Service Authority Board

The Amherst County Service Authority's (ACSA) Articles of Incorporation will be discussed during a Public Hearing at the Amherst County Board of Supervisors meeting August 18, 2020, at 7:00 PM to address proposed revisions. Currently, all five of Amherst County's Supervisors serve on the ACSA Board of Directors. Changes to the Articles will change the structure of the Board to include three Supervisors and two citizen Board members.

After extensive discussion, the Board of Supervisors has determined that this revision is in the best interest of the citizens, will provide wider representation, and assist the Board in meeting the changing needs of the County and the ACSA customers.

The Board of Supervisors collected letters of interest from the public and interviewed four candidates for the citizen seats. Mr. Wesley Woods and Mr. Turner Perrow were selected to serve on the ACSA Board. Mr. Woods is a local businessman and ACSA customer. Mr. Perrow has experience serving on public boards and is a water and wastewater engineer. Pending the Supervisors vote to adopt the revised Articles at their July 18 meeting, Mr. Woods and Mr. Perrow are expected to be seated on the ACSA Board at the September 1, 2020 meeting, replacing Supervisors Claudia Tucker and Jimmy Ayers.

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