



Chatham County Board of Commissioners
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Chatham County Moves Forward to Ensure Residents of the Special Service District Have Highest Quality Public Safety Service

Chatham County, GA – (August 18, 2017) The County and City of Savannah Managers have both formed transition teams comprised of staff members with various expertise. These transition teams will develop timelines to establish separate police departments and handle the separation of joint inventory. The County and City of Savannah teams have been meeting individually and will be meeting jointly sometime today. We anticipate discussing the recommendations and timelines established by the transition team with the Chatham County Board of Commissioners on September 8, 2017, in a workshop.

Chatham County felt it was morally and ethically responsible to reach out to former County Police Department officers who still receive benefits from the County to ascertain their interest in rejoining the Chatham County family as we move forward.

A third party consultant is being utilized to conduct a national search for a police chief. Other police positions have been posted on the Chatham County website and we welcome qualified candidates to apply.

The Special Service District residents and businesses deserve the best quality public safety service and Chatham County Board of Commissioners and Team Chatham will be moving forward to ensure that happens.

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