



## GEORGIA COUNCIL ON AMERICAN INDIAN CONCERNS MEETING SUMMARY

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Date: February 28, 2024

Time: 1:30pm

Meeting called to order by: Nealie McCormick

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### **Council Members Present**

Nealie McCormick, Chairman  
Donald Kirkland, Vice Chairman  
Heidi Altman  
Royce McCrary  
Terry Raber  
Paul Brannen  
Rhonda Bennett  
Christian Dane – Program Manager (non-member)

### **Guests Present**

Joe Gavalis  
Dan Flynn  
Tony Yarbrough  
Debra Martin  
Vonnie McCormick

The following action was taken at the Georgia Council on American Indian Concerns meeting on February 28, 2024:

The Council approved the January 31, 2024 meeting minutes.

The Council voted to elect Nealie McCormick as Chairman.

The Council voted to elect Donald Kirkland as Vice Chairman.

The Council voted to eliminate the positions of Secretary and Treasurer.

The Council approved the support of 40% of Phase I – Archaeological Research of the Jekyll Island Foundation project focused on processing the archaeological materials, stored at the Antonio J. Waring, Jr. Archaeology Lab at the University of West Georgia, of a Native American Council House excavated at the Horton House Historic Site.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

The Council adjourned the meeting at 2:44pm.