 

**PUBLIC HEARING**

The Toombs County Board of Commissioners, in compliance with Ordinance Acceptance Policy, will hold a Public Hearing to receive comments from the public on the proposed “Environmental Conservation, On-Site Sewer Management, and Permit Ordinance”. The Georgia Department of Community Affairs (DCA) and the Georgia Attorney General has ruled that local governments must adopt ordinances consistent with the Part V Environmental Protection Criteria to remain compliant with the Georgia Planning Act of 1989. Additionally, adoption of a consistent Part V Environmental Planning Criteria Ordinance is also a Minimum Planning Standard of the Heart of Georgia Altamaha Regional Commission’s Regional Plan, which all local governments must meet to remain in good standing and therefore be eligible for grants/loan programs with the Georgia Department of Community Affairs. This proposed ordinance complies with these requirements. The Public Hearing will held on Tuesday, February 20, 2018 from 5:00 PM to 5:25 PM at the Toombs County Courthouse, 100 Courthouse Square, Lyons, GA. 30436.

The proposed ordinance is available at the Toombs County Commissioner’s Office, 100 Courthouse Square, Lyons, Ga. 30436 and at the county website [www.toombscountyga.gov](http://www.toombscountyga.gov) under “Notices”.