

# FORSYTH COUNTY

## BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

**Briefing**

**Draft**

MEETING DATE: MARCH 19, 2020

AGENDA ITEM NUMBER: 9

**SUBJECT: RESOLUTION DECLARING CERTAIN COUNTY-OWNED PERSONAL PROPERTY SURPLUS AND AUTHORIZING ITS DISPOSITION BY PUBLIC ELECTRONIC AUCTION UTILIZING GOVDEALS, INC. (GENERAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT)**

**COUNTY MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION OR COMMENTS:**

**SUMMARY OF INFORMATION:**

ATTACHMENTS  YES  NO

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
  COUNTY MANAGER

**RESOLUTION DECLARING CERTAIN COUNTY-OWNED PERSONAL  
PROPERTY SURPLUS AND AUTHORIZING ITS DISPOSITION BY PUBLIC  
ELECTRONIC AUCTION UTILIZING GOVDEALS, INC.  
(GENERAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT)**

**WHEREAS** attached and incorporated herein is a two-page listing of County-owned personal property items that are surplus to the needs of Forsyth County;

**WHEREAS** N.C.G.S. 160A-270 authorizes Counties to sell surplus personal property by public electronic auction;

**WHEREAS** GovDeals, Inc., a Delaware corporation, provides a means for governmental entities to list surplus personal property items for sale and for potential buyers to bid on these items using an Internet-based electronic auction system;

**WHEREAS** GovDeals, Inc., charges Counties a basic fee of 7.5% of the winning bid, but not less than \$5.00 for each auction lot which yields \$100,000 or less; and it charges lower percentages for winning bids in excess of \$100,000;

**WHEREAS** GovDeals, Inc., charges buyers a 5% premium based on sales price; payment must be by PayPal, Credit Card, or Wire Transfer; property is sold "As Is"; and payment must be made within five (5) business days and property must be removed within ten (10) business days or a daily storage fee may be imposed;

**WHEREAS** the public electronic auction sale of the personal property items identified on the attached list is scheduled to begin on March 30, 2020, and end on April 13, 2020, and prior to its sale, the property will be stored at 3740 North Liberty Street, Winston-Salem, N.C., and will be available to be viewed by appointment Monday through Friday on March 23, 2020, through March 27, 2020 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. by contacting Tim Mendenhall at 336-703-2284;

**WHEREAS** the electronic address where information about the property to be sold and the terms of the sale can be found, and where electronic bids may be posted, is [www.govdeals.com](http://www.govdeals.com) followed by a search for Forsyth County, North Carolina;

**WHEREAS** advertisement of the sale will be published in the Winston-Salem Journal and notice shall be provided by electronic means at <http://forsyth.cc/> at least once and not less than ten days before the date of the auction pursuant to the provisions of N.C.G.S. 160A-270; and

**WHEREAS** Forsyth County staff recommends that the Forsyth County Board of Commissioners declare the personal property items identified on the attached list surplus to the needs of Forsyth County and authorize the County Manager to sell the said property by public electronic auction under the terms of the agreement with GovDeals, Inc.;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Forsyth County Board of Commissioners that the personal property items identified on the attached list are hereby declared surplus to the needs of Forsyth County; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, by the Forsyth County Board of Commissioners that the County Manager and the Clerk to the Board or their designees are hereby authorized to advertise and sell, on behalf of Forsyth County, the items of surplus County-owned personal property identified on the attached list by public electronic auction pursuant to the provisions of N.C.G.S. 160A-270 and under the terms of the Sellers' Agreement with GovDeals, Inc.

Adopted this the 19<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020.

*For the Winston-Salem Journal:*

**NOTICE OF DISPOSITION OF COUNTY-OWNED  
PERSONAL PROPERTY BY ELECTRONIC AUCTION**

Pursuant to N.C.G.S. 160A-270, the Forsyth County Board of Commissioners has authorized the County Manager to sell by electronic auction the personal property items identified at [www.govdeals.com](http://www.govdeals.com) by searching "Forsyth County, North Carolina" and also listed at [www.forsyth.cc](http://www.forsyth.cc) and available in the office of the Clerk to the Board of Commissioners. The auction is scheduled to begin on [www.govdeals.com](http://www.govdeals.com) on March 30, 2020, and end on April 13, 2020. Prior to its sale, the property will be stored at 3740 North Liberty Street, Winston-Salem, N.C. Interested parties may schedule an appointment to view the property during the period of March 23, 2020, through March 27, 2020, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. by contacting Tim Mendenhall at 336-703-2284.

*For [www.forsyth.cc](http://www.forsyth.cc), add the following:*

The following items are the property to be auctioned:

*[Either the Full List of Property to be Auctioned or a Link to the Full List.]*

## GovDeals List-March 2020

- 8 Pallets of computers
- 3 Pallets of printers
- 8 Pallets of computer monitors
- 1 Pallet of batteries
- 5 Pallets of industrial lights
- 1 Pallet of assorted animal cages
- 2 Large animal traps
- 1 Rolling cart for animal traps
- 3 Plotter printers
- 23 Wood doors
- 1 Rolling exam room lamp
- 1 Pallet jack
- 7 Pallets of assorted electronics
- 1 Pallet of light bulbs
- 7 Wood bookcases; assorted sizes
- 2 Wood display racks
- 5 A/V Carts
- 6 Lateral file cabinets
- 11 File cabinets
- Surveying equipment
- 2 Conference room tables
- 4 Assorted metal shelving units
- 2 Exam room Tables
- 85 Stationary chairs
- 10 Plastic chairs
- 5 Wooden chairs
- 3 Kids chairs
- 43 Office Chairs
- 1 Grill
- 1 Stainless steel table w/sink
- 1 Stainless steel buffet table
- 2 Safes
- 1 3-Station work desk
- 1 Pallet of assorted desk phones
- 3 Metal desks
- 2 Wood desks
- 1 Box of walk through security equipment

11 tables; assorted sizes  
1 GE dryer  
1 Outdoor book return  
1 Large air tank  
1 Pallet of assorted sporting goods  
28 Rolling bakers racks  
230 Wood pallets  
1 Container of cameras and camera bags  
1 Pallet of assorted metal letters  
1 Box of assorted handheld power tools  
9 Pallets of outdoor lawn equipment  
3 Backpack blowers  
1 Handheld blower  
1 Rolling blower  
3 Trimmers  
1 Push mower  
1 Edger  
1 Pressure washer  
1 Rolling vacuum  
2 Jon boats