

Cumberland **County**
POSITION PAPER FOR AGENDA ITEM

TO:	Board of County Commissioners
FROM:	James H. Gailey
DATE:	October 20, 2025
SUBJECT:	Finance Committee Appointments

Requested Action:

Appoint the following amended slate of elected officials to the 2025-2026 Finance Committee.

Background & Purpose of Request:

In September, the County Commissioners conducted their annual finance committee caucus as required by State Statute. Four names were brought forward in September. Unfortunately, on the September meeting the City of Portland delegation were unable to attend the caucus due to a competing City Council meeting. Commissioner Cloutier would now like to bring three City of Portland City Councilors to fill District 5. In addition, the Portland City Councilor who represents Precinct 5-2 is interested in serving. The 5-2 Precinct falls within Commissioner District 4. Commissioner Smith has expressed interest in appointing Councilor Sykes of Portland Precinct 5-2 to the vacant slot in District 4.

I have updated the Finance Committee roster reflecting the three appointments for October 20th's meeting. The appointments are in "red".

Effective Date: Immediate

Attachments: Amended Roster of Finance Committee