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DISTRICT 6

Westlake High Wins State Basketball Championship

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Congratulations to the Westlake High School Boys Basketball team for winning the AAAAAA State Championship. It was a tight game, but the Lions displayed tremendous grit and won the game 68-58 over Cobb County's Pebblebrook High School. It's the third State title for Westlake and first since 2002. The Championship game was the fourth meeting this season between the two Region 3-AAAAAA rivals. Westlake won them all, including a 22-point blowout.



"The players, students, parents, alumni, and friends of Westlake continue to make us proud," said Commissioner Emma I. Darnell. "We also salute Coach Darron Rogers and his staff for their dedication and leadership to our children and youth both—on the court and in the classroom. Go Lions!"

Task Force on Children & Youth Adopts Jobs/Training as top priority for Juvenile-Crime Reduction

AT RIGHT: Commissioner Emma I. Darnell shares a Mighty Moment with members of the South Fulton Arrow Youth Council at the Task Force meeting.
FROM LEFT: Terrence Alexander; Orin Jones; Maya Taylor; advisor and founder; Jonathan Hudson; Destinee Jackson; Caleb Hutchins and Commissioner Darnell.



On Thursday, March 3, 2016, more than 100 residents and citizens packed a capacity-filled room for the organizational meeting of the District 6 Task Force on Children and Youth (TFCY) at the South Fulton Service Center on Stonewall Tell Rd.

The TFCY, created by Commissioner Emma I. Darnell is a unified effort to bring together youth, parents, business, faith-community and civic leaders to address issues of concern regarding children and youth.

The Task Force agreed to adopt key elements of the County's new "Cradle to Career" Program and critical areas specifically targeted as priorities, including partnerships with local businesses for jobs and job training, after-school mentoring expansion to include mental health and increasing family involvement and support.

"Based upon the findings of a "Survey of Citizens' Opinion on Reducing Juvenile Delinquency," other initiatives presented for review and comment included a reduction of in-school suspensions and the need for paid internships with local businesses.

"Most of the children and youth in this community are *not dying*," said Darnell. "However, in the words of Marvin Gaye, (there are) 'too many.' Too many (children) dying, not on time but before time."

If you would like to join the Task Force, contact Commissioner Darnell's Office.



**FINAL ACTIONS OF THE
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
REGULAR MEETING OF
MARCH 2, 2016 (SELECTED)**

REDUCTION IN FORCE (RIF)
Department of Planning and
Community Development
Seven (7) positions. Building
Inspector. APPROVED

**CHICK-FIL-A FREE-STANDING
RESTAURANT**
3725 Cascade Road Zoning
Modification. APPROVED

GLASPIE WAY MODIFICATION
South Property Line Only
To delete 50 foot buffer; 10 foot
improvement setback. HELD

**WAVERLY LOOP AND
WAVERLY LANE
MODIFICATION**
To develop 12 40-foot-wide
single family lots versus 16
cluster lots. APPROVED

WOLF CREEK AMPHITHEATER
Janitorial Maintenance Services
Contract, Carter Goble Lee
(CGL) Facility Management, LLC,
Fayetteville, Ga., \$135,000.
APPROVED

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Minutes of the March 2, 2016,
Regular Meeting of the BOC](#)

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JOB ANNOUNCEMENTS

Turner Field Hiring Youth for Jobs at Braves Games

My Brother's Keeper Fulton County and Juma Ventures will offer another opportunity for young adults (18-21) to participate in a Pre-employment and Application Completion Session on Saturday, March 12, 2016. It will be held in the Fulton County Juvenile Court 1st Floor Conference Room, 395 Pryor Street, SW Atlanta, GA 30312 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Turner Field is looking to fill 120 young-adult positions at its Social Enterprise stands during the 2016 Atlanta Braves season. This event is a dress rehearsal prior to the actual interviews that will occur the same day.

Interested applicants must register by visiting the following link:

<http://bit.ly/224cYMj> (MBKFC Youth Pre-employment & Application Completion Session). Applicants MUST PRE-REGISTER ONLINE TO PARTICIPATE in the pre-employment and application session.

Temporary Staffing Recruitment Thursday, March 17

Fulton County Workforce Development will host a recruitment fair for ARK Temporary Staffing on Thursday, March 17, 2016, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. The recruitment will be held in the Workforce Development Office at the Adamsville Regional Health Center, 3700 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, SW, Atlanta, GA 30331. The recruitment will fill immediate openings for temporary to permanent positions. Open positions include: Forklift (Sit/Reach) operators; Cycle Counters; Cherry Picker; Assembly Line; Quality Assurance; Quality Control; Line Leads; and Machine Operators.

Before attending the recruitment, applicants must log on and apply at www.arktempstaffing.com. High School diploma or GED required. For more information, contact Jason Lane or Robert Gregory in the Office of Workforce Development at (404) 613-6381.



A capacity crowd of residents pack the South Fulton Service Center to speak up at the Organizational Meeting of the District 6 Task Force on Children and Youth, March 3, 2016.