

## **CALHOUN COUNTY**

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### **BINGO**

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Constitutional Amendment 931, Amendment to Amendment 508--2017-81 (ratified 2018)--Bingo regulated.

Constitutional Amendment 960--Act 2019-80 (ratified 2020) Amendment to Amendment 508, Bingo regulated, prohibited within certain distance of residences in unincorporated areas of the county.

### **CHARITIES**

Constitutional Amendment 494 (ratified 1988)--Anniston, authorized to appropriate funds to the East

Alabama United Cerebral Palsy Center.

### **COUNTY OFFICERS**

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Constitutional Amendment 629--97-456 (ratified 1998)--Supernumerary offices abolished, participation in Employees' Retirement System.

### **COURT COSTS**

Constitutional Amendment 412 (ratified 1982)--County commission authorized to regulate court costs.

Constitutional Amendment 746--2003-128 (ratified 2004)--Booking fees, Legislature may set, distribute.

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### **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

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Constitutional Amendment 415 (ratified 1982)--Acquisition and development of industrial parks authorized.

Constitutional Amendment 563--94-356, 605 (ratified 1994)--Establishment of public corporation authorized to promote industrial, trade, and economic development; creation of economic development council ratified (Act 82-222 of 1982 Regular Session); and actions and obligations of economic development council ratified.

### **ELECTIONS**

Constitutional Amendment 876--2012-340 (ratified 2012)--County commission authorized to process absentee ballots.

### **FIRE PROTECTION**

Constitutional Amendment 583--96-267 (ratified 1996)--Property tax levied for fire protection.

### **MUNICIPAL PLANNING AND POLICE JURISDICTION**

Constitutional Amendment 914--2016-144 (ratified 2016)--Unincorporated territory subject to police and planning jurisdictions of only those municipalities located wholly or partially within county.

Constitutional Amendment 935--2018-17 (ratified 2018)--Unincorporated territory subject to police and planning jurisdictions of only those municipalities located entirely in county; Oxford excepted.

### **MUNICIPALITIES**

Constitutional Amendment 583--96-267 (ratified 1996)--Property tax levied for fire protection.

Constitutional Amendment 854--2010-605 (ratified 2010)--Municipal business license tax on rental of residential real estate based on per unit basis prohibited.

Constitutional Amendment 914--2016-114 (ratified 2016)--Unincorporated territory subject to police and planning jurisdictions of only those municipalities located wholly or partially within county.

### **PROPERTY**

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### **SCHOOLS**

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Constitutional Amendment 747--2003-128 (ratified 2004)--Ad valorem tax levied for schools ratified and extended.

## **TAXATION**

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Constitutional Amendment 68 (ratified 1948)--Property tax levied for school purposes.  
Constitutional Amendment 165 (ratified 1961)--School tax funds, refunding of bonds.  
Constitutional Amendment 232 (ratified 1965)--Anniston, property tax levied.  
Constitutional Amendment 281 (ratified 1967)--Anniston, property tax levy clarified.  
Constitutional Amendment 291 (ratified 1969)--Property tax levied for school purposes.  
Constitutional Amendment 335 (ratified 1973)--Property tax levied for school purposes.  
Constitutional Amendment 350 (ratified 1976)--Anniston, property tax levied.  
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