



BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Commissioners of Spalding County, Georgia, held their Public Hearing for the Proposed Fiscal Year 2007 Budget on Monday, June 5, 2006 in their office in the Courthouse Annex in the City of Griffin, Spalding County, Georgia, beginning at 5:00 o'clock p.m. with Chairman Eddie Freeman presiding and Commissioners Cecil Davis, Gwen Flowers-Taylor, Edward Goss, Jr. and Johnie McDaniel present. Also present were County Manager William Wilson, Administrative Services Director Jinna Garrison, and Executive Secretary Teresa Watson.

I. OPENING (CALL TO ORDER) – Chairman Eddie L. Freeman

II. ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Discussion and comments relative to the Proposed Fiscal Year 2007 Budget.

County Manager William Wilson noted the first reading of the FY 2007 Budget would be held on June 19, 2006 at the Extraordinary Session of the Board of Commissioners. The second reading would be held on June 22, 2006 at a Special Called Meeting prior to the Zoning Public Hearing. The budget being considered incorporates all changes made during the budget preparation process and represents a balanced budget.

Chairman Freeman called for comments from the public. Mr. Wilson addressed questions and concerns.

2. Review of presentation of retirement plan options for Spalding County employees.

Human Resources Director William Gay delivered a PowerPoint presentation to commissioners, along with a handout. This presentation will be done on Wednesday for employees vested in the plan, and something not quite as elaborate for those in the DB plan. Cheryl Dallas and Larry Rothermel of GEBCorp will attend, as well. The objective is to provide an overall picture of retirement plans and the changes that are going to be made. This will be the first of two sets of meetings with the second being held in the Fall.

At one-on-one meetings, specific information will be available for plan elections, accrued DB benefit, DC account balance and employment history. Employees will have to decide after individual meetings but before December 31, 2006, and personnel will be available to assist. Commissioners were invited to come to Wednesday's meeting, as well.

III. ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner McDaniel moved to adjourn at 5:40 p.m., seconded by Commissioner Davis and motion carried by a unanimous vote.

County Clerk

Chairman

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