

The Effingham County Board of Commissioners
SPLOST Workshop

The Board of Commissioners of Effingham County, Georgia, Mr. Wendall Kessler Chairman, Mr. Forrest Floyd – Vice Chairperson, Mrs. Vera Jones, Mr. Jamie Deloach, Mr. Reginald Loper and Mr. Phil Kieffer, met in a workshop at 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 15, 2016 at the Effingham County Administrative Complex.

PERSONS ATTENDING THE MEETING

Mr. Toss Allen-County Administrator, Mrs. Stephanie Johnson- County Clerk, Mrs. Joanna Wright – Finance Director, Mr. Clarence Morgan-Recreation Director and Ms. Gg Rigsby

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Kessler called the workshop to order.

WORKSHOP

County Administrator Allen explained meetings are being scheduled with the cities and the Board to discuss the SPLOST referendum. A calendar has been presented outlining a schedule of dates.

Topics of discussion were revenues and receipts for the past two years and total anticipated SPLOST. The proposed SPLOST calendar and resolution were also discussed.

The Board and Staff conversed about the options of entering into a SPLOST via percentages or intergovernmental agreement, projects that meet

tier 1 project requirements and projects proposed under the upcoming SPLOST referendum.

County Administrator Allen gave a review of Capital Project funding including but not limited to the Recreation facility, Animal Shelter improvements, Effingham Parkway, ambulances, sheriff vehicles and a booster station.

Staff asked for feedback from the Board on how to proceed and projects they would like to see listed.

Ms. Amy Tuttle approached asking the Board to consider a performing arts or civic center as a project under SPLOST.

ADJOURNMENT

The workshop adjourned at 4:56 pm.


Wendall Kessler, Chairman


Stephanie Johnson, County Clerk