

Effingham County Transportation Advisory Board

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June 19, 2012

Transportation Advisory Meeting

Present: Mr. Dennis Webb, Mr. Lamar Allen, Mr. Tommy Blewett, Rep. Ann Purcell, Mr. Phil Kieffer, Mr. John Henry, Dr. Brenda Lovett, Mr. Brett Bennett, Mr. Brad Saxon, Ms. Dina King, Mr. David Crawley, Mr. Bill Hitchens and Mr. Toss Allen

Meeting Called to Order: The meeting was called to order at 8:35 a.m. by Mr. Webb.

Approval of Agenda: A motion was made by Mr. Allen and seconded by Mr. Blewett to approve the agenda. The motion was carried by all.

Approval of Minutes: Motion to approve the minutes from May 15, 2012 was made by Dr. Lovett, seconded by Mr. Blewett, and carried by all.

Old Business:

Item 1: Discussion of On Going Transportation Projects

Mr. Saxon discussed the status of on-going DOT projects. The right-of-way plans for the State Route 26/US 80 @ Ogeechee River and Overflow project have been approved. The money for right-of-way acquisition has been moved up to fiscal year 2012. The shoulder work on CR 311 from SR 26 to CR 221 and CR 140 from Chatham Co. to CR 156 will be let this month.

Mr. Henry stated that the IDA has received bids on the Old River Road/Van Road improvement project and that the project should be awarded to the lowest bidder latter this week.

Mr. Allen stated that the section of Ft. Howard Road located between The City of Rincon's project and the County's project would be added to the Old Augusta Road Phases 2A and 2B project as a change order to the existing contract.

New Business:

Item 1: T-SPLOST Committee

The Board had a general discussion on the status of the Chamber's T-SPLOST committee as well as the efforts of the Connect Georgia 2012 group.

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Item 2: Board Appointments

Mr. Allen stated that Mr. Blewett and Mr. Zipperer have both agreed to serve another term on the Transportation Advisory Board. The recommendation will go before the Effingham County Board of Commissioners in August.

Adjournment:

A motion was made by Mr. Webb to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:49 a.m.