

# PUTNAM COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



117 Putnam Drive, Suite A ♦ Eatonton, GA 31024

## Budget Work Session

### Minutes

Tuesday, July 12, 2022 ♦ 9:00 AM

Putnam County Administration Building – Room 204

The Putnam County Board of Commissioners met on Tuesday, July 12, 2022 at approximately 9:00 AM in the Putnam County Administration Building, 117 Putnam Drive, Room 204, Eatonton, Georgia for a Budget Work Session.

#### *PRESENT*

Chairman Billy Webster  
Commissioner Gary McElhenney  
Commissioner Daniel Brown  
Commissioner Jeff Wooten

#### *ABSENT*

Commissioner Bill Sharp

#### *STAFF PRESENT*

County Manager Paul Van Haute  
County Clerk Lynn Butterworth  
Finance Director Linda Cook

### **Opening**

#### 1. Call to Order

Chairman Webster called the meeting to order at approximately 9:00 a.m.  
(Copy of agenda made a part of the minutes on minute book page \_\_\_\_\_.)

#### 2. Pledge of Allegiance

Fire Chief Thomas McClain led the Pledge of Allegiance.

### **Work Session**

#### 3. Budget Discussions

Various budget requests were discussed. Comments were made by Thomas McClain for Fire Stations; Brad Murphey for Ambulance Service; Howard Sills for Sheriff, Jail, Emergency Management, & E911; Hollis Harrison for Coroner; Lynne Laseter for Board of Elections & Registration; Tony Clack and Anthony Frazier for Public Works; Scott Haley for Recreation Department; Michael Benton for Uncle Remus Golf Course (handout).

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The work session recessed for lunch at approximately 12:30 p.m.  
The work session reconvened at approximately 1:20 p.m.

Discussions continued with Dianne Pounds for Public Transit Systems; Christine Tillman for Animal Services; Stephanie McMullen for Public Relations and Public Buildings.  
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**Closing**

4. Adjournment

Chairman Webster adjourned the work session at approximately 2:27 p.m.

ATTEST:

Lynn Butterworth  
County Clerk

Billy Webster  
Chairman

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