

# PUTNAM COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



117 Putnam Drive, Suite A ♦ Eatonton, GA 31024

## **Budget Work Session**

### **Minutes**

**Monday, July 12, 2021 ♦ 9:00 AM**

*Putnam County Administration Building – Room 204*

The Putnam County Board of Commissioners met on Monday, July 12, 2021 at approximately 9:00 AM in the Putnam County Administration Building, 117 Putnam Drive, Room 203, Eatonton, Georgia for a Budget Work Session.

#### *PRESENT*

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

#### *STAFF PRESENT*

County Manager Paul Van Haute  
County Clerk Lynn Butterworth  
Finance Director Linda Cook  
Accounting Technician Donna Todd

#### **Opening**

1. Call to Order

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

Vice Chairman Brown led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Chairman Webster went over the ground rules. This session is for listening to the various departments and offices review their FY22 budget requests.

#### **Work Session**

2. Budget Discussions

Various budget requests were discussed. Comments were made by Thomas McClain for Fire Stations; Trevor Addison for Clerk of Superior Court, Board of Equalization, State & Juvenile Court; Alan Horton, Tom Thompson and Pam Douglas for Putnam General Hospital; Stacy Brown for Eatonton Public Library (handouts); Keith Fielder for County Extension Service;

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Brandy Huskins for Probate Court (handouts); Michael Gailey for State Court Judge; Dorothy Adams for Magistrate Court; Russell Thomas for Solicitor's Office & Victim Witness Assistance Fund; Lynn Butterworth for District Commissioners; Paul Van Haute for Executive Officers and Solid Waste Fund, Chuck Anglin for Tax Assessors; Linda Cook for Finance Department and General Administration and Health Department; Stephanie McMullen for Public Relations and Public Buildings; Pam Lancaster and Terrell Abernathy for Tax Commissioner (handout). No action was taken.  
(Copy of handouts made a part of the minutes on minute book pages \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.)

**Closing**

3. Adjournment

Chairman Webster adjourned the work session at approximately 3:42 p.m.

ATTEST:

Lynn Butterworth  
County Clerk

Billy Webster  
Chairman

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