

Stewart County Board of Commissioners

2023 Budget Public Hearing Minutes

November 8, 2022- - 4:15 PM

The Stewart County Board of Commissioners held a Public Budget Hearing on November 8, 2022. The meeting convened at 4:15 PM at the Stewart County Courthouse with Chairman Joseph B. Williams presiding.

Roll Call

Commissioners in attendance:

Chairman Joseph B. Williams
Vice Chair Arcola Scott
Commissioner Tyrone Nelson

Commissioner NOT in attendance:

Commissioner Joe Lee Williams
Commissioner Thomas Mayo

Other Staff in Attendance:

Mac Moye (County Manager)
Carole Stewart (County Clerk)

Proposed 2023 Budget was reviewed and discussed.

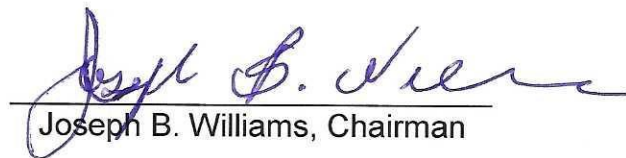
→ Commissioner Joe Lee Williams entered the meeting at 4:22 PM

Vice Chair Arcola Scott moved to adjourn work session meeting; seconded by Commissioner Tyrone Nelson. All were in favor and motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 4:30 PM.



Carole Stewart, Clerk



Joseph B. Williams, Chairman

Stewart County Board of Commissioners
Regular Meeting Minutes
November 8, 2022 – 4:30 PM

The Stewart County Board of Commissioners held a Regular Meeting on November 8, 2022. The meeting convened at 4:30 PM at the Stewart County Courthouse with Chairman Joseph B. Williams presiding.

Pledge of Allegiance – In unison

Roll Call

Commissioners in attendance:

Chairman Joseph B. Williams
Vice-Chair Arcola Scott
Commissioner Joe Lee Williams
Commissioner Tyrone Nelson

Commissioners not in attendance:

Commissioner Thomas Mayo

Other Staff in Attendance:

Mac Moye, County Manager
Carole Stewart, County Clerk
Binford Minter, County Attorney

Reading and Approval of Minutes – Commissioner Joe Lee Williams moved to approve October 11, 2022 Regular Meeting minutes and October 18, 2022 Budget Work Session minutes; seconded by Vice Chair Arcola Scott. All were in favor and the motion carried.

Public Appearances –

- A. Tiffany Patterson, representing the Patterson Family of Renfroe Road** – addressed the commission regarding their concerns over Renfroe Road, expressing desire to have a useable road. County Attorney explained the abandonment process.

➔ **Commissioner Thomas Mayo entered the meeting at 4:53 PM**

Vice Chair Arcola Scott moved to not pursue the abandonment process; seconded by Commissioner Joe Lee Williams. All were in favor and the motion carried.

Administrative Matters –

- A. Proclamation of 155th Anniversary of Bethel AME Church** – Vice Chair Arcola Scott moved to approve proclamation; seconded by Commissioner Joe Lee Williams. All were in favor and the motion carried.

Reports:

- A. Financial Report** – financial reports provided and reviewed.
B. Road Superintendent - Eugene Haynes presented the October 2022 report on the Road Department.

- C. **Public Safety Director** – Chief Greg Stewart was not present, however the October 2022 EMS/Fire report was provided. Commissioner Joe Lee Williams moved to approve Chief Stewart’s application for the NFP/VFA Volunteer Fire Assistance Grant; seconded by Commissioner Tyrone Nelson. All were in favor and motion carried.
- D. **County Attorney** – County Attorney Bin Minter discussed topics prevalent to the county.
- E. **County Manager** – Mac Moye provided his report on the county for October 11 – November 8, 2022.

Old Business:

- A. **Animal Control** – County Manager is to attend the next Lumpkin City Council meeting
- B. **EMS Building** – County Manager provided update.

New Business:

- A. **Proposed speed limit reduction on Old Louvale Rd** – Commissioner Joe Lee Williams moved to reduce the speed limit on Old Louvale Rd; seconded by Commissioner Tyrone Nelson. All were in favor and motion carried
- B. **First Responder’s Appreciation Luncheon** – Topic discussed.

Commissioners’ Comments:

Commissioner Thomas Mayo - none

Commissioner Joe Lee Williams – Happy Thanksgiving to everyone.

Commissioner Tyrone Nelson - none

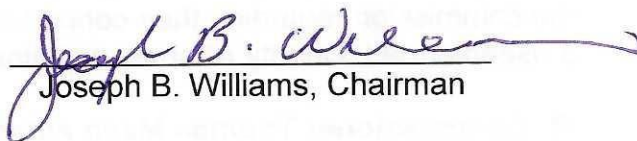
Vice-Chair Arcola Scott – none

Commissioner Joe Lee Williams moved to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Commissioner Tyrone Nelson. All were in favor and the motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 6:03 PM.



Carole Stewart, Clerk



Joseph B. Williams, Chairman