

**MINUTES OF A BUDGET WORKSHOP OF THE GILCHRIST COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HELD JULY 17, 2006.**

The Gilchrist County Board of County Commissioners, in and for Gilchrist County Florida, convened in a regular meeting on Monday, July 17, 2006 at 5:00 p.m. in the Board of County Commissioners Meeting Room located at 210 South Main Street, Trenton, Florida, with the following members present to-wit:

**Commissioner Tommy Langford, Chairperson**  
**Commissioner Durden, Vice-Chairperson**  
**Commissioner Kenrick Thomas**  
**Commissioner Sharon Langford**  
**Commissioner Mitchell Gentry**

**Others in attendance were:** Jacki Johnson, Finance Director, Janice Wasson, Deputy Clerk, Ron McQueen, County Administrator, John Ayers, Susan Bryant, Alan Mikell, Terry Parrish, Damon Leggett, Molly Brannon, Sheryl Brown, Tony Smith, Daniel Slaughter, Harvey Montgomery, Rob Willis, Tony Cruse, Marilyn Bruce, Delight Curtis, Sheriff David Turner, Ron Mills, Joe Gilliam, Clerk of Court, Billy Cannon, Nate Ingram, and Ken Kopczynski.

**Call to Order:**

Chairperson Tommy Langford called the meeting to order at 5:03 p.m.

**Susan Bryant, Supervisor of Elections:** (1/10) Ms. Bryant addressed the Board and presented her proposed budget, reviewing each line item.

**Marilyn Bruce, Tax Collector:** (1/275) Ms. Bruce addressed the Board and presented her proposed budget, reviewing each line item and increases requested.

**Damon Leggett, Property Appraiser's Office:** (1/569) Mr. Leggett addressed the Board and presented his proposed budget, reviewing each line item.

**Joseph Gilliam, Clerk of Court:** (1/658) Mr. Gilliam addressed the Board and presented his proposed budget, reviewing each line item, and stating that the budget to the Board decreased.

**Public Comments:** (1/778) Chairperson Tommy Langford called for public comments or questions, with none received.

**Sheriff David Turner:** (1/792-2/90) Sheriff Turner addressed the Board and presented his proposed budget, reviewing each individual budget within the Sheriff's budget. Sheriff Turner referred to a salary pay plan approved by the Board in 2003. Lt. Brown addressed the Board in regards to the Corrections Officers for the jail, and Ken Kopczynski, Police Benevolent Association, in regards to supporting the budget as submitted.

**Budget Committee Meeting:** (1/91) Mr. McQueen reported to the Board on the Budget Committee Meeting held last week, and advised the Board of the upcoming meeting to be held. He also discussed the report from xxx on the salary survey completed.

**Budget Recap:** (2/177) Ms. Johnson advised the Board of the amended budget recap presented to the Board due to the change in the SHIP office and the miscalculation of the distribution revenues.

**Sheriff David Turner (Continued):** (2/294) Sheriff Turner readdressed the Board and discussed several issues such as salaries, salary pay plan, and insurance premiums.

**July 20, 2006 Budget Workshop:** (2/722) The Board discussed upcoming workshops and scheduled a Budget Workshop for Monday, July 31, 2006 at 5:00 p.m.

**August 7, 2006 Board Meeting:** (2/859) Commissioner Sharon Langford requested changing the time of the meeting from 1:15 p.m. to 3:00p.m., with the Board agreeing.

**Solid Waste, Metal Collections Bin:** (2/885) Commissioner Sharon Langford stated that she had received complaints regarding the removal if the metal collection bin at Southeast, and requested that the bid be replaced and notification be posted if assistance is required.

**Adjournment:** (2/00)

There being no further business, Commissioner Durden *moved* to adjourn the meeting at 6:40 p.m. Motion seconded by Commissioner Gentry, and carried unanimously.

APPROVED:

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Tommy Langford, Chairperson

ATTEST:

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Joseph W. Gilliam, Clerk