

MINUTES

The City of Blountstown, County of Calhoun, State of Florida, met in a Final Budget Hearing on Monday, October 2, 2023 at 5:01 P.M. at the City Council Meeting Room. The following members of the City Council present were: Mayor Tony Shoemake, Councilman Bill Gaskin, Councilwoman Sheila Blackburn, and Councilwoman Mert Stephens.

Councilman Jackson was absent.

Also present were: City Manager, Traci S. Hall, Public Works Director, Phillip Griffin, Fire Chief, Ben Hall, Police Chief Mark Mallory, and Council Secretary Joni Lambeth.

Mayor Shoemake called the meeting to order at 5:01 P.M. Mayor Shoemake led the Invocation. Councilman Gaskin led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The purpose of this meeting was to hold the Final Budget Hearing.

Councilman Gaskin made the motion to approve and adopt proposed budget for FY 23-24. Councilwoman Stephens seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Mrs. Hall read the 2nd and Final Reading of Ordinance 2023-08: An Ordinance establishing Ad Valorem Millage Rate of 1.500 Mills For 2023-2024 by Title Only. Councilman Gaskin made the motion to adopt the 2nd and Final Reading. Councilwoman Stephens seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Mrs. Hall read the 2nd and Final Reading of Ordinance 2023-09: An Ordinance Adopting Budget for FY 2023-2024 by Title Only. Councilman Gaskin made the motion to accept the 2nd reading. Councilwoman Stephens seconded the motion. The motion passed.

There being no further business Councilman Gaskin made a motion to adjourn. Councilwoman Stephens seconded the motion. The motion passed. Mayor Shoemake adjourned the meeting at 5:04 PM.

BY: 
Tony Shoemake, Mayor

ATTEST: 
Traci S. Hall, City Manager