

**ABBEVILLE COUNTY COUNCIL
BUDGET WORKSHOP
MAY 29, 2012
MINUTES**

PRESENT: Chairman McClain, Vice Chairman Campbell, Councilmen Klugh, Calhoun, Thomas and Stone.

ABSENT: Councilman Norris

CALL TO ORDER:

Chairman McClain called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

INVOCATION:

County Director Bruce Cooley gave the invocation.

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT:

Chairman McClain stated for the record that the agenda has been posted and notice has been provided to the local news media as required by the Freedom of Information Act.

BUDGET WORKSHOP:

Council discussed the following changes to the budget:

- 1) Receiving of all LGF from state placed in fund balance and left alone.
- 2) Plan for increasing the dwindling fund balance in the coming years.
- 3) Charge USDA total cost of all expenditures the County would incur (i.e. cleaning, cabling, etc.)
- 4) Reduce Current Real Estate (100-311-31110) amount by \$180,000.00 and place amount in fund balance.
- 5) Lost Property Tax Rollback (100-311-31115) at .0008 rates instead of .0016.
- 6) Reduce Sheriff Contingency (100-600-42172-80030) to zero.

A motion was made by Councilman Klugh to go into Executive Session for personnel issues. Councilman Calhoun seconded the motion. The motion carried 6-0-0.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Chairman McClain reconvened the meeting following executive session and announced that no items needed to be addressed.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further items of discussion Vice Chairman Campbell made a motion to adjourn. Councilman Thomas seconded the motion. The motion carried 6-0-0.

The workshop adjourned at 9:34 p.m.

Done this 11 day of June, 2012

Abbeville County Council

By: Robert B. McClain
Robert B. McClain, Chairman

ATTEST:

By: Lynn Sopolosky
Lynn Sopolosky, Clerk to Council