



SPECIAL CALLED MEETING Cherokee County Board of Commissioners MINUTES

July 18, 2017

Cherokee Hall, 1130 Bluffs Parkway, Canton, GA 30114 11:00 AM

CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Ahrens called the meeting to order at 11:05 a.m. Those present included Commissioner Raymond Gunnin; Commissioner Bob Kovacs; Commissioner Scott Gordon; County Manager, Jerry Cooper; County Clerk, Christy Black. Also present were Agency Directors/Department Heads; the media; and the public. Commissioner Steve West was absent.

1. Public Hearing on the 2017 Millage Rate.

Scott Gordon made a motion to open the Public Hearing at 11:05 a.m.; Bob Kovacs seconded. The resulting vote was Passed, 4-0. Absent: West

Mr. Cooper gave a brief overview of the presentation. There will be a proposal of 5.483 which is actually below the rollback rate and a reduction of .04 percent and the use of reserves of \$500,000. He stated that it would be a surprise to actually have to use the reserves. He stated that the Fire District rate is 3.298 which is below the current rate of 3.366, and the Park Bond is a reduction as well from .609 to .581. He stated that all three millage rates will be proposed to be lowered. The advertised rate in the General Fund will be a full rollback plus a reduction of .04 percent.

Chairman Ahrens stated that no one had signed up to speak.

Bob Kovacs made a motion to close the Public Hearing at 11:09 a.m.; Raymond Gunnin seconded. The resulting vote was Passed, 4-0. Absent: West

ADJOURN

Hearing nothing more to come before the Board, Scott Gordon made a motion to adjourn at 11:10 a.m.; Bob Kovacs seconded. The resulting vote was Passed, 4-0. Absent: West