CALLED SESSION
TIFT COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2019 (1:00 PM)

The Called Session of the Tift County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Grady Thompson on Friday, November 1, 2019 at 1:00 pm in the Commission Meeting Room of the Charles Kent Administration Building. Members of the Commission present were: Chairman Grady Thompson and Commissioners Tony McBrayer, Donnie Hester, Fred “Buck” Rigdon, Stan Stalnaker and Melissa Hughes. Commissioner Greg Wood was absent.

CALLED SESSION AGENDA:

A. Submission of Georgia Transportation Infrastructure Bank (GTIB) Grant Application for WB Parks Road: County Manager Jim Carter stated this application is for infrastructure improvements on WB Parks Road. This road is heavily used by a local farmer who has an estimated $22M impact on our County farm gate. This is a $2M paving project. With this infrastructure grant, we are asking the State to fund a third of the project and asking the Development Authority to fund a third leaving the County with the responsibility to fund a third of the project. If this application is approved, a grant agreement will come before the Board. Depending on the timing of the grant, the County’s funding will come from SPLOST, TSPLOST or Reserves. Commissioner Tony McBrayer made a motion to approve Resolution No. 2019-11 which authorizes the submission of this grant application. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Stan Stalnaker. Motion carried 6-0 with the Chairman voting.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Commissioner Melissa Hughes made a motion to enter into Executive Session to discuss a legal matter. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Fred “Buck” Rigdon. Motion carried 6-0 with the Chairman voting.

Commissioner Fred “Buck” Rigdon made a motion to adjourn the Executive Session. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Stan Stalnaker. Motion carried 6-0 with the Chairman voting.

ADJOURN: There being no further discussion, Commissioner Tony McBrayer made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Stan Stalnaker. Motion carried 6-0 with the Chairman voting.

Chairman Grady Thompson, District 1
Commissioner Donnie Hester, District 1
Commissioner Stan Stalnaker, District 4
Vice Chairman Greg Wood, District 6

Commissioner Tony McBrayer, District 3
Commissioner Melissa Hughes, District 2
Commissioner Fred “Buck” Rigdon, District 5

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