

**LUNENBURG COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
GENERAL DISTRICT COURTROOM
LUNENBURG COURTS BUILDING
LUNENBURG, VIRGINIA**

Minutes of June 2, 2022 Budget Public Hearing

The public hearing for the FY23 Budget of the Lunenburg County Board of Supervisors was held on Thursday, June 2, 2022 at 6:00 pm in the General District Courtroom, Lunenburg Courts Building, Lunenburg, Virginia. The following members were present: Supervisors Frank Bacon, Edward Pennington, Alvester Edmonds, Mike Hankins, Charles R. Slayton, Robert Zava, T. Wayne Hoover, County Administrator Tracy M. Gee, and Deputy Administrator Nicole Clark.

Chairman Slayton reconvened the meeting, continued from May 12, 2022.

Supervisor Bacon made motion, seconded by Supervisor Edmonds and unanimously approved, to enter public hearing on the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 Lunenburg County Budget.

Administrator Gee discussed the FY2022-23 proposed budget. She noted that the Emergency Services functional budget increased \$60,000 to support additional staffing needs. She commented that preliminary figures from the Compensation Board show a five percent COLA increase for FY2022-23 and another five percent for FY2023-24. They are also reviewing potential bonuses for the Sheriff's departments. Administrator Gee noted that she had received a request to consider reinstating mileage reimbursements for supervisors when attending out of county meetings. She requested each supervisor provide her with the number of out of county meetings they attend each month so that she may prepare an estimated cost. Administrator Gee commented that the mileage reimbursement is not included in the proposed budget. If the Board decides to implement it, it will be an increase to the budget. Also, if a siting agreement is approved for Red Brick Solar, LLC, that will be another increase.

Supervisor Bacon made motion, seconded by Supervisor Edmonds and unanimously approved, to exit public hearing.

Supervisor Hoover questioned if Board members had the ability to attend a meeting remotely. Administrator Gee replied that the policy allows for up to two meetings to be attended virtually.

Supervisor Bacon made motion, seconded by Supervisor Pennington and unanimously approved, to adjourn the meeting.

Tracy M. Gee, Clerk
County Administrator

Charles R. Slayton, Chairman
Board of Supervisors