

CALLED SESSION
TIFT COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
Monday, February 15, 2016

The scheduled Called Session of the Tift County Board of Commissioners was called to order by Chairman Thompson on Monday, February 15, 2016 at 5:30 PM in the Commissioners Meeting Room in the Administrative Building. Member of the Commission present including Chairman Thompson were Vice Chairman Hughes and Commissioners Robert Setters, Buck Rigdon, Stan Stalnaker, Donnie Hester and Greg Wood.

REGULAR AGENDA:

A. Purchase of Fire/Rescue Personal Protective Equipment: The County Manager and Public Safety Director, Jason Jones addressed the Board stating that the protective equipment had been rebid and gave a summary sheet of the bid tabulation. There were four vendors that submitted a bid. The purchase will be for 52 sets of protective equipment gear and the bids were broken down by each piece to a set by low bidder. There was \$150,000 allotted for this expenditure. It is Staff's recommendation to purchase the equipment as follows:

- A. Purchase 52 Sets of Coats and Pants from Bennett Fire Products in the amount of \$96,876
- B. Purchase 52 Helmets from Fisher Safety for \$12,844
- C. Purchase 52 pair of gloves from Fisher Safety in the amount of \$5,720
- D. Purchase 52 hoods from Municipal Equipment Company in the amount of \$1,612
- E. Purchase 52 pair of boots from NAFZECO in the amount of \$16,276

The total expenditure is \$133,328.

Motion was made by Commissioner Setters to purchase the Fire/Rescue Personal Protective Equipment as presented by staff, seconded by Commissioner Hughes. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Bo Edenfield was in the audience and after the vote asked to address the Board. He discussed some of the concerns he had with the bidding process and other issues.

Motion to adjourn was made by Commissioner Setters, seconded by Commissioner Stalnaker. Motion carried unanimously.

Executive Session: None

Chairman Grady Thompson, District 7

Vice Chairman Melissa Hughes, District 2

Commissioner Donnie Hester, District 1

Commissioner Robert Setters, District 3

Commissioner Stan Stalnaker, Dist. 4

Commissioner F. W. (Buck) Rigdon, District 5

Commissioner Greg Wood, District 6

Attest: _____
Glynda Hemby, County Clerk
2/15/2016