







City Hall

156 Old Sunbury Rd. Flemington, GA 31313

## Paul Hawkins, MAYOR

## **WORKSHOP MINUTES**

GEORGIA

October 4th, 2022 at 1:00 pm. Flemington City Hall – 156 Old Sunbury Rd. 31313 Public Participation in Person

Present at City Hall: Mayor Paul Hawkins

Mayor Pro Tem David Edwards

Councilman Hasit Patel (Entered at 1:29 pm.)

Councilwoman Gail Evans Councilman Larry Logan Councilwoman Leigh Smiley Jenelle Gordon, City Clerk

Present via Telephone:

Absent:

None

(OR ZOOM VIDEO CONFERENCING)

Councilwoman Rene' Harwell Craig Stafford, City Attorney

SGT Anthony Gallob, Liberty County Sheriff's Office ("LCSO")

- 1. The workshop of the Council of the City of Flemington was called to order by Mayor Paul Hawkins on Tuesday, October 4th, 2022 at 1:23 p.m. in the Council Room at Flemington City Hall. A quorum necessary to conduct business was visibly present.
- 2. Mayor Hawkins welcomed all attendees, both in person and virtually.
- 3. Mr. Sack, City Engineer, opened the discussion regarding City of Flemington roads. Mr. Sack gave a Power Point presentation showing all the main roads and tasked each Council member to fill out individual assessments to rank the roads from worst to best after driving the roads. Mr. Sack stated that the LCPC would get traffic counts of the main roads. He also stated that the Liberty County Board of Commissioners had requested a list compiled from the returned assessments as to where the Council felt assistance with funding was most critical. Assessments were to be filled out and returned to Mr. Sack as part of a future presentation.
- 4. Mayor Hawkins opened the discussion of a millage rate to be imposed on the citizens of Flemington. There was discussion held regarding the millage rate needed. Some concerns of the Council were future funding of a new City Hall, power bills, landscaping, and fire services. While proponents of 3.5 mills or higher cited funding the future and building reserves, those opposed cited not overtaxing the citizens. Ultimately, *Councilman Edwards made a motion to move forward with the millage rate discussion around 3 mils. Councilwoman Evans seconded the motion. All approved. The motion passed.*

5.	Councilman Edwards made a motion to adjourn. passed and the workshop adjourned at 2:42 p.m.		tion. All approved.	The motion
Respectfully Prepared and Submitted by:  Jenelle Gordon, City Clerk				
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