

TOWN OF SHARPSBURG
MINUTES OF PUBLIC HEARING

January 22, 2007

An open and public hearing, posted pursuant to the open meetings law, was held on Monday, January 22, 2007, at 6:30 pm in the Town of Sharpsburg at the Bridges Recreation Center.

Present were the following: Wendell Staley, Mayor; Clay Cole, Council Member; Larry Hyde, Council Member; Stan Parten, Council Member; Robin Spradlin, Town Administrator; Donna Camp, Town Clerk. Council Member Derrick McElwaney was absent.

The purpose of the Public Hearing was to receive public input and comments on the proposed 2007 General Fund and SPLOST Fund Budgets.

The Mayor opened the meeting by welcoming the citizens in attendance and explaining the purpose of the meeting.

The Town Administrator explained the public notice that had been published in the local newspaper had run only four days prior to the public hearing and state law requires seven days. As a result, the Mayor and Council have called a second public hearing on February 5, 2007 at 6:30pm. Agenda items to adopt the 2007 budgets and set the millage rate will be moved to the Agenda of the February 5th meeting. The second public hearing will also be published in the local newspaper and posted at Bridges Recreation Center.

The Mayor asked the public and Council for comments and the following citizens were recognized and their comments heard:

Herb Bridges
Rick Risley
Polly Garlington
Cindy Neal

There was no official action taken and the Public Hearing was adjourned.

Donna M. Camp
Town Clerk