



Talbot County Board of Commissioners

August 15, 2022

The Talbot County Board of Commissioners held a Public Hearing, Monday, August 15, 2022, at 11:00 a.m., at the Talbot County Board of Commissioners Office, located at 35 West Madison Street, Talbotton, Georgia.

Chair Sher'Londa Walker, Vice-Chair Franklin Holmes, Commissioner Ken Chapman, and Commissioner Larry Sparks were in attendance. Edward Davis, County Attorney, Carol Ison, County Manager, and Jona Gibson, County Clerk were also in attendance. Chair Walker arrived a few minutes late.

Vice-Chair Holmes called the Public Hearing to order at 11:00 a.m. and informed everyone that the purpose of the hearing was to discuss the proposed millage rate which will require an increase in property taxes by 14.53 percent.

Vice-Chair Holmes turned the meeting over to Chair Walker who arrived about 10 minutes after hearing started.

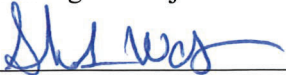
Chair Walker informed citizens that the tentative increase will result in a millage rate of 17.440 mills, which would be an increase of 2.2 mills. Without the tentative tax increase, the millage rate would be no more than 15.228 mills. The proposed tax increase for a home with a fair market value of \$100,000 is approximately \$88.48 and the proposed tax increase for a non-homestead property with a fair market value of \$300,000 would be approximately \$265.44.

The following citizens spoke in opposition to the tax increase:

Harry Cook, Nellie Rolax, Willie Willis, James Huff, James Tyrell, and Fella Carter.

After a brief question and answer session, Vice-Chair Holmes made a motion to adjourn the hearing. Commissioner Chapman seconded the motion. The vote passed 4-0-0.

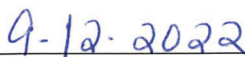
Hearing was adjourned.



Sher'Londa Walker, Chairperson



Carol Ison, County Manager



Date