

Minutes
Road Improvement Workshop
September 4, 2019

Present: Chairman Jackie Trim, Commissioner Bobby Kennedy, Commissioner GW Thompson, Commissioner Wayne Tatum and Commissioner Bill Kicklighter.

Absent: Commissioner Edward Kennedy.

Staff Present: Frank H. Murphy, County Manager, Christy D. McCall, County Clerk, and Lynn Cribbs, Road Superintendent.

Chairman Trim called the meeting to order at 10:01 a.m. and welcomed everyone.

Chairman Trim then gave the invocation and lead the pledge of allegiance.

1) TIA Projects

The County Engineer, Dennis Odom was absent due to a death in the family. Mr. Murphy presented the Transportation Investment Act (TIA) projects list on behalf of Mr. Odom.

Mr. Murphy explained the new TIA project list would be for the next 10-year TIA. The county must submit their TIA project list by the 15th for TIA to be on the 2020 ballot for approval.

The attached list was presented for changes and recommendations. All Commissioners agreed on the TIA project list with no changes or recommendations. The TIA project list will be on the September 9, 2019 Commissioners meeting agenda for approval.

2) Crew Leader position

Mr. Cribbs approached the Board regarding the need for a Crew leader position within the Road department.

Mr. Cribbs was the former crew leader and is now the Road Superintendent. Mr. Cribbs explained that the previous Road Superintendent communicated with Commissioners, attended meetings, handled the Road department budget and maintained the equipment list. Mr. Cribbs as prior crew leader, handled work orders, dealt with employees and scheduled day to day work operations. He explained the need for a Crew leader to interact and manage employee's day to day. He stated that he would be neglecting his new duty as Road Superintendent if he continued to do both his new duties and old duties as Crew Leader.

Mr. Cribbs stated that the Lead or Crew Leader must be able to shoot grade and run all types of equipment. This person would need to be subtle but firm. He further stated he felt the Crew Leader would need to be a Pay Grade 15 which starts out at \$18.29 per hour. The money is already in the budget as the position was never filled upon Mr. Cribbs

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promotion to Road Superintendent. Mr. Cribbs also clarified that he would still schedule day to day work operations even if a Crew Leader was hired.

Several Commissioners along with Chairman Trim recommended to advertise for the Crew Leader position to give everyone a fair chance to include all current road department employees who may be interested in this position.

All Commissioners agreed there is a need for a Crew Leader and the job should be advertised. This will be on the September 9, 2019 Commissioners meeting agenda for approval and to appoint a committee to conduct interviews.

Commissioner Kennedy asked if we could discuss animal control. Chairman Trim stated that it is was not on the workshop agenda. He further stated that he plans to set up a meeting with Mark Murrah of the Department of Agriculture regarding our animal control and he would like to wait until he meets with Mr. Murrah to get some information before the Board discusses particulars regarding animal control.

There was a motion by Commissioner GW Thompson and 2nd by Commissioner Bobby Kennedy to adjourn the workshop at 10:47 a.m. Motion carried unanimously.

JACKIE C. TRIM, CHAIRMAN



CHRISTY D. MCCALL, COUNTY CLERK



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TATTNALL COUNTY SPLOS 2 LIST 08-21-19

Order	Rd No.	Name	Dist	Begin - End	COST ESTIMATE*	Length	Project Type
1	508	Baxter Durrence Rd	5	SR121 - US301	\$1,257,100	9.67	Resurfacing
2	396	Loves Chapel Rd	4	Glennville City Limits - Harmony Ch Rd	\$542,000	4.17	Resurfacing
3	369	Harmony Church Rd	3&4	Loves Chapel Rd - US301	\$568,000	4.37	Resurfacing
4	468	Anderson Church Rd	1	SR292 - Evans County	\$735,000	5.66	Resurfacing
5	295	Rushing Boone Rd	5	SRI78 - SR121	\$1,554,000	2.68	New Paving
6	N/A	Reidsville NW Bypass	2	Lynntown Rd - US280 New Road Alignm.	\$928,000	1.60	New Construction
7	N/A	Beards Creek Connector	3	Beards Creek Church Rd - Hencart Rd	\$162,000	0.28	New Construction

\$5,746,100

*Cost Estimate based on \$130,000 per mile for resurfacing. This includes 1" of leveling and 1.5" resurfacing.
 Cost Estimate based on \$580,000 per mile for new construction. This does not include right of way or utility costs.

