

A budget workshop of the City Commission of the City of Apalachicola was held on Tuesday, August 24, 2010 at 6:00 PM at the Apalachicola Community Center, #1 Bay Avenue, Apalachicola, Florida.

Present: Mayor Van Johnson, Commissioner Jimmy Elliott, Commissioner Brenda Ash, Commissioner Mitchell Bartley, Commissioner Frank Cook, City Administrator Betty Webb, City Clerk Lee Mathes, Water & Sewer Foreman William Cox, Public Works Foreman Wilbur Bellew, Chief of Police Bobby Varnes, Street Supervisor Marvin Croom, Fire Chief George Watkins

Visitors: Larry Smith, Shirley Byrd, Caty Greene, Greg Chancey, Gail Johnson, Darren Guillotte, Deborah Guillotte, Denise Roux, Joe Taylor, Tom Daly, Clarice Powell, John Layne, Chet Turner, Pam Lewis

Ms. Webb presented Commission with revised 2010-2011 proposed budget with revenue and expense adjustments. Ms. Webb reviewed changes that were made to budget.

Commissioner Ash commended department heads for their budget cuts.

Ms. Webb stating starting in October that there will be monthly staff meetings with department heads to go over budget.

Discuss held concerning how pay raises are given for certifications.

Tom Daly expressed concern over the Commission cutting the Library budget.

Mayor Johnson stated that at the next budget workshop, he will present realistic budget cuts.

Workshop adjourned.

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Van W. Johnson, Sr., Mayor

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Lee H. Mathes, City Clerk