



**BLAKELY CITY COUNCIL BUDGET WORKSHOP AND SPECIAL CALLED MEETING  
MINUTES**

**NOVEMBER 15, 2012**

**CITY HALL**

**6:00 P.M.**

**I) CALL TO ORDER, ROLL CALL, INVOCATION, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Mayor Howard called the meeting to order. Councilman Hutchins gave the invocation. Mayor Howard led the Council and guests in the Pledge of Allegiance. Let the record show that Mayor Howard, Councilman Mills, Councilman Middleton, Councilman Hutchins and Councilman Smith were all present. Also present were the City Attorney Tommy Coleman, City Clerk, Melinda Crook and the Utility Director, Charles Jenkins.

**II) RESOLUTION TO EXECUTE THE HAZARDOUS WASTE REIMBURSEMENT AGREEMENT**

A motion was made by Councilman Middleton and seconded by Councilman Mills to approve the Resolution to execute the Hazardous Waste Reimbursement Agreement. The motion carried unanimously

**III) BUDGET WORKSHOP**

The clerk and Utility Director went over the proposed budget with the council. They informed the Council of changes from the 2012 budget to the 2013 proposed budget. The Clerk and Utility Director answered questions from the Council regarding the proposed budget. There was discussion between the Council regarding the Public Safety proposed budget amount and at this time they Council chose to leave the amount the same as the 2012 budget. There was discussion between the Council regarding the budgeted amount for EC2055. They chose to make no changes to the amount at this time. The Clerk then went over the capital items per department, for SPLOST, with the Council and answered questions. The Clerk then went over the CDBG budget, the GEFA Stimulus budget, the Bond budget and the USDA budget and answered questions from the Council.

**IV) PUBLIC COMMENTS**

**V) ADJOURNMENT**

A motion was made by Councilman Mills and seconded by Councilman Middleton to adjourn the November 15<sup>th</sup> workshop meeting. The motion carried unanimously

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Anthony Howard, Mayor