

**UPSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING  
CITY-COUNTY MEETING ROOM – THOMASTON-UPSON GOVERNMENT COMPLEX  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2010  
6:00 P.M. – PUBLIC HEARING 2010 BUDGET  
7:00 P.M. – COMMISSION MEETING**

**Public Hearing**

Vice Chairman – Rusty Blackston called the Public Hearing to order. No one was present to speak or ask questions on the 2010 General Fund Budget.

Motion by Commissioner Hudson, Second by Commissioner Spraggins to exit Public Hearing.

**Commissioners Meeting**

Chairman Raines called the meeting to order. All Commissioners were present. Also present was County Attorney, Ed Trice. County Manager, Kyle Hood was absent. Commissioner, Steve Hudson gave the invocation.

**Adoption of Minutes**

Motion by Commissioner Spraggins, Second by Commissioner Blackston to approve the January 26<sup>th</sup> minutes as presented.

Commissioner Spraggins – yes  
Commissioner Blackston – yes

Commissioner Trice – yes  
Commissioner Hudson - yes

**Public Comments**

None

**Public Hearing**

County Attorney Ed Trice opened the floor for any discussions regarding a beer package & pouring license for Mr. Chad Hinton at 5055 Yatesville Hwy.

No one spoke for or against this beer application. Mr. Trice closed the Public Hearing.

**New Business**

- Motion by Commissioner Spraggins, Second by Commissioner Hudson to approve the Beer Package & Pouring License for Mr. Chad Hinton at BoneHeads located at 5055 Yatesville Hwy.

Commissioner Trice – yes  
Commissioner Blackston – abstain

Commissioner Hudson – yes  
Commissioner Spraggins - yes

- Motion by Commissioner Spraggins, Second by Commissioner Trice to approve the Memorandum of Agreement & the Addendum to the Memorandum of Agreement for the SAVE Program.

Commissioner Spraggins – yes  
Commissioner Hudson – yes

Commissioner Blackston – yes  
Commissioner Trice - yes

- Chairman Raines asked the Board to try to compile a list of 20 names by district to help with the 2010 Census Count. Commissioner Hudson asked the media to help the Board in getting the word out that they are looking for people to help with the 2010 Census. Chairman Raines stated that there will be a group out of Macon to help train the citizens for this.
- There was discussion on Delinquent Property taxes. Chairman Raines stated that right now the county gives a property owner 3 years to pay their taxes but he would like to see that changed to 1 year and 1 day due to the Economic times; this is what the law requires.

Motion by Commissioner Hudson, Second by Commissioner Spraggins to support the decision of the Tax Commissioner on the Delinquent Tax Issue.

Commissioner Spraggins – yes  
Commissioner Hudson – yes

Commissioner Blackston – yes  
Commissioner Trice - yes

**County Attorney**

- None

**Commissioner Spraggins**

- None

**Commissioner Hudson**

- The CDBG Grant for the GlenCliff Subdivision for \$500,000.00 the County will be receiving the funding for this. There has been no official notification as of yet, however one of the applicants dropped out and Upson County was next on the list to receive this grant.

**Commissioner Blackston**

- Commented on the state of the county roads that are being patched & maintained. He also asked about the City of Yatesville Funds through the SPLOST for Recreation Parks.

**Commissioner Trice**

- Commented on the damage to Triune Mill Rd. & Old Talbotton Rd.

**Chairman Raines**

- Retreat scheduled for Tuesday Feb. 16<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 P.M.

Motion & Second to Adjourn.

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**Chairman, Maurice Raines**

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**County Manager, Kyle Hood**

Commission Mtg.  
February 9, 2010

Commission Mtg.  
August 25, 2009