



# **MINUTES**

## **BUDGET, FINANCE, & ADMINISTRATION**

### **COMMITTEE**

#### **May 6, 2025**

#### **MEMBERS, ALL OCONEE COUNTY COUNCIL**

Mr. John Elliott, District I  
Matthew Durham, District II, Chairman  
Mr. Don Mize, District III  
Mr. Julian Davis, District IV  
Mr. Glenn Hart, District V

The Oconee County Budget, Finance & Administration Committee met Tuesday, May 6, 2025 at 4:30 PM in Council Chambers, Oconee County Administrative Offices, 415 South Pine Street, Walhalla, SC with all Committee members present, as well as County Administrator Amanda F. Brock, County Attorney David Root, and Clerk to Council, Jennifer C. Adams, present.

**Press:** Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, notice of the meeting, date, time, place of meeting and agenda were posted on the bulletin board at the County Administrative Offices, 415 South Pine Street, Walhalla, SC, and the County Council website [[www.oconeesc.com/council](http://www.oconeesc.com/council)]. In addition, it was made available *[upon request]* to the newspapers, radio stations, television stations and concerned citizens.

Members of the press present: None

Members of the staff present: Ladale Price / Finance Director, Christy Hubbard / County Auditor, James Coley / Planning Director, Phil Shirley / PRT Director

#### **Call to Order:**

Mr. Durham called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.

#### **Moment of Silence**

Mr. Durham asked for a moment of silence.

#### **Invocation**

Mr. Root, County Council Chaplain, gave the invocation.

#### **Pledge of Allegiance**

Mrs. Hubbard led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

#### **Approval of Minutes**

Mr. Elliott made a motion, seconded by Mr. Hart, approved 5 - 0, to approve the April 29, 2025 special meeting minutes as presented.

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## **Discussion Items**

### **FY 2025-2026 Budget Discussion and Review**

Ms. Brock addressed the Committee utilizing a budget document entitled, “Oconee County Administrator’s Recommended Budget 2025-2026” [copy filed in backup] and started by reviewing changes in the proposed FY 2025-2026 fee schedules.

Ms. Brock continued by giving an extended overview of the proposed budget document to the Committee.

During the budget overview, discussions were held between Committee members and Ms. Brock related to the proposed FY 2025-2026 budget.

Ending the meeting, Ms. Brock highlighted several Council priorities that are being addressed within the proposed budget and noted that this is a tight budget, with no proposed tax increase.

### **Adjourn**

Mr. Hart made a motion, approved unanimously, to adjourn the meeting at 5:15 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:

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Jennifer C. Adams  
Clerk to Council

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