

**FRANKLIN COUNTY  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
PUBLIC HEARING MINUTES  
July 28, 2015  
5:30 P.M.**

Present: Commission Chairman Thomas Bridges  
District 1 Commissioner Robert Franklin  
District 2 Commissioner David Strickland  
District 3 Commissioner Jeff Jacques  
District 4 Commissioner Eddie Wester

Media: Shane Scoggins, Franklin County Citizen Leader  
MJ Kneiser, WHLR

Staff: County Manager, Beth Thomas  
County Clerk, Elaine Evans

Chairman Bridges called the public hearing for the millage rate to order. He welcomed everyone and thanked them for taking the time to come out to the meeting. Chairman Bridges asked if anyone had any comments for the millage rate item.

Hal (Woody) Woodyard asked to speak. He stated that he is excited about the millage rate increase. He said that the Commission Board and the county manager have done their homework and have documented. Mr. Woodyard said that he has talked with a lot of people about the millage increase and he has not heard anything negative about the increase. He again thanked the Commission Board for taking the steps to help the County.

Chairman Bridges thanked Mr. Woodyard for his comments. He then asked if anyone else would like to make a public comment. There were no further comments from the public. Chairman Bridges left the public hearing open until the work session at 6 o'clock for possible comments.

Signed on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015

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Chairman J. Thomas Bridges

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Robert L. Franklin, District 1 Commissioner

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David R. Strickland, District 2 Commissioner

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Jeff Jacques, District 3 Commissioner

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Eddie Wester, District 4 Commissioner

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Elaine H. Evans, County Clerk