

**MINUTES
TAYLORS FIRE & SEWER DISTRICT
SPECIAL CALLED MEETING
PUBLIC HEARING
JUNE 1, 2026**

A special called budget workshop of the Board of Commissioners was held at Station #81 Headquarters in the Training Room, 463 W Main Street, Taylors, South Carolina at 4:30 pm.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Jeff Hannah, Commission Chairman
Ken Carter, Commission Vice Chairman/Treasurer
Paul Bowen, Commission Secretary

STAFF PRESENT

Shane Bagwell, Fire Chief	Marty Dixon, Assistant Chief
Matthew Hughes, Deputy Chief	Hunter Perry, Captain
Alicia Jenkins, Administrative Data Coordinator	Zackery Williams, Firefighter
Stephanie Hackler, Senior Accounting & HR Specialist	

OTHERS PRESENT:

Jaime Daniel

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Hannah at 4:30 pm.

The media outlets who requested notification of this special called budget workshop meeting were notified via door posting, email, website, Facebook, Instagram, and X.

Chairman Hannah led everyone in saying the Pledge of Allegiance.

Chairman Hannah asked if anyone would like Mrs. Jaime Daniel and Fire Chief Bagwell to go over the budget. Senior Accounting & HR Specialist Hackler stated that the budget information is exactly what was presented at the May 4, 2026 Budget Workshop and asked if anyone had any questions. There were no questions; however, Mrs. Daniel went on to present the FY 2027 Budget.

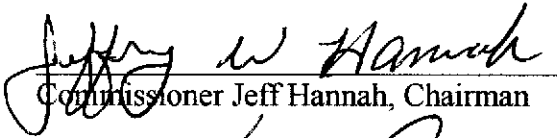
The FY 2026 (2025 Tax Year) tax rate millage for the Fire Department is 78.1 and the proposed tax rate millage for FY 2027 (2026 Tax Year) is 80.9. The proposed percentage increase in the operating millage rate between FY 2026 and FY 2027 is 4.17%. The overall proposed millage increase is 3.59%. The total budgeted revenues and expenditures for FY 2026 was \$9,851,000 and the proposed total for FY 2027 is \$10,560,000. The increase is primarily due to increased personnel costs, training/certification, general insurance, occupancy, and reserves. In reference to the taxpayer impact, according to the 2026 tax year proposed millage, the homeowner of a home valued at \$100,000 would pay approximately \$324 in property taxes for annual fire protection, which is an increase of \$11.20 (or 2.8 mils) from the 2025 tax year.

Fire Chief Bagwell then briefly began to expound upon details of the Department's proposed capital expenditures. Senior Accounting & HR Specialist Hackler then noted that the necessary public notice ad was ran in the local newspaper that listed the FY 2027 Budget information along with notification of the public hearing meeting.

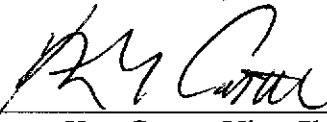
Chairman Hannah opened the floor for public comment. There was no public in attendance; therefore, there was no public comment.

Vice Chairman/Treasurer Carter made a motion to accept the proposed FY 2027 Budget. Secretary Bowen seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

Without any further business, Secretary Bowen made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Vice Chairman/Treasurer Carter seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 4:40 pm.


Commissioner Jeff Hannah, Chairman

7/14/2026
Date Minutes Approved


Commissioner Ken Carter, Vice Chairman/Treasurer


Commissioner Paul Bowen, Secretary