

**PUBLIC HEARING  
CITY OF SKY VALLEY, GEORGIA  
OCTOBER 11, 2011  
TUESDAY, 2:00 PM  
FELLOWSHIP HALL, 817 SKY VALLEY WAY**

Mayor Martindale called the meeting to order.

Those present: Mayor Martindale, Councilors Howard and Platt, City Manager Smith, City Clerk Cantrell. Audience: 4.

Mayor Martindale read the introduction and ground rules for the public hearing.

**Intro:**

The purpose of this public hearing is to receive public comments on the proposed 2012 budget as well as the proposed millage rate for the 2011 Ad Valorem taxes. No additional public hearings are scheduled. The budget and millage rate are on the agenda to be adopted at the October 18, 2011 Regular Council Meeting.

**Ground rules for the public hearing:**


Public comments and questions will be taken one person at a time. Please refrain from all "cross talk" and the rules of decorum shall apply. When recognized by the Chair, please stand, if possible, and state your name and address. Please make your comments concise and to the point. You will have 5 minutes to speak and be allowed to speak on any particular item only once, giving consideration for follow-up questions. I will open the public hearing by first taking questions or comments in "opposition to" either the proposed budget or the proposed millage rate. Once all comments "in opposition to" the proposed budget or millage rate have been heard, I will close that side of the public hearing and call on those individuals who wish to speak "in favor of" the proposed budget and millage rate. When those "in favor of" have completed their comments, I will close the public hearing. No additional comments will be taken at that time.

Mayor Martindale opened the floor for those "in opposition to" the proposed budgets for the General Fund, Water Fund, Solid Waste Fund, and Hotel/Motel Fund, and the proposed millage rate for 2011 Ad Valorem taxes. No one spoke in opposition.

Mayor Martindale opened the floor for those "in favor of" the proposed budgets for the General Fund, Water Fund, Solid Waste Fund, and Hotel/Motel Fund, and the proposed millage rate for 2011 Ad Valorem taxes. No one spoke in favor.

Mayor Martindale adjourned the Public Hearing.

Respectfully submitted:

  
James Martindale, Mayor

Attested:

  
Mandi Cantrell, City Clerk