MINUTES OF CALHOUN COUNTY COUNCIL BUDGET WORK SESSION April 24, 2024 10:00 a.m. Calhoun Hills Golf Complex

The following were present:

Chairman James E. Haigler, who presided Vice-Chairman Ken Westbury Councilwoman Rebecca Bonnette Councilman Richard Carson Councilman Cecil Thornton Administrator John McLauchlin Deputy Administrator Richard Hall Clerk to Council Shayla Jenkins CFO James Okoronkwo

- 1. Chairman Haigler called the meeting to order.
- 2. Agency requests
 - a. Dr. Walt Tobin and Mr. Kim Huff of OC Technical College appeared and spoke about the current status of the college and asked that Council continue the financial support as they have in the past.
 - b. Mr. Harvey Elwood of New Perspectives Media came to ask for funding and told of endeavors to expand coverage of council meetings and county events.
- 3. Council discussed the budget, reviewing each line item. The group talked about expenditures and revenues, looking at ways to save.
- 4. After lunch, Council continued the budget discussion and needs around the county.
- 5. Councilman Thornton made a motion to adjourn. Vice-Chairman Westbury seconded and the motion passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 1:58 p.m.

James E. Haigler, Chairman

Shayla C. Jenkins, Clerk to Council