



**CITY OF STATESBORO
CITY COUNCIL BUDGET RETREAT MINUTES
APRIL 13th, 2012**

A City Council Budget Retreat was held on April 13th, 2012 at 9:00 am at the GSU City Campus Facility at 58-D East Main St. Present was Mayor Joe Brannen, Councilman Travis Chance, Mayor Pro Tem Will Britt, Councilman Tommy Blicht and Councilman John Riggs. Also present was Interim City Manager Frank Parker, City Clerk Sue Starling, City Attorney Alvin Leaphart, City Engineer Robert Cheshire and Director of Community Development Mandi Cody. Council Gary Lewis was absent.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Joe Brannen.

Other Department Heads present were:

Director of Water/Wastewater Wayne Johnson, Assistant Director Water/Wastewater Van Collins, Director of Public Safety Wendell Turner, Gas Superintendent Steve Hotchkiss, Senior Assistant City Engineer Jason Boyles, Director of Human Resource Jeff Grant, Director of Purchasing Darren Prather, Finance Controller Cindy West.

The meeting consisted of the department heads giving an overview of their budget for FY 2013 which included their CIP Projects as well as goals and priorities, 2012 highlights, budget assumptions, rate changes and other proposals by the City Manager.

Other employees and news media were also present.

There were no comments from the public.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:20 p.m.

There was no action taken at this meeting.