

**Board of County Commissioners
Worksession Minutes
April 26, 2011**

PRESENT: Commissioners Mullin, Moore, Dunn, Broomell and Hodge; County Administrator Al Wein, Public Works Director Scott Flanigan and staff; Budget Manager Craig Whiteford; Attorney Norman Wilson; members of the press, and members of the public.

NOTE: Audio recording of this meeting is available on the County website www.ccgov.org.

OPEN SESSION

9:00 a.m. – President Mullin called the meeting to order.

Quarterly Revenue Report

Budget Manager Whiteford provided a synopsis of the quarterly revenue report.

Discussion ensued regarding potential revenue from the gaming facility and discounts offered for early pay of property tax.

Budget Public Hearing Schedule

Budget Manager Whiteford provided the budget public hearing schedule. The proposed budget must be prepared for the public by May 1, 2011. The county is not required to publish the budget in the newspaper; however, a copy will be available at the County Administration Building and on the County website.

The County is not required to advertise the constant yield tax if it is at or below the rate.

Commissioners Items

Commissioner Dunn had no comments.

Commissioner Broomell commented on meetings and events she attended during the week.

Commissioner Moore commented on meetings and events she attended during the week.

Commissioner Hodge had no comments.

Commissioner Mullin had no comments.

CLOSED SESSION

9:30 a.m. - On motion made by Commissioner Moore, seconded by Commissioner Broomell, the Board moved to convene in closed session pursuant to the Annotated Code of Maryland, State Government 10-503 Administrative function – Administration Chapter 34-6 of the Code of Cecil County for budget preparation.

The Board convened in an administrative function meeting.

12:30 p.m. – The Board suspended discussion for a lunch break.

2:00 p.m. – The Board resumed budget discussion in the administrative function meeting.

6:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT OF CLOSED SESSION

On motion made by Commissioner Moore, seconded by Commissioner Hodge, the Board adjourned from the administrative function meeting. The Board will continue discussing the budget in an administrative function meeting on Wednesday, April 27, 2011 at 10:00 a.m.

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