

**OCTOBER 15, 2024
JASPER, FLORIDA**

SPECIAL SESSION

The Board of County Commissioners, Hamilton County, Florida, met in special session on Tuesday, October 15, 2024, at 5:00 p.m. in the Board Room, 207 Northeast First Street, Jasper, Florida. Present were Commissioners Travis Erixton, Jimmy Murphy, Robbie Roberson and Richie McCoy. Commissioner Robert Brown was unable to be in attendance. Also present was County Coordinator Gary Godwin.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman McCoy.

DISCUSSION OF SURTAX ORDINANCE AND REFERENDUM

The Board discussed the Infrastructure Surtax and the need to provide information to the public for the referendum. County resident Scott Gay provided the Board with a presentation and discussed the Surtax verbiage with the Board and public. The Board discussed with those in attendance the need to accurately explain the Surtax. Mia Mauldin, with the Chamber of Commerce advised the Board that she will post the information provided by Clerk of Court Greg Godwin to the social media platforms which will advertise the need for the Surtax. Recreation Director Chuck Burnett suggested using Chamber of Commerce member Christina McCulley as the point of contact for the social media platforms. Mr. Gay and the Board then discussed the importance of passing the referendum which would be used for fire protection.

There being no further business before the Board, Chairman McCoy adjourned the meeting at 6:25 p.m.

RICHIE MCCOY, CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

GREG GODWIN, EX-OFFICIO CLERK

