

Adjourned Budget Meeting

Summary

May 11, 2017

Six members were present and one was absent

Approved the May 11, 2017 agenda

Nickelsville Rescue Squad privilege to operate revoked because of the loss of 501(c)(3) status and will remain revoked up to June 30 2018 and all units operating out of Nickelsville will operate under the authority and direction of the Duffield Fire & Rescue and the Scott County Lifesaving Crew and all officers assembled as the Nickelsville Resue Squad have no authority to operate as the Nickelsville Rescue Squad until further notice from the County (Six ayes and one absent)

Board placed \$60,000 in the general fund and earmarks those funds for Nickeslville Rescue services and directs the Scott County Lifesaving Crew and Duffield Fire and Rescue to provide statements for serving the Nickelsville area for reimbursement (Six ayes and one absent)

Approved \$125,000 in the Sheriff's budget for vehicles and equipment (four ayes, two nays, and one absent)

Approved level funding for the fire departments (five ayes, one nay, and one absent)

Approved Local Choice KA 500 Health Insurance for FY 2017/18 (Six ayes and one absent)

Approved funding United Way Southwest Virginia in the FY 2017/18 budget (Six ayes and one absent)

Funding not approved for Heart of Appalachia in the FY 2017/18 budget (Six ayes and one absent)

Funding not approved for Feeding America Southwest Virginia in the FY 2017/18 budget (Six ayes and one absent)

Tabled the Southwest Virginia Cultural Heritage line item until the next meeting to find out if that can be eliminated from the budget

Directed the County Administrator to research how other localities fund their Fire Departments

Directed the County Attorney to research how the Fire Tax works

Adjourned the meeting until June 17, 2017 at 6:00 p.m.

