

**2023 SPLOST Fire Subcommittee
MEETING MINUTES
Thursday, July 17th, 2025 – 5:00 P.M.
Fire Station #7 -1496 Rockbridge Rd. Conyers Ga 30012**

1. **Call to Order:** Meeting was called to order at 5:00pm

Attendees:

- A. **SPLOST Members:** Bill Hughey (Subcommittee Chairperson), Charles Staples (SPLOST Chair), John Spek, Bill Campbell, Doug Smith
- B. **Not Present:** Aviella Williams
- C. **County Staff:** Fire Chief James Robinson, Deputy Chief Pickens, Deputy Chief Marlow, Markus Milon
- D. **Guests:** None

2. **Approval of the agenda:** approved through unanimous consent.
3. **Approval of Minutes:** Yes
4. **Subcommittee Chair Report:** none
5. **Unfinished Business:** We began the meeting reviewing the progress on Fire Station 5 and The Fire Training Facility. No updates on the Training Facility except it was still in design phase.
6. **New Business:** Station 8 and 4 locations. Chief Robinson went into detail saying he'd prefer to keep Station 8 in the same location and spin the building to the doors facing the street. As we moved to Station 4, it was Chief Robinson that presented maps showing the different coverage areas of all the fire stations in Rockdale County. Chief Robinson then pitched his thoughts about having Fire Station 4 on East Fairview near South Park. Chief Robinson laid out how much more of a benefit it would serve the community there.
7. **Public Comment:** none
8. **SPLOST Member Comments:** Doug Smith updated the committee on when finances would be available. Chief Robinson then laid out the need to begin purchasing another Fire Truck and the condition of the fleet that they are currently at. Charlie Staples agreed and wanted to add to our priority list of projects.
9. **Adjournment:** There being no further business or discussion, the meeting adjourned at 6:30pm
- a. **Next meeting:** Thursday October 2, 2025 @ 5:00pm 1496 Rockbridge Rd Station #7

Approved:

SPLOST Subcommittee Chair

Date