



## 2023 SPLOST Committee Meeting

**May 25, 2023**

**5:00 PM**

### **Rome-Floyd Fire Education Room**

**Present:** Committee Members:

Bob Berry, Chair  
Mike Burnes  
Cleve Jackson  
Keara Leonard  
Brad Doyle  
Evie McNiece  
Nick McLemore  
Sam Burrell, Jr.  
Wendy Davis  
Jake Hager  
Monica Sheppard  
Melvon Ingram

Others:

Jamie McCord, Floyd County Manager  
Allison Watters, Chair, Floyd County Board of Commissioners  
Scotty Hancock, Floyd County Board of Commissioners via Zoom  
Lauren Chumbler, Floyd County Assistant Clerk  
Susie Gass, Finance, Floyd County  
Sammy Rich, Rome City Manager  
Sundai Stevenson, Mayor, City of Rome  
Meredith Ulmer, Rome City Assistant Manager  
Kelley Parker, Assistant to the City Manager  
Jason West, Mayor Pro Tem, City of Cave Spring

**I.** Welcome – Chair

Mike Burnes called the meeting to order.

**II.** Approve minutes from previous SPLOST meetings:

1. April 20, 2023
2. May 4, 2023

3. May 11, 2023
4. May 18, 2023

Nick McLemore made a motion to approve the minutes, seconded by Melvon Ingram. The motion carried unanimously.

### **III. Presentations**

a. Chulio Road Improvements – Rome-Floyd

Floyd County Public Works Director Michael Skeen presented a SPLOST presentation for Chulio Road Improvements for \$6,000,000.

b. Add T-Hangars to RMG – Citizen

Floyd County citizen Rip Johnston presented a SPLOST presentation for additional T-Hangars at the Richard B. Russell Regional Airport for \$1,739,000.

c. Blueways – Citizen

Jesse Demonbreun-Chapman and Dr. Frank Harbin presented a SPLOST presentation for a paddle-in campsite on the Oostanaula River for \$850,000, a new boat ramp at Ridge Ferry park for \$60,000, and a bike share program for \$22,000 for a total amount of \$932,000.

d. Public Works & Public Safety Equipment & Capital – Rome-Floyd

Floyd County Public Works Director Michael Skeen and Assistant Police Chief Tom Ewing presented a SPLOST presentation for equipment and capital for \$5,108,000.

e. Eagle Park / North Rome – Citizen

Charles Love presented a SPLOST presentation for Eagle Park in North Rome for \$500,000.

f. Family Fun Water Park – Citizen

Bill Collins and Elaina Beeman presented a SPLOST project for a family fun water park for \$20,000,000.

g. Railroad Quiet Zones – Citizen

Jeff Brown presented a SPLOST project for railroad quiet zones for \$2,700,000.

**IV.** Other Business

**V.** Adjournment

With no further business to come before the committee, the meeting was adjourned.