The Banks County Board of Commissioners held a called worksession/meeting on November 15, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. in the Board Room of the Banks County Courthouse Annex. The purpose of the worksession/meeting was to gather information concerning a Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax for Transportation purposes only.

Members Present:

Chairman Jimmy Hooper Vice Chairman Danny Maxwell Commissioner David Duckett Commissioner Charles Turk Commissioner Sammy Reece

Staff Present:

County Clerk Regina Gailey Finance Officer Randy Failyer

Media Present:

Angela Gary, Banks County News Rob Moore, Access North Georgia

Representatives from the cities of Alto, Baldwin, Gillsville, Homer, Lula and Maysville were also present. (Copy of sign in sheet filed in Attachment to Minutes Book #9-9)

Ch. Hooper called the meeting to order and stated the Development Authority of Banks County had requested consideration of placing the tax approval on the May 2018 referendum. He further stated Kathleen Bowen of ACCG was present to give an overview of the tax and the process to follow to get the tax on the referendum. Ms. Bowen gave a brief overview and answered any questions concerning the process.

All agreed it would be in the best interest of Banks County and the cities to at least prepare project lists and to place the issue before the voters. All entities will prepare a project list with projected costs and a meeting will be held after the holidays to discuss the potential projects.

The worksession/meeting ended at 7:04 p.m.	
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