

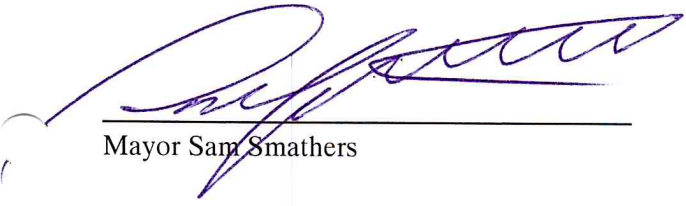
**Village of Jacksonville Special Council Meeting**  
**December 12, 2017**  
**6:30 PM**

The Village of Jacksonville met in special session with Mayor Sam Smathers presiding and the meeting being called to order at 6:30PM. Council members present were Emily Swart and Butch Chapman. Also present was Fiscal Officer Heather Rockwell. *No action was taken due to no quorum.*

Mike Betts of Stantec discussed upcoming water project funding. Council discussed items included in a previous project design that are no longer needed and items that could be added to the project. A larger project may increase the chances of securing funding. Council discussed the estimated engineering costs for the project and options for paying.

Mr. Betts recommended Council advertise for bids and open the bids a few days before the January 2018 meeting so that a Resolution can be prepared and passed at the January meeting awarding the contract. Mr. Betts suggested advertising in the Athens News may be cheaper than the Athens Messenger.

Meeting adjourned at 7:25PM.

  
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Mayor Sam Smathers

  
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Council Clerk Heather Rockwell