

Steve Samples

Steve Samples, District 3						
Item	A (+3)	B (+2)	C (+1)	F (+0)	Extra Credit	Comments
October 2010						
E1	-	-	-	-		Item removed from agenda
E2	-	-	-	-		-
E3	-	-	-	-		No questions asked
E4	-	-	-	-		-
E5	-	-	-	X		Increase in school budget (\$77,736)
E6	-	-	-	X		Increase in school budget (\$10,322)
E7	-	-	-	X		Increase in school budget (\$20,600)
E8	-	-	-	-		-
E9	-	-	-	-		-
E10	-	-	-	X		Increase in budget
E11	-	-	-	X		Zoning
E12	-	-	-	X		Zoning
E13	-	-	-	X		Zoning
E14	-	-	-	X		Zoning
E15	-	-	-	-		
Grade				F		
November 2010						
E1	-	-	-	-		Item removed from agenda
E2	-	-	-	-		Budget transfer
E3	-	-	-	X		Budget Increase – Schools (\$19,560)
E4	-	-	-	X		Budget Increase – Schools (\$116,000)
E5	-	-	-	-		Item postponed to December
E6	-	-	-	-	+1 (Participated)	Sent back to budget committee
E7	-	-	-	X		Zoning
E8	-	-	-	-		
Grade				C		
January 2011						
E1	-	-	-	X		Moratorium on “traffic calming devices”
E2	-	-	-	X		Adding a “traffic calming device” on Main St.
E4	-	-	-	X		Budget Increase (\$255,386.37) Grant
E5	-	-	-	X		Budget Increase (\$36,051) Grant
E6	-	-	-	-		Memorandum
E7	-	-	-	-		
E8	-	-	-	X		Authorizes copier lease of \$105.03/mo (\$1260.36/yr)
E11	-	-	-	X		Budget Increase (\$36,278.10)
E19	-	-	-	X		Budget transfer
E22	-	-	-	X		Budget Increase (\$250,000) Animal Shelter
Grade				F		
(Item E3 was tabled, E9, E10, E12 – E18, E20, E21, & E23 were moved to February's meeting)						

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February 2011					
E1	-	-	-	-	Increase in budget (removed from agenda)
E2	-	-	-	-	Increase in budget (\$6,611)
E3	-	-	-	-	Increase in budget (\$160,000)
E4	-	-	-	-	Increase in budget (\$2,200)
E5	-	-	-	-	Refinance \$50M (Possible tax increase)
E6	-	-	-	-	Reduce Mayor salary to \$103,000/yr
E7	-	-	-	-	(10) copier leases totaling \$12,000/yr
E8	-	-	-	-	Road Classification
E9	-	-	-	-	4-year appraisal cycle
E10	-	-	-	-	Zoning Amendment
Grade				Absent	

March 2011					
E1	-	-	-	-	Budget Transfer (\$8,000)
E2	-	-	-	-	Refund of \$2,000,000 from refinancing too much
E3	-	-	-	X	Budget Increase (\$105,000)
E4	-	-	-	X	Budget Increase (\$1,600)
E5	-	-	-	X	Budget Increase (\$1,129.08)
E6	-	-	-	X	Cable and Internet for Townsend Visitor Center (\$1,258.80)
E7	-	-	-	-	Landfill Permits
E8	-	-	-	X	Zoning
E9	-	-	-	-	Road Name Change
Grade				E	

April 2011					
F1	-	-	-	X	Budget Increase (\$8,125)
F2	-	-	-	X	Budget Increase (\$711,754.39)
F3	-	-	-	X	School Budget Increase (\$198,000)
F4	-	-	-	X	School Budget Increase (\$150,000)
F5	-	-	-	X	Copier Lease (\$366.38/month)
F6	-	-	-	X	Copier Lease (\$204.80/month)
F7	-	-	-	X	Copier Lease (\$311.43/month)
F8	-	-	-	X	Copier Lease (\$212.42/month)
F9	-	-	-	X	Copier Lease (\$131.09/month)
F10	-	-	-	X	Copier Lease (\$224.30/month)
F11	-	-	-	-	Setting Public Hearing for Judicial Commissioner
F12	-	-	-	-	Zoning
F13	-	-	-	-	Zoning
F14	-	-	-	X	Partial Litter Pick-Up Grant
F15	-	-	-	-	Job posting for Human Resource personnel (Tabled)
Grade				E	

May 2011					
F1	-	-	-	X	Budget Increase (\$850)
F2	-	-	-	X	Budget Increase (\$85,200)
F3	-	-	-	X	Budget Increase (\$350,000)
F4	-	-	-	X	Budget Amendment (\$350,000)
F5	-	-	-	X	Copier Lease (\$105.03/month)
F6	-	-	-	X	Lease of Communication Tower space (\$14,400 per year with an increase of 3% per year for 10 years)
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June 2011						
F1	-	-	-	X		Amend County Budget (\$450,000)
F2	-	-	-	X		Amend Highway Budget (\$90,000)
F3	-	-	-	X		Amend School Budget (\$360,000)
F4	-	-	-	X		Budget Transfers (\$163,476.38)
F5	-	-	-	X		Amend School Budget (\$75,000)
F6	-	-	-	X		Amend County Budget (\$1,800)
F7	X	-	-	-	+1 (Participated)	Increase Property Taxes from \$2.04 to \$2.15
F8	X	-	-	-		Approve \$162,000,000 Budget
F9	-	-	-	X		Approve County Funds for Non-Profit Organizations (\$3,234 to A Secret Safe Place for Newborns of Tennessee, \$4,858 to Douglas Cooperative, \$9,972 to Blount County Community Action Agency)
F10	-	-	-	X		Copier Lease (\$115.09/month)
F11	-	-	-	X		Establish a Redistricting Committee
F12	-	-	-	X		Establish an ad hoc committee to find Lost Revenues
Grade				C		

July 2011						
F1a	-	-	-	X		School Budget Transfer (\$283,100)
F1b	-	-	-	X		School Budget Transfer (\$281,810) – Clerical Error
F2	-	-	-	X		Borrow \$1 Million against anticipated revenue from tax increase
F3	-	-	-	X		Copier Lease (\$127.85/month)
F4	-	-	-	X		Copier Lease (\$105.03/month)
F5	-	-	-	-		Rule Changes (Ban on applause & one minute extension) (This failed for the lack of a second)
Grade				E		

August 2011						
F1	-	-	-	-		Presentation on Mental Health Awareness
F2	-	-	-	-		Budget Transfer (\$197,000)
F3	-	-	-	X		Increase in litigation tax for court system
F4	-	-	-	X		(7) Copier leases (\$619.27/month)
F5	-	-	-	X		Hiring Director of Human Services
F6	-	-	-	X		Resolution to adopt Strategic Development Plan
F7	-	-	-	-		Affirm Compliance with Title VI Regulations
F8	-	-	-	-		Authorizing a Competitive Bid Process
Grade				E		

September 2011						
F1	-	-	-	-		Budget Transfer (\$38,303)
F2	-	-	-	X		Budget Increase (\$44,408.02)
F3	-	-	-	X		Copier Lease (\$1,534.20/year)
F4	-	-	-	-		Changing County Employee benefits vender to Humana
F5	-	-	-	X		Increase in litigation tax for court system
F6	-	-	-	-		Delegate authority to mayor for county building use
F7	-	-	-	X		Set public hearing of sewer usage zoning
Grade				E		