AGENDA
Griffin-Spalding County Area Transportation Committee
November 18, 2026
W. ELMER GEORGE MUNICIPAL HALL
100 SOUTH HILL STREET
1:30 PM

OPENING (CALL TO ORDER)

MINUTES

1. Consider the minutes of the September 16, 2026 meeting.

OLD BUSINESS

2. GDOT Project Status Update. *Harland Smith will address.*

3. Griffin-Spalding Airport Authority Update. *Robert Mohl will address.*

NEW BUSINESS

4. Act 457/HR 1434. *Dr. Ledbetter will address.*

PROJECT UPDATES

5. City of Griffin Project Status Update

6. Spalding County Project Status Update

7. Three Rivers Regional Commission Update

8. Transportation Planner Project Update

PUBLIC COMMENT

REPORT OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ADJOURNMENT

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

ITEM SUMMARY:

Consider the minutes of the September 16, 2026 meeting.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

N/A

Submitted By:

Ragan Jones

Meeting Date:

18/11/2026

ATTACHMENTS:

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GRIFFIN-SPALDING COUNTY AREA TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE
REGULAR SCHEDULED MEETING
ONE GRIFFIN CENTER, W. ELMER GEORGE MUNICIPAL HALL
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2026 1:30 P.M.

Members present included Mariza Eller, Zachery Fuller, Charles Wright, Tyrone Ward, Jerry McNeely, TJ Imberger, Steve Ledbetter, Cindy Jones, Bruce Ballard, William Wilson, and Glenn Polk. Also present were Harland Smith, Stephanie Wagner, Frank Strickland, and Brian Upson.

Call to order by Mariza Eller

MINUTES

1. Consider the minutes of the July 15, 2026 meeting.

   Motion/second to approve the minutes by members Ward/McKneely carried 11-0.

OLD BUSINESS

2. GDOT Project Status Update, *Harland Smith addressed.*

3. Griffin-Spalding Airport Authority Update, *Not given, no one present.*

PROJECT UPDATES

4. City of Griffin Project Status Update, *Mariza Eller addressed.*

5. Spalding County Project Status Update, *TJ Imberger addressed.*

6. Three Rivers Regional Commission Update*, Stephanie Wagner addressed.*

7. Transportation Planner Project Update*, Brian Upson addressed.*

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Mr. Ballard asked if the City of Griffin has anything showing the TSPLOST funds that have been committed. Ms. Eller stated she does have something and would share the information with Mr. Ballard.

Mr. Ledbetter confirmed that TSPLOST fund collections were underestimated. Mr. Ledbetter announced for the next SPLOST that Spalding County is looking to expand the transportation portion. There is potential to collect $120 million. Realistically he believes they will reach between $79 million - $90 million. Spalding County is estimating more in the event collections are more. Mr. Ledbetter said that Spalding County and the City of Griffin are doing some really cool things for growth over the next few years.

Commissioner Fuller expressed gratitude to staff for road improvements, including sidewalks, and traffic studies are going really well.

Ms. Eller shared that Girls in Public Works Day is an event that will be held at Historic City Hall on October 3, 2026. This event is in coordination with GDOT and the American Public Works Association and is geared towards girls in high school from 9th grade – 12th grade to help reach that next generation of public works leaders.

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The next meeting is scheduled for November 18, 2026 at 1:30 p.m.

ADJOURN

Motion/second to adjourn at 2:00 p.m. by members Ledbetter/Fuller carried 11-0.

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