

**Concerned Taxpayers of Duval County
Special Board Meeting
Monday, May 30, 2009
Minutes**

Call to Order

The Concerned Taxpayers of Duval County meeting convened on Saturday, May 30 at 1:45 PM.

Individual Group Discussion

The meeting attendees broke up into three groups in which they discussed the priorities for 2009 for Concerned Taxpayers of Duval County. The results of these discussions were presented to the whole group by President John Winkler.

The following broad priority categories were identified and agreed to by the whole group:

1. Growing CTDC
2. City Revenue and Expenditures
3. Form and Function of Government

The following priorities were identified and would be considered by committees implementing the preceding priority categories:

Criminal restitution
City Ethics Office
Web page
Brochure
Jacksonville Journey
Charter Revision Commission
Repeal of the three fees
City Council legislation
Equitable distribution of city funds
Jacksonville Transportation Authority
Reporting of voting records of City Council members
Core functions of government
Efficient tax collection
Abolishment of the Jacksonville Economic Development Commission
Public comments at City Council committee meetings
Study of business investment incentive/disincentives present in the city tax structure
Government transparency
Fund raising
Trail Ridge landfill contract

Membership recruitment
Greater public visibility of CTDC
Half cent sales tax increase for indigent health care at Shands Hospital
Political candidate support
City Courthouse funding
City code enforcement
Development of the Jacksonville Shipyards
City pension funding

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 3:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Curtis Wolf
Secretary, Concerned Taxpayers of Duval County