A Public Hearing of the Charlotte County Board of Supervisors was held at the Administration Building of said county on May 20, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

Present: Garland H. Hamlett, Jr. - Chairman

Gary D. Walker Kay Pierantoni Robert L. Shook, Jr. Royal S. Freeman

Absent: Donna Fore

Chairman Hamlett called the Public Hearing to order.

Gary D. Walker gave the Invocation.

Motion was made by Kay M. Pierantoni, seconded by Gary D. Walker to approve the agenda as presented.

Donna Fore arrived at 7:05 p.m.

The purpose of the Public Hearing is to receive public comment on the proposed Real Property and Personal Property Tax Increase.

James Roger Hespelt addressed the Board with concerns over the hardship a Real Property and Personal Property Tax Increase would impose on citizens.

Dean Foster addressed the Board with concerns over the Real Property and Personal Property Tax Increases and suggested a luxury tax on high-end vehicles be considered.

Chandler Vaughan addressed the Board with support for the proposed Real Property and Personal Property Tax Increases. Mr. Vaughan was in favor of the tax increases to use for Capital Improvement Projects to maintain County and School Facilities and to encourage the youth of the County to remain as residents here.

Being no further comment the Public Comment was closed.

Chairman Hamlett adjourned the Public Hearing.