

December 2, 2010

**Minutes of the Public Hearing
Regarding the UT F/Y 2011/2012 Budget
held December 2, 2010
in the Commissioners' Conference Room
Machias, Maine**

The hearing convened at 4:00 p.m.

Attending the hearing were:

Commissioner Kevin L. Shorey
Commissioner John B. Crowley, Sr.
Betsy Fitzgerald, County Manager
Gail Popham, Administration
Dean Preston, UT Supervisor
Donnie Smith, Sheriff
Mike St. Louis, Chief Deputy
Jill Holmes, Treasurer
Judy Alexander, Financial Accountant
Jim Lucas, Buildings & Grounds
Sharon D. Strout, Register of Deeds
Darlene Wallace, Deeds
Carlene Holmes, Probate
Mike Hinerman, EMA
Jim Lucas, Buildings & Grounds
Lewis Pinkham, Milbridge, Budget Committee
Diane Smith-Halkett, SCEC - TIF Administrator
Eleody Libby, WC:OC
Ann Hayward, DA's Office
Deb Eckard, Cooperative Extension Office
Nate Pennell, WC Soil & Water & DE RC&D
Trevor Hold, Wesley
Kathleen Caso, Calais
Richard Clock, Calais
Lora Whelan, The Quoddy Tides

Commissioner Gardner was unable to attend.

Commissioner Shorey opened the hearing at 4:00 p.m. UT Supervisor Dean Preston presented the Commissioners with 3 copies of the UT Budget for signing. He noted the highlights as follows: 1) The Animal Control Officer/Shellfish Warden is retiring as of January 1,

