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**MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC HEARING
OF THE JACKSON COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
HELD ON
MARCH 16, 2009**

The Jackson County Board of Commissioners held a Public Hearing on March 16, 2009, at 6:15 p.m, Justice & Administration Building, Room A201, 401 Grindstaff Cove Road, Sylva, North Carolina.

Present: Brian T. McMahan, Chairman
Tom Massie, Vice Chair
Joe Cowan, Commissioner
William Shelton, Commissioner
Mark Jones, Commissioner
Evelyn Baker, Clerk to Board

Chairman McMahan called the meeting to order and stated the purpose of the Public Hearing was to receive public input on a proposed Section 5310 Elderly Individuals & Individuals with Disabilities Program to be submitted to the N. C. Dept. of Transportation.

Chuck Norris, Transit Director, stated the funding would be for the purchase of a lift equipped conversion van, maintenance/repairs, pay drivers and operating expenses. The total amounts are as follows:

<u>Project</u>	<u>Total Amount</u>	<u>Local Share</u>
Capital (vehicles & other)	\$ 44,432.00	\$ 4,443.00 (10%)
Operating	\$ 39,624.00	\$ 19,812.00 (50%)
TOTAL	\$ 84,056.00	\$ 24,255.00

No public comments were made.

Commissioner Cowan moved that the hearing be adjourned. Commissioner Jones seconded the Motion. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Attested By:

Evelyn B. Baker, Clerk

Approved:

Brian Thomas McMahan, Chairman