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**City of Brookhaven Council Adopts \$31.9 Million Dollar Budget**  
*'Very exciting year ahead'*

**Brookhaven, GA, Dec. 16, 2014** – In a unanimous vote, the City of Brookhaven Council approved and adopted the fiscal year 2015 budget. Presented by City Manager, Marie L. Garrett, the fiscal year 2015 budget, a total of \$31,934,167, includes enhancements to Police, Parks & Recreation and Public Works starting Jan. 1, 2015.

“From day one we have been hyper-focused on improving the Parks, Paving and Police in Brookhaven,” said Mayor J. Max Davis. “We’ve seen results but next year we will see better results because we are doing real actionable things with our budgets. This budget reflects what our community wants.”

The Fiscal Year 2015 budget represents a \$5 million increase over 2014’s budget providing \$3 million to Parks and Recreation, \$3 million for Public Works for paving and sidewalks and the hiring of nine police officers.

“I’m particularly excited about the increases we’re seeing in the H.O.S.T money. Which is allowing us to significantly increase the amount of money we spend on our parks and paving. That’s huge and it’s going to make for a very exciting year ahead,” said Councilmember Rebecca Chase Williams.

“The 2015 budget shows that the City of Brookhaven remains committed to the community with a focus on strengthening public safety, improving neighborhoods and community infrastructure, and fostering economic growth,” said Councilmember Joe Gebbia.

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