

ROLL CALL:

Present:

Mayor
Council Members

Joyce Hudson
Jeff Kennedy
Jay Richeson
Verlin Janssen

Not Present: J Buddenberg

City Administrator
City Clerk

Gary Greer
Misty Bussinger

Press: *Gothenburg Leader* – Ellen Mortensen

Also present: Joan Windrum-CPA

Mayor Hudson opened the meeting at 5:30 p.m. Advance notice and a copy of the agenda were given to the Council and members of the press. City Council meetings are conducted in accordance with the Open Meetings Act, a copy of which is available for public inspection on the north wall of the Council Chambers.

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

A public hearing was opened at 5:30 for the Adoption of the 2021-22 Budget, Approve additional 1% restricted funds authority and set final tax request and resulting levy 2021-22 budget.

Administrator Greer discussed the final budget proposal is as approved for publication on September 9, 2021. The total budget of \$20,156,094, excluding cash reserves, carries a tax request of \$820,552.00 based on a levy of .3434. This is compared to last year's final budget proposal was a total budget of \$23,793,885.00, excluding cash reserve, carried a tax request of \$820,613.00 based on a levy of .3434.

After no further discussion, Kennedy moved, Janssen seconded, to close the hearings at 5:32 p.m. Roll call vote: Yea –Kennedy, Richeson, Janssen. No – none. Absent and not voting- Buddenberg. Motion carried.

Janssen moved, Richeson seconded, to adopt the 2021-22 budget of all municipal funds as presented. Roll call vote: Yea –Kennedy, Richeson, Janssen. No – none. Absent and not voting- Buddenberg. Motion carried.

Richeson moved, Kennedy seconded, to approve an additional 1% restricted funds authority. Roll call vote: Yea –Kennedy, Richeson, Janssen. No – none. Absent and not voting- Buddenberg. Motion carried.

Janssen moved, Richeson seconded, to pass and approve Resolution 2021-17 setting the 2021-22 tax levy at .3434. Roll call vote: Yea –Kennedy, Richeson, Janssen. No – none. Absent and not voting- Buddenberg. Motion carried.

CONSENT AGENDA:

None.

CLAIMS:

None.

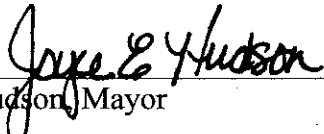
COMMUNITY COMMENTS:

None.

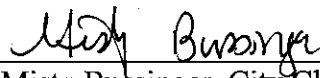
DISCUSSION ITEMS:

None.

Buddenberg moved, Kennedy seconded, to adjourn the meeting 5:33 p.m. Roll call vote: Yea – Kennedy, Richeson, Janssen. No – none. Absent and not voting- Buddenberg. Motion carried.



Joyce Hudson, Mayor



Misty Bussinger, City Clerk