Town of Platteville November Budget Hearing, Special Town Meeting Minutes

Monday November 18th, 2024

(APPROVED)

Budget Hearing Special Town Meeting Minutes

The budget hearing was called to order at 6:00 P.M. by Dan Smith.

The clerk presented the proposed budget. The budget was reviewed by residents and board members present. The total proposed budget is \$1,017,003.

The budget hearing was closed at 6:10 P.M.

The special town meeting was called to order by Dan Smith at 6:10 P.M.

The clerk verified that notice was posted in 3 posting locations and the website.

Motion by Bob Digman to approve the Town Tax Levy amount of \$350,456, seconded by Carol Ann Hood. Motion carried.

Motion by Bob Digman to approve the salaries of elected officials for the next 2-year term beginning in April of 2025 with no changes, seconded by Chad Droessler. Motion carried.

Motion by Chad Digman to approve the 2025 budget in the amount of \$1,017,003, seconded by Bob Digman. Motion carried.

Motion by Carol Ann Hood to adjourn the special meeting, seconded by Bob Digman. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:14 P.M.

Town of Platteville Monthly Board Meeting Minutes

Monday November 18th, 2024

(APPROVED)

Town Board Meeting

Chairman Weigel asked Dan Smith to run the meeting for him. The meeting was called to order by Dan Smith at 6:14 P.M. following the budget hearing and special town meeting.

Members present: Dan Smith, Tom Weigel, Dave Klar, Nathan Niehaus, and Chad Droessler.

The clerk verified that the open meeting law was met. Notice was posted in 3 locations, and the website. WWW.TOWNOFPLATTEVILLE.COM

The agenda was reviewed. Motion by Weigel to approve the agenda as presented, seconded by Droessler. Motion carried.

The minutes from the October meeting were reviewed. Motion by Droessler to approve the minutes as presented, seconded by Smith. Motion carried.

Klar presented the treasurer's report. Total account balances as of November 1st were \$285,588.75. Klar stated that a check was run through the towns checking account in error and that a correction was made by Clare Bank. Motion by Droessler to approve the treasurer's report, seconded by Smith. Motion carried.

The bills for the month were reviewed, totaling \$105,734.30. Motion by Droessler to approve the bills as presented, seconded by Smith. Motion carried.

The 2025 budget was reviewed. Motion by Weigel to approve the budget as presented in the amount of \$1,017,003.00 that was approved at the special town meeting, seconded by Droessler. Motion carried.

The 2024 tax levy to be paid in 2025 was reviewed. Motion by Smith to approve the tax levy in the amount of \$350,456.00 as approved at the special town meeting, seconded by Droessler. Motion carried.

The Grant County MOU Provider Agreement was discussed regarding entering voter information into the state of Wisconsin data system. Motion by Droessler to approve the agreement for 2025 in the amount of \$900.00, seconded by Smith. Motion carried.

The Southwest Health Emergency Services Agreement was discussed and reviewed. The proposed Agreement is for a 10-year term beginning January 1, 2025, with a fee of \$16/capita year one with a maximum of 3.5%/annum increase. Motion by Smith to approve the agreement, seconded by Droessler. Motion carried.

Banking service proposals were discussed. Klar stated that the proposal from Clare Bank was the interest rate on deposit accounts not the interest rate for loans as was thought to be. Clare Bank is proposed a rate equal to the state investment pool for deposit accounts, currently 4.93%. Motion by Droessler to continue with Clare Bank with an update due from them at budget time each year, seconded by Weigel. Motion carried.

Tim Zoelke asked about supporting the Senior Center in future budgets as some town residents participate at the events that do not have any fees.

Kurt stated that the wedging is done, some residents are not putting the end walls on culverts on driveways, he has been working on replacing fire # signs, he is willing to pick deer along the road as long as residents notify him in a timely manner, and that garbage is being thrown out on Hazel Dell and Mitchell Hollow roads again.

No new driveway permits.

No new zoning and building permits.

The board placed the checks in envelopes for the bills to be paid.

Motion by Droessler to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Weigel. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 6:52 P.M.

Nathan Niehaus-Clerk