

MINUTES
CITY OF AURORA COUNCIL MEETING
CITY/TOWN GOVERNMENT CENTER
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2014
2:30 p.m.

PRESENT: Mayor Hess, Councilors Lislegard, Smolich,

ABSENT: Councilors Cromley, Worshek

ALSO PRESENT: Britt See-Benes, Administrator/Clerk-Treasurer

Mayor Hess called the meeting to order at 2:30 p.m.

Administrator See-Benes reviewed the proposed 2015 capital and operating budget. With the expected 2015 Street Project, much of the increase in the Operating Budget was due to increased Engineering Costs and project related items.

Moved by Smolich and supported by Lislegard to adopt Resolution No. 2014-29, Adopting the Proposed 2014 Property Tax Levy, Collectible in 2015 in the amount of \$909,529.39. MOTION CARRIED

Moved by Lislegard and supported by Smolich to adopt Resolution No. 2014-30, adopting the 2015 Proposed Budget in the amount of \$2,734,093.46. MOTION CARRIED

Moved by Smolich and supported by Lislegard to set the Truth in Taxation hearing date as December 15, 2014 at 6:00 p.m., at the Aurora City Hall. MOTION CARRIED

Administrator See-Benes stated that the student workers have all exhausted their number of shifts with many of them leaving the area to return to school. However, we are still in need of some light duty work such as mowing, cleaning, etc. There is money left in the budget to keep one student worker, at minimum wage, for approximately 32 shifts. The City and AFSCME have entered into a Letter of Understanding previously to allow temporary workers to work for up to 100 shifts without obtaining Union status.

Moved by Smolich and Lislegard to approve retaining Samantha Cromley as a Temporary Student Laborer for an additional thirty two (32) shifts, in order to not exceed the 100 shift maximum, contingent upon agreement from AFSCME. MOTION CARRIED

Administrator See-Benes stated that she has been in contact with representatives from the Hoyt Lakes City Council regarding the potential to offer weekend only water and wastewater service.

Moved by Smolich and supported by Lislegard to direct City Staff to send communication to the City of Hoyt Lakes expressing our desire to continue to discuss the joint water services, as we work through other processes. MOTION CARRIED

Moved by Smolich and supported by Lislegard to adjourn the meeting. MOTION CARRIED

Meeting adjourned at 3:17 p.m.

Mary Hess, Mayor

ATTEST:

Britt See-Benes, Administrator/Clerk/Treasurer