Council Proceedings
Special Council Meeting
March 6, 2017

A Special meeting of the Marshalltown City Council was convened on March 6, 2017, at 12:00 pm, in the Council Chambers at City Hall, according to posted notices. Mayor Lowrance called the meeting to order and led the Pledge of Allegiance. ROLL CALL: Present – Gowdy, Greer, Hoop, Lamer, Martin, Wirin.

Mayor Lowrance opened a public hearing at 12:02 pm concerning the amended budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017. No oral or written comments were presented. The public hearing was closed at 12:03 pm. Lamer moved to approve Resolution 2017-037 Adopting the Amended Budget for the Fiscal Year, ending June 30, 2017, seconded by Greer. Resolution adopted 6-0.

Mayor Lowrance opened a public hearing at 12:04 pm concerning the budget and certification of taxes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018. Council member Hoop asked about the adjustment to part-time wages for the Library and if the Library tax levy was covering this increase. Diana Steiner, Finance Director, explained the additional funding was added after the fact because of a miscalculation between the Library and Finance Department when the budget requests were being submitted. Sarah Rosenblum, Library Director, noted the proposed budget for fiscal year 2018 is less than that of the current year. Council member Lamer stated that he would not be voting to approve the budget due to the deficit in the General Fund. No public comments were presented. The public hearing closed at 12:12 pm. Martin moved to approve Resolution 2017-038 Adopting the Budget and Certifying Taxes for the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2018, second by Greer. Resolution adopted 5-1, with Lamer dissenting.

Mayor Lowrance opened a public hearing at 12:13 pm concerning the 2017-2021 Capital Improvements Program. No oral or written comments were presented. The public hearing closed at 12:14 pm. Lamer made a motion to approve Resolution 2017-039 Approving the 2017-2021 Capital Improvements program, seconded by Gowdy. Resolution adopted 6-0.

With no other business, the meeting adjourned at 12:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

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Shari L. Coughenour, CMC, City Clerk

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James L. Lowrance, Mayor

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Shari L. Coughenour, City Clerk