

Budget Workshop Meeting July 28, 2020

Budget Workshop Meeting of the City Council of the City of Lindsay

Mayor	Scott Neu	
Alderman	Klay Gilbert	
	Jeff Neu	
	Glenn Block	
	Robert Sharp	
	Sam Sparkman	(absent)
City Secretary	Monica Laux	
Police Chief	Jimmy Yarbrough	

Visitors: Donna Reed; ZOOM participant

The mayor opened the meeting at 6:39 PM. The Mayor reviewed and explained the franchise fees collected, the 2020 certified property tax totals and schedule of debt payments for 2020-2021.

Next Mayor Neu explained the list of proposed projects, mainly consisting of waterline extension and sewer line extension near Highway 82. The Mayor provided information about the funding opportunities for proposed projects listed in the proposed budget.

There was a lengthy discussion on the proposed tax rates. The consensus was to keep the tax rate of .4862, the same as last year, with the I&S being set at the rate to pay the debt payments.

Discussion took place regarding commercial water rates and various recycle option. Both will be revisited at a future meeting.

The Council stated they are interested in budgeting money for street repairs. Several streets need repair, but no consensus was made on which location should be repaired.

There being no further business before the council, the meeting was adjourned at 7:48PM (For more detailed information consult the recording of this meeting available at city hall.)