

Budget Workshop Minutes April 24 | 2017

City of Center Line
Budget Workshop
Monday April 24, 2017

Budget meeting of the City Council of the City of Center Line, Michigan held on Monday, April 24, 2017 at 6:00 pm in the City Hall Council Chambers.

Present: Council Members Mary Hafner, James Reid, Nick Chakur and Mayor Binson. Also present were Dennis Champine, City Manager/Clerk, Mark Knapp, Director of Finance/Treasurer, Greg Suma, Deputy Treasurer.

Absent: Council Member Ron Lapham

Mayor Binson led the Pledge of Allegiance

MOTION by Councilperson Chakur, supported by Councilperson Reid to adopt the agenda as presented

AYES: 4 NAYS: 0

MOTION CARRIED

MOTION by Council Member Reid, supported by Council Member Hafner to excuse Council Member Lapham

AYES: 4 NAYS: 0

MOTION CARRIED

AUDIENCE COMMUNICATION

None

BUDGET WORKSHOP

Both Rob Curtis and Judge Chmura were both present to discuss the budget for the 37th District Court. Discussion of having Magistrate here for additional days.

Mark Knapp discussed with council both the Debt Service Fund and the Legislative (not much change)

City Manager gave updates to Mayor and Council in to the DDA – New gateway sign is being looked into – taking bids. Gave updates regarding Façade grants. Discussion regarding capital improvement.

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AUDIENCE COMMUNICATION

After discussion of budget, resident had questions regarding DDA and 37th District Court – inquiring about additional monies being received.

Spending \$200,000 on sign – is it “fruitful” with that kind of expenditure.

Also had questions regarding the Rinke parking. – will this go before the P & Z board or ZBA Board.

All questions and concerns were addressed with the resident.

A motion was made by Council Member Hafner, supported by Council Member Reid to add Health Care to agenda - 7a

Ayes: 4 NAYS: 0

MOTION CARRIED

Council Member Chakur brought up the insurance for the retirees. He has received multiple phone calls with many concerns. It was requested that the HR Director get the names of individuals that have been calling, she will contact them to address their concerns.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Councilperson Hafner, supported by Councilperson Reid to adjourn at 7:54 PM

AYES: 4 NAYS: 0

MOTION CARRIED

Meeting adjourned at 7:54 PM

Dennis Champine
City Manager/Clerk