

MINUTES OF A PUBLIC HEARING CONDUCTED IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS,
NORMAL CITY HALL, FOURTH FLOOR UPTOWN STATION, 11 UPTOWN CIRCLE,
NORMAL, MCLEAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS – DECEMBER 4, 2017 – PROPOSED
PROPERTY TAX LEVY

1. CALL TO ORDER:

Mayor Koos called the public hearing to order at 7:00 p.m., Monday, December 4, 2017.

2. ROLL CALL:

The Clerk called the roll with the following persons physically

PRESENT: Mayor Chris Koos and Councilmembers Jeff Fritzen, Chemberly Cummings, R.C. McBride, Kathleen Lorenz, Kevin McCarthy and Scott Preston. Also present were City Manager Mark Peterson, Deputy City Manager Pamela Reece, Corporation Counsel Brian Day and Town Clerk Angie Huonker.

ABSENT: None.

3. CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION:

There is on file in the office of the Town Clerk a Certificate of Publication from *The Normalite* dated November 23, 2017.

4. PURPOSE OF THE PUBLIC HEARING:

Mayor Koos announced the purpose of the public hearing is to receive comments from the public regarding the proposed Property Tax Levy.

Mayor Koos called for comments from the public;

Ms. Angela Scott addressed the Council with opposition to the increase.

Mr. Doug Fanzler, 307 Carriage Hills Road, Normal, Illinois addressed the Council with opposition to the increase.

Mr. Ron Ulmer, 1114 N. Linden, Normal, Illinois addressed the Council with opposition to the increase.

Mr. Parker Lawless addressed the Council with opposition to the increase.

Mr. Brad Stregel, 508 Ironwood, Normal, Illinois addressed the council with opposition to the increase.

Mr. Ed Neeves, 3998 Renaissance Drive, Normal, Illinois, speaking on behalf of the Bloomington Normal Association of Realtors addressed the council with concerns on the increase.

Mr. Jeff Hobb addressed the Council with opposition to the increase.

Mr. Marc Tiritilli, 1212 Timber Ridge Court, Normal, Illinois addressed the Council with concerns on the increase.

Mr. Doug Sauer addressed the Council with opposition to the increase.

Mr. Jared Raskauskas, 445 Beechwood Court, Normal, Illinois addressed the council with concerns on the increase.

Mayor Koos issued the second call for comments from the public;

Mayor Koos issued the third and final call for comments from the public;

5. ADJOURNMENT:

MOTION:

Councilmember McCarthy moved, seconded by Councilmember Fritzen, the public hearing be adjourned.

AYES: Fritzen, McBride, Cummings, Lorenz, Preston, McCarthy, Koos.

NAYS: None.

Motion declared carried.

Mayor Chris Koos adjourned the public hearing on the Proposed Property Tax Levy at 7:38 p.m., Monday, December 4, 2017.