

CUMMING TOWNSHIP
Budget Hearing

March 30, 2022

The Budget Hearing was called to order at 6:30pm with the Pledge of Allegiance. Roll Call: Ron, Jan, Shari, Matt, Reid – present.

Other present were: Rose Quackenbush; Jan Thompson; Kevin Goforth; Randy McCrite; Bruce Schneider; Fred Rosebrugh; Lesley Murchie.

Ron gave revenues, expenditures, and projected surplus for the General, Road, Fire, LLE, Recycle, and Sewer Funds.

Ron stated that the Ogemaw County Road Commission received ARPA Funds for roads and may be looking at spending some of those funds in Cumming Township. The township would pay a portion of the costs.

Jan reported that the ARPA Funds were taken out of the General Fund proposed budget, from the Budget Workshop. These funds will have a separate Revenue and Expense report, as the funds are received and expensed.

Jan also reported the Assessor wasn't included in the wage increases. Discussion was held. Ron will contact the Assessor; if she wants an increase in pay, she will need to submit, to the Board, for the increase.

Randy McCrite questioned if recycling is in the budget, are we going to recycle? Ron stated not at this time. Fred Rosebrugh questioned if the new revenue, in the Recycle Fund, is based on the new bag fees; yes, it is. Fred Rosebrugh also questioned if there will be a millage for the Transfer Station; Ron stated it will be on the agenda at the next regular meeting.

Jan made a motion, seconded by Ron, to accept the proposed 2022-2023 budget, as presented. Roll Call Vote: Shari, Matt, Reid, Ron, Jan – All Yes. Motion carried.

Jan presented the 2022-2023 Budget Resolution, which Ron read. Jan made a motion, seconded by Shari, to adopt the 2022-2023 Budget Resolution, as presented. Roll Call Vote: Reid, Matt, Shari, Ron, Jan – All Yes. Resolution adopted.

Jan made a motion, seconded by Shari, to adjourn at 6:55pm. Motion carried.

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