

CUMMING TOWNSHIP  
Budget Hearing

March 30, 2023

The Budget Hearing was called to order at 6:00pm with the Pledge of Allegiance. Roll Call: Ron, Jan, Reid, Fred – present. Shari – Absent.

Other present were: Jan Thompson; Matt Polzin; Ray Grant; Bob Hoover.

Ron stated the purpose of this meeting was to approve the proposed 2023-2024 budget. Jan stated nothing has changed on the proposed budget, except the taxes in 2023 due to an additional tax disbursement. This led to changes in the profit/loss of some of the accounts.

Discussion was held regarding the LLE account.

Reid stated there is an abundance of money in the Fire account; we should think about not collecting the millage in 2023-2024. Jan stated that we don't have to collect a millage for a year but may or may not collect the next year. In this instance, the Fire millage doesn't expire until 2028. Discussion was held. It was agreed to put a flyer in with the taxes regarding not collecting the Fire millage for 2023-2024.

Matt Polzin questioned money set aside for asphalt. Ron stated that we will discuss this at the next regular meeting, April 6, 2023. Jan stated that we can only discuss the information at hand, which is the Budget Hearing, due to the fact there isn't a full board present.

Jan made a motion, seconded by Reid, to NOT collect the 2023 Fire millage, 2023-2024 fiscal year. Roll Call Vote: Ron, Fred, Reid, Jan – All Yes. Shari – Absent. Motion carried.

Fred made a motion, seconded by Ron, to accept the proposed 2032-2023 budget, as presented. Roll Call Vote: Fred, Ron, Reid, Jan – All Yes. Shari – Absent. Motion carried.

Jan presented the 2023-2024 Budget Resolution; she stated it is the same format as always, which includes the General Operating millage and the proposed amount at the end of the fiscal year. Jan made a motion, seconded by Ron, to adopt the 2023-2024 Budget Resolution, as presented. Roll Call Vote: Reid, Fred, Ron, Jan – All Yes. Shari – Absent. Resolution adopted.

Jan stated the mileage is now \$0.66 per mile, per the Federal rate, which the township uses.

Fred stated Leo Dion will hold a virtual meeting at the Rose City Hall on April 4 at 2:00pm. Jan reminded Fred that we could not talk about the Sewer grant at this meeting. Fred stated the meeting will be before the next regular meeting.

Reid made a motion, seconded by Fred, to adjourn at 6:22pm. Motion carried.

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