

**CITY OF DUBUQUE, IOWA
CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
SPECIAL SESSION**

The Dubuque City Council met in special session at 6:30 p.m. on March 11, 2021.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and mandates for social distancing, this meeting was conducted virtually via GoToMeeting and aired live on CityChannel Dubuque (Mediacom cable channels 8 and 117.2), streamed live on the City's website at www.cityofdubuque.org/media, and streamed live on the City's Facebook page at www.facebook.com/cityofdubuque.

Present: Mayor Buol; Council Members Cavanagh, Farber, Jones, Resnick, Roussell, Sprank; City Manager Van Milligen.

Mayor Buol read the call and stated this is a special session of the City Council called for the purpose of setting the public hearing on the Fiscal Year 2022 City Budget and conducting public hearings on certain Fiscal Year 2022 Departmental Budgets.

ITEMS SET FOR PUBLIC HEARING

1. Set Public Hearing on Fiscal Year 2022 City Budget: City Manager recommended that the City Council set a public hearing for March 24, 2021, on the Fiscal Year 2022 City budget, operating and capital improvement program, for the City of Dubuque. Motion by Jones to receive and file the documents and adopt Resolution No. 64-21 Setting the date for the public hearing on the Fiscal Year 2022 budget as amended for the City of Dubuque and Resolution No. 65-21 Setting the date for the public hearing on the Five-Year Capital Improvement Program for Fiscal Years 2022 through 2026 for the City of Dubuque. Seconded by Resnick. Point of Order by Council Member Cavanagh that the motion did not include setting the public hearing. Mayor Buol stated that the motion will include setting the public hearing. City Manager Van Milligen responded to questions from the City Council regarding how recent Federal legislation on COVID-19 stimulus will impact the City's budget. Mayor Buol restated the motion as to receive and file the documents, adopt the resolutions, and set the public hearing as indicated. Motion carried 7-0, setting a public hearing for a meeting to commence at 6:30 p.m. on March 24, 2021.

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PUBLIC HEARINGS

Fiscal Year 2022 City departmental budgets were presented by staff from the following departments:

1. Emergency Management FY22 Budget Presentation: Tom Berger, Emergency Management Coordinator;
2. Emergency Communications FY22 Budget Presentation: Mark Murphy, Emergency Communications Manager;
3. Police Department FY22 Budget Presentation: Mark Dalsing, Police Chief and Jeremy Jensen, Assistant Police Chief;
4. Fire Department FY22 Budget Presentation: Rick Steines, Fire Chief.

Staff responded to questions from the City Council following their respective presentations. Following the Fire Department's presentation, Kyle FitzGerald, 1240 University Avenue, provided input through the City's Facebook page complementing Emergency Services staff.

There being no further business, Mayor Buol declared the meeting adjourned at 8:43 p.m.

/s/Adrienne N. Breitfelder
City Clerk

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