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# CITY OF MEADVILLE

The City of Meadville held a meeting Monday, August 14, 2023 at 6:30PM.

Those in attendance: Tim Nickell, Bobbi Meneely, Aaron Norris, Debbie Bennett, Darrell Clark, Terry Cowan

Debbie called meeting to order.

## TAX LEVY HEARING – setting of 2023 property tax rate

Maximum rate allowed and suggested by the state is \$.3806 per \$100 of assessed valuation. The county clerk indicates the assessed values of property for 2023 will total \$4,097,424, yielding tax revenue of \$15,594.80. Ordinance was read 3 times. Aaron made motion to accept proposed rate. Darrell 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

## REGULAR MEETING

### Additions to agenda

Approval of Minutes – Darrell made motion to approve the minutes. Aaron 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

Public Participation – Kathy Seckington with utility questions

### Old Business

- Electric pole upgrade work to be completed by MPUA – Tim will call to discuss project specifics & get bids/estimates for different sections of project for council to decide those with priority.
- Fix manhole on West Hayward St – Still can't find asphalt. Tim will reach out to Brookfield & MPUA for possible vendors.
- Partnering with school on park equipment/supplies – Aaron will meet with school to discuss now that mulch project is finished.
- Missing street signs – Still on order. Tim will follow up.
- Water tower inspection - Still waiting on rural water to repair their shop.
- Remitting old outstanding refund checks to state as unclaimed property. To be completed after 6/30/23 - Done.
- Possible grant for streets. Status of LMI. No more surveys have been turned in. – Bobbi will send out a letter along with a copy of the survey.
- Insurance monies from burned house/status of demolition. – Still waiting on Truitt for scheduled date.
- City clerk position – Person who applied ended up not being interested. Darrell made motion to reappoint Bobbi Meneely as city clerk. Terry 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.
- Reading of ordinance authorizing mayor to sign tractor lease with Sydenstrickers. Tractor delivered 6/26/23 – Ordinance was read three times in entirety. Aaron made motion to accept. Terry 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

### New Business

- Complaints re: excessive noise late at night – Missouri Revised statute 574.010 is one applicable law to apply. City council recommends residents call the sheriff's office or highway patrol.
- City CDs held at Verimore Bank – CDs renewed at .5% for 6 months. Verimore has option to do 7 month CDs at 4.91% as of 7/27. Darrell makes motion to cash in existing CDs at Verimore and pay applicable penalty, using funds to roll into 7 month CD special at rate of at least 4.91%. Aaron 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor. Bobbi will call to get current rate info and paperwork requirements.

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Tim Nickell's stuff

Treasurer/clerk's stuff

- Approval of bills
- Utility account updates/account adjustments approval
- Approval of financial reports

Comments by Aldermen

Comments by Mayor

Next regularly scheduled city council meeting to be held Monday, September 11, 2023, at 6:30PM.

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Deborah K. Bennett, mayor