

## EL DORADO CITY SPECIAL COMMISSION MEETING

July 22, 2020

The El Dorado City Commission met in special session on July 22, 2020 at 5:00 pm at City Hall with the following present: Mayor Bill Young, Commissioner Matt Guthrie, Commissioner Gregg Lewis, Commissioner Nick Badwey, Commissioner Kendra Wilkinson, City Manager David Dillner, City Engineer Scott Rickard and City Clerk Tabitha Sharp.

### VISITORS

Curt Zieman	128 N Vine	El Dorado, KS
Kevin Wishart	220 E 1 <sup>st</sup>	El Dorado, KS
Brad Meyer	222 E 2 <sup>nd</sup>	El Dorado, KS
Joe Haag	220 E 1 <sup>st</sup>	El Dorado, KS
Kurt Bookout	220 E 1 <sup>st</sup>	El Dorado, KS
Tammy Schaffer	220 E 1 <sup>st</sup>	El Dorado, KS
Jordan Buxton	El Dorado Chamber of Commerce	El Dorado, KS
Linda Jolly	El Dorado Inc.	El Dorado, KS
Steve Waite	Main Street	El Dorado, KS
Sherry Hagemeister	Main Street	El Dorado, KS
Craig Yaryan	Main Street	El Dorado, KS
Lee White	Butler County, Kansas News	El Dorado, KS

### CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Bill Young called the July 22, 2020 Special City Commission meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

### 2021 BUDGET DISCUSSION

The City Commission discussed the proposed budget and agreed on the following approximate mill levy (Finance Director Tammy Schaffer stated that the numbers might change slightly after the County does their assessment): General Fund – 36.205, Bond and Interest – 10.174, Airport - .621, Industrial Mill Levy – 1, and Library – 5, for a total of 53 mills.

City Manager David Dillner provided a memo on how they would approach the budget process in the future.

Commissioner Matt Guthrie stated that they need to stay on topic and complete the discussions regarding the partner agency agreements in the near future.

Steve Waite, Main Street Vice President, began to try and talk from the audience.

Commissioner Guthrie told him that the Commission was not accepting public comment at this meeting.

Commissioner Nick Badwey moved to adjourn the meeting.

Commissioner Matt Guthrie seconded the motion.

Motion failed 2 – 3.

Mayor Bill Young stated that the Commission needed to complete the budget discussions and move forward so that staff could do what they needed to publish it. He stated that those in the audience representing the partner agencies needed to let them work through the budget process, he reiterated that currently, the funding they each had received in previous years was

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Commissioner Guthrie stated that the Commission has until October 23<sup>rd</sup> to make a decision per the existing MOU's.

The Commission agreed to send the budget as presented for publication.

**CARES ACT DIRECT AID PROJECTS**

City Manager David Dillner presented the proposed projects to be sent to the County for funding through the CARES Act.

The City Commission stated that they believe that staff knew what was needed and that they could move forward as they saw fit as long as they fit the criteria.

**UPCOMING AGENDA REVIEW**

Staff reviewed items on the upcoming agenda.

**REPORTS**

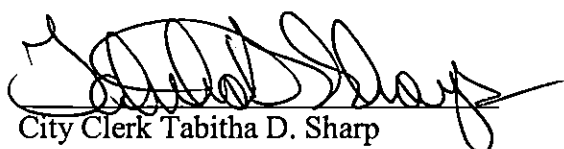
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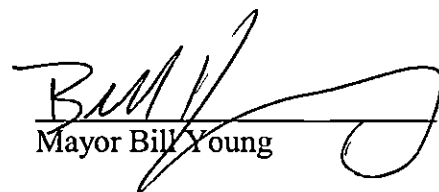
**ADJOURNMENT**

Commissioner Nick Badwey moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:20 p.m.

Commissioner Matt Guthrie seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5 – 0.

  
City Clerk Tabitha D. Sharp

  
Mayor Bill Young