PUBLIC HEARING

AGENDA

BEDFORD CITY COUNCIL STATE OF OHIO COUNTY OF CUYAHOGA

DATE: May 6, 2019

TIME: 7:00 P.M.

1. CALL TO ORDER

- 2. ROLL CALL
- 3. **NEW BUSINESS**
 - a. Resolution No. 2534-19 approving and accepting the proposed 2019 Tax Budget for the year January 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020 (Rdgs: 5/6/19, 5/20/19, PH 5/6/19)
- 4. ADJOURNMENT

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Mayor Koci called the **Public Hearing** to order at Bedford City Hall on Monday, May 6, 2019 at 7:02 P.M. The roll was called. Present: Genutis, Fluharty, Saunders, Rhoades, Spinks, Koci, Mizsak. Absent: None.

Mayor Koci read the title of Resolution No. 2534-19 for the Public Hearing.

RESOLUTION NO. 2534-19 A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ACCEPTING THE PROPOSED 2019 TAX BUDGET FOR THE YEAR JANUARY 1, 2020 TO DECEMBER 31, 2020 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY WAS READ BY TITLE ONLY (Rdgs: 5/6/19, 5/20/19, PH 5/6/19)

Mr. Gambosi explained this process was per the Ohio Revised Code. There were three reasons for the tax budget process: 1) Allowed the County Auditor to set the property tax rate for next year. 2) Allowed the City to receive Undivided Local Government Funds and Local Government Revenue Assistance, and 3) Allowed the County Auditor to provide the City with a Certificate of Estimated Resources which limits the amount of money Council could appropriate for the tax years. (See attachments)

The laws of the State of Ohio require municipalities submit to the County Commission approximately six (6) months prior to the beginning of each calendar year an estimated budget for the next calendar year so that the tax rate for such year may be determined by the Budget Commission. The proposed budget of estimated income and expenditures for the tax year 2019 presented by the City Manager and himself and recommended by the County would be accepted and approved after the Public Hearing and readings of the resolution.

Council had no questions.

Resident Jeff Asbury was present with no questions or comments.

Motion made by Saunders seconded by Rhoades to adjourn. The roll was called. Vote – Yeas: Genutis, Fluharty, Saunders, Rhoades, Spinks, Koci, Mizsak. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 7:09 P.M.

Clerk of Council

Mayor - President of Council