



City of Hutto

MINUTES

**Special Called City Council Meeting
Thursday, September 8, 2022 at 7:00 PM
City Council Chambers**

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1. CALL SESSION TO ORDER: 7:00 PM

2. ROLL CALL

Members of City Council present: Mayor Mike Snyder, Councilmember Robin Sutton, Councilmember Randal Clark, Councilmember Dan Thornton, Councilmember Krystal Kinsey, Councilmember Amberley Kolar and Mayor Pro Tem Peter Gordon.

Absent: None

Members of staff present: James Earp, City Manager; Matt Wojnowski, Assistant City Manager; Cristian Rosas-Grillet, Legal Counsel and Kate Moriarty, Executive Management Assistant

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

4. PUBLIC COMMENT

- Cheryl Stewart
- Ida Weaver
- James Weaver
- Kathleen Cook
- Jacqueline Corbiere
- Ty Revenew
- Rudy Perez
- Terra Ray

5. ORDINANCES

- 5.1 Consideration of a public hearing and possible action on Ordinance No. O-2022-levying Ad Valorem Taxes for the use and support of the municipal government for the City of Hutto for the Tax Year 2022 (First Reading) (Angie Rios)

The public hearing was opened at 8:20 pm.

- Nicole Calderone

- Rick Hudson

There were no other speakers, and the public hearing was closed at 8:26 pm.

After discussion, Mayor Pro Tem Gordon suggested hearing Item 5.2 before deciding on Item 5.1. There were no objections.

- 5.2 Consideration and possible action on Ordinance No. O-2022-045 approving and adopting a budget for the City of Hutto for the Fiscal Year Beginning October 1, 2022 and ending September 30, 2023 (Angie Rios)

After discussion, Mayor Pro Tem Gordon made the motion to approve the budget as presented, and Councilmember Clark seconded the motion. Vote passed 7,0.

Councilmember Sutton made an amendment to move the excess funds in Professional Services and Engineering to City Council Professional Services Finance. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Clark. Vote passed 7,0.

Recalled Item

- 5.1 Consideration of a public hearing and possible action on Ordinance No. O-2022-levying Ad Valorem Taxes for the use and support of the municipal government for the City of Hutto for the Tax Year 2022 (First Reading) (Angie Rios)

Mayor Snyder made the motion to approve the tax rate at .421980, and Councilmember Thornton seconded the motion.

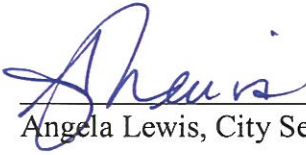
Councilmember Kinsey made an amendment to the motion for setting I&S rate at .148100 and the M&O rate .293880 at for a total tax rate of .441980, and Mayor Pro Tem Gordon seconded. Vote passed 4,3 (Kolar, Thornton, Snyder dissenting).

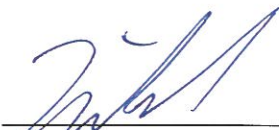
After discussion, Mayor Snyder rescinded his original motion.

Mayor Pro Tem Gordon moved that the property tax be increased by the adoption of a tax rate of .441980 (a 4.74 increase). The motion was seconded by Councilmember Kinsey. Vote passed 4,3 (Snyder, Thornton, Kolar dissenting).

7. ADJOURNMENT: 10:52 PM

ATTEST:


Angela Lewis, City Secretary


Mike Snyder, Mayor

