

City Council Meeting
10 N. Public Square
August 16, 2016
9:00 A.M.

I. Opening Meeting

The City Council met in a public hearing to discuss the millage rate with Matthew Santini, Mayor presiding and the following present: Kari Hodge, Council Member Ward One; Jayce Stepp, Council Member Ward Two; Louis Tonsmeire, Sr., Council Member Ward Three; Taff Wren, Council Member Ward Six; Sam Grove, City Manager; and Connie Keeling, City Clerk.

Absent: Council Member Ward Four; Lindsey McDaniel Council Member Ward Five; Dianne Tate

II. Regular Agenda

A. Millage Rate

Tom Rhinehart, Finance Department Head stated: "A public hearing is required for the 2016 city M&O millage rate as the city has decided to increase the millage rate from the rollback rate of 1.38 mills. As a result of increasing the millage rate, there will be an increase in property taxes. This increase will allow the utility funds to retain more of their earnings to fund projects that have been delayed for years. By law, the city is required to hold three public hearings for the public to voice their opinions about the tax increase. This constitutes the first of the three public hearings."

Mayor Matthew Santini opened the floor for a public hearing. No one came forward and the public hearing was closed.

No action required

A motion to adjourn was made by Council Member Stepp. Needing no second the meeting was adjourned. Motion carried unanimously. Vote 4-0

Meeting Adjourned

/s/ _____
Matthew J. Santini
Mayor

ATTEST:

/s/ _____
Connie Keeling
City Clerk