

**CITY OF THORP
SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2020 AT 6:00PM
AT THORP CITY HALL**

1. Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 6:00pm by Mayor Wnek. In attendance were; Alderpersons Abramczak, Einhorn, Korn, Lawcewicz and Rosemeyer and Clerk-Treasurer Pogodzinski.

PUBLIC HEARING

- a. Open Public Hearing
Mayor Wnek opened the Public Hearing.
- b. Public Commentary
None
- c. Close Public Hearing
M/M/S (Lawcewicz, Einhorn) to close Public Hearing. Motion passed 5-0.

2. Discussion and possible action to adopt the 2021 General Fund Operating Budget.

It was noted that wages/benefits in each department are lower due to health insurance rates being decreased due to a change in health providers at the previous council meeting. Clerk-Treasurer Pogodzinski stated that she added \$20,000 to the contingency fund but informed this amount could be added any place in the budget. She also informed that the debt service expense amount was corrected due to refinancing which was also a decrease in expenses from the original budget summary. Mayor Wnek felt an additional \$10,000 should be added to the contingency fund.

Aldersperson Lawcewicz felt this was a good idea since department heads were very conservative in the expense portion. Aldersperson Rosemeyer left the meeting.

M/M/S (Lawcewicz, Abramczak) motion to add \$10,000 to the current \$20,000 contingency fund with the levy at \$476,691. Motion passed 4-0.

CLOSING BUSINESS

3. Comments and suggestions from pre-registered citizens.

None

4. Reports from Department Heads, Mayor, Council, Committees, and discussion of future agenda items.

Aldersperson Korn questioned political signs still posted and asked to inform public to remove.

5. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

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Richard Wnek
Mayor

Michele Pogodzinski
Clerk-Treasurer