

NOVEMBER 3, 2016 OFFICIAL PUBLIC HEARING MINUTES

The Lorraine Town Board opened their Public Hearing regarding the 2017 preliminary budget at 6:59 pm at the Municipal Building.

Present were: Town Supervisor Vince Moore, Councilman David Johnson, Councilman Joe Hodges, Councilperson Virginia Clemens, Councilman Lester Hobbs, Highway Superintendent Carl Dealing and Town Clerk/Tax Collector Melinda Milne.

Citizens present: Chalkley DeForest.

The Town Clerk read the Legal Notice that was published in the Watertown Daily Times.

Mr. DeForest was recognized and he inquired about the final percentage change of the budget. He advised he was satisfied with the preliminary budget.

The Public Hearing was closed at 7:02.

Other matters that were discussed included the Justice Court. Councilman Hodges inquired if there had been any input from Judge Sheldon. There was a discussion regarding the Justice Court Grant.

Carl Dealing advised the Board of the price for a 2016 International through Stadium. There was a discussion how this relates to the current budget. The Board discussed purchasing a mower prior to the end of the year. Carl Dealing will make inquiries and advise the Board.

Councilman Hodges was inquiring about the legality of Keep Out Signs at the end of Lemay Road. Carl Dealing advised it is a County Road and not private property. He will check into this matter and advise the Board.

MOTION #86 OF 2016 was made by Councilman Hobbs to adjourn the meeting at 7:35 pm. The motion was seconded by Councilman Hodges. All present were in favor. Motion was carried.