



Minutes
Crystal River City Council
Special Council Meeting
September 8, 2021 5:01 p.m.
Council Chamber, City Hall

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Meek called the meeting to order at 5:01 p.m.

Council member Holmes led the invocation.

Mayor Meek led the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Motion to authorize Council member Fitzpatrick to participate remotely and to adopt the agenda was made by Council member Holmes; seconded by Council member Brown. Motion carried 5-0 on a roll call vote.

3. PUBLIC HEARING

- A. Motion to adopt Resolution No. 21-R-21 setting the tentative T.R.I.M. rate at 6.59 mills for FY2021/2022 on First Public Hearing and Setting the Final Public Hearing Date for Adoption of the Final Millage Rate for September 15, 2021 at 5:01 p.m.**

City Manager Frink provided a brief overview of the item and presented "City of Crystal River Tentative Budget Hearing September 8, 2021" (attached to original agenda packet) and Finance Director Michelle Russell reviewed the budget memo, highlighting strategies and major changes.

Public Hearing:

Terry Thompson- 1107 SE 4th Avenue- Spoke in opposition and inquired about Amendment 1 and CIP funding for projects outside of the CRA, which City Manager Frink addressed.

Council discussion was held regarding proposed budget and related presentation, noting solution for long term financial stability and benefits of investment into the city.

Motion to adopt Resolution No. 21-R-21 setting the tentative T.R.I.M. rate at 6.59 mills for FY2021/2022 on First Public Hearing and Setting the Final Public Hearing Date for Adoption of the Final Millage Rate for September 15, 2021 at 5:01 p.m. was made by Council member Brown; seconded by Council member Holmes. Motion carried 5-0 on a roll call vote.

- B. Motion to approve Resolution No. 21-R-22 Adopting the Tentative Budget for FY2021/2022 on First Public Hearing and setting the Final Public Hearing Date for Adoption of the Final FY2021/2022 Budget for September 15, 2021 at 5:01 p.m.**

City Manager Frink introduced the item.

Public Hearing:

Terry Thompson- 1107 SE 4th Avenue- Noted recent audit report and inquired about turnover, which City Manager Frink addressed.

Motion to approve Resolution No. 21-R-22 Adopting the Tentative Budget for FY2021/2022 on First Public Hearing and setting the Final Public Hearing Date for Adoption of the Final FY2021/2022 Budget for September 15, 2021 at 5:01 p.m. was made by Council member Holmes; seconded by Council member Guy. Motion carried 5-0 on a roll call vote.

- C. Motion to approve Resolution No. 21-R-23 Adopting the Tentative Budget for the Community Redevelopment Agency for FY2021/2022 on First Public Hearing and setting the Final Public Hearing Date for Adoption of the Final CRA Budget FY2021/2022 for September 15, 2021 at 5:01 p.m.**

City Manager Frink introduced the item.

Public Hearing: No one spoke for or against the resolution.

Motion to approve Resolution No. 21-R-23 Adopting the Tentative Budget for the Community Redevelopment Agency for FY2021/2022 on First Public Hearing and setting the Final Public Hearing Date for Adoption of the Final CRA Budget FY2021/2022 for September 15, 2021 at 5:01 p.m. was made by Council member Brown; seconded by Council member Guy. Motion carried 5-0 on a roll call vote.

4. PUBLIC INPUT

5. ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Meek adjourned the meeting at 5:52 p.m.