# CITY OF TAYLORSVILLE CITY COMMISSION SPECIAL MEETING

# **September 1, 2021**

The City of Taylorsville City Commission held a Special Meeting on Wednesday, September 1, 2021, at 5:00 p.m., at the City Hall Annex via teleconference.

Present were:
Matthew Douglas, Mayor
Beverly Ingram, Commissioner
Ellen Shelburne, Commissioner
Kathy Spears, Commissioner
Abbigail Nation, Commissioner

Staff present: John Dale, Jr., City Attorney Harold Compton, Public Works Director

Steve Biven, City Clerk

### **Item #1- Opening Remarks**

Mayor Douglas called the meeting to order at 5:00 PM. Clerk Biven called the roll.

#### Item #2 – Covid

Clark Biven asked if there were any changes that needed to be made in the current COVID policy that was adopted last week. The Commission wanted two additional points to be made. First, if an employee is at their workstation in the front office and social distancing six feet apart, no mask would be required. Secondly, if anyone were unable to social distance, they would have to wear a mask.

### **Item #3 - Property Tax Rate**

Clerk Biven presented the calculation and rates associated with this year's property taxes. The "proposed" rate for Real Property that allows for a 4% increase in revenue is .1470, which would require a lowering of the current rate. The proposed rate for Personal Property would keep the current rate of .1531 which will bring in less than 4%. The maximum rate the city could levy on personal property is .1569. Motion made by Commissioner Nation and seconded by Commissioner Shelburne to adopt the rates as discussed by reducing the Real Property Tax Rate to .1470 and to maintain the current rate of .1531 for the Personal Property Tax Rate. Motion carried 5-0. These rates will be noticed in the paper and a public hearing will be conducted prior to the first reading of the ordinance.

### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Item #4

Motion was made by Mayor Douglas and seconded by Commissioner Ingram to <u>Adjourn to Executive Session</u> Pursuant to KRS 61.815. Notice is given for the need of a closed session to discuss the following:

<u>Discussions or hearings which might lead to the appointment, discipline, or dismissal of an individual employee KRS 61.810(f).</u>

These matters need to be discussed in closed session to protect confidentiality.

**Motion Carried 5-0.** 

## **RETURN TO OPEN SESSION**

**Item #5** 

Motion was made by Commissioner Spears and seconded by Mayor Douglas to <u>return to</u> open session. Motion carried with a vote of 5-0.

#### ADJOURN MEETING

Item #6

Motion was made by Commissioner Ingram and seconded by Commissioner Shelburne to adjourn meeting. Motion carried with a vote of 5-0.

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Matt Douglas, Mayor

Stephen A. Biven, City Clerk