

Ripley County Council 2022 Budget Reviews

August 17, 2021

The 2022 Budget Review Meeting was called to order by Council President, Ron Decker, with the pledge of allegiance. Six Council Members were present (Ron Decker, David Tebbing, Stan Wiedeman, Katie Bailey, Andrew Decker, Peggy Ehlers (she had to leave at 1:55pm), Steve Gloyd was absent). Also present were Auditor Amy Copeland and First Deputy Dani Dozier.

The non-profit organizations that were appearing requesting funds were Children's Advocacy Center (Kelly Bridges) and Heart House, Inc (Wyatt Sampson & Craig Beckley). Each presented their organization's purpose and requested funding for 2022. Each organization was told they would be contacted on what the council was able to give for the 2022 year.

County Departments/Offices interviewed were: Sherriff (Mr. Jeff Cumberworth), 911 (Mrs. Leah Hildebrand). Each Department/Office explained the changes they were requesting to their 2022 budget.

At the end of the day Council Member, Andrew Decker, moved to recess to 9:00am 8/18/2021. Council Member, Stan Wiedeman, 2nd the motion. Motion passed 5 yes, 2 absent.

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The non-profit organizations that were appearing requesting funds were Safe Passage (Mary Mattingly), Lifetime (Jamie Brown) & Economic Development (Gary Norman). Each presented their organization's purpose and requested funding for 2022. Each organization was told they would be contacted on what the council was able to give for the 2022 year.

County Departments/Offices interviewed were: Health Department (Lexi Bushhorn & Jason Smith), Surveyor (Mr. Jeff French), Clerk (Mrs. Ginger Bradford), Probation/Court Services (Shannon Schmaltz & Miki Riehle) & Extension Office (Dave Osborne). Each Department/Office explained the changes they were requesting to their 2022 budget.

At the end of the day Council Member, Stan Wiedeman, moved to recess to 9:00am 8/19/2021. Council Member, Peggy Ehlers, 2nd the motion. Motion passed 6 yes 1 absent.

August 19, 2021

All Council Members were present except for Steve Gloyd, also present were Auditor Amy Copeland and First Deputy Dani Dozier.

County Departments/Offices interviewed were: County Commissioners (Mark Horstman, President, Kendall Hankins, Chris Schmaltz), Highway Department (Ray Toops) & EMS (Scott Huffman). Each Department/Office explained the changes they were requesting to their 2022 budget.

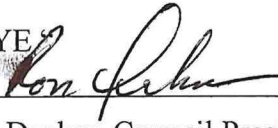
The County Council continued to finish up the discussion of the requests and reviews of the proposed budgets.

Enclosed with these minutes are copies of each budget with the votes and changes that may have been made.

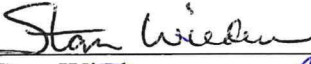
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With no further business to attend, Council Member, Peggy Ehlers, made the motion to adjourn, Council Member, David Tebbing, 2nd the motion. Motion passed 6 yes 1 absent.

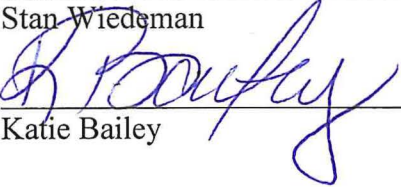
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Ron Decker, Council President



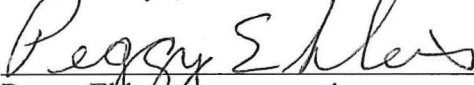
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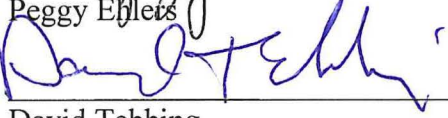
Katie Bailey

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Steven Gloyd, President Pro Tem



Peggy Ehlers



David Tebbing



Amy Copeland

Auditor, Ripley County

“NAY”

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David Tebbing

Amy Copeland

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