

MINUTES
of
MART CITY COUNCIL
September 29, 2023

Call to Order: Mayor Bob Kaiser called the meeting to order at 6:15 pm.

Roll call. A quorum was present—Mayor ProTem Trevor Baize, and Councilmembers John Garrett and Sandra Lynch were present. Councilmembers Odell Nevills and Ethan Deike were absent. Also present were City Secretary Lambert Little and Finance Director Vikki Grimes.

Mayor Kaiser opened the Public Hearing regarding the 2023-2024 Tax Rate. City Secretary Lambert Little explained how the tax rate was developed. Mayor Kaiser closed the Public Hearing at 6:17 pm.

Mayor Kaiser opened the Public Hearing regarding the 2023-2024 Budget. City Secretary Lambert Little explained some minor changes in the budget document. Mayor Kaiser closed the Public Hearing at 6:19 pm.

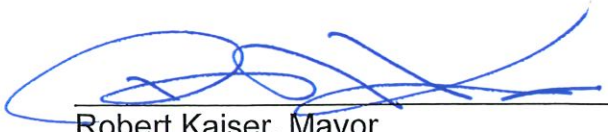
Item 2-- Discussion and possible action on approving the design and construction plans for the Mart Youth Baseball and Softball Association (MYBSA) restrooms and concession stand, was next, but no discussion took place due to the plans being unavailable.

Item 3-- Discussion and possible action on amending and approving the 2022-2023 Annual Budget, was discussed. Finance Director Vikki Grimes asked for no action; consequently, no action was taken.

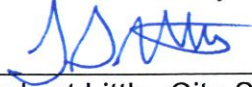
Item 4-- Discussion and possible action on adopting the 2023-2024 Annual Budget, was discussed. Mayor ProTem Trevor Baize moved, and Councilmember John Garrett seconded for the adoption of the 2023-2024 Annual Budget as presented. The motion passed, with Baize, Garrett, and Councilmember Lynch voting For, none voting against, and Councilmembers Ethan Deike and Odell Nevills being absent.

Item 5-- Discussion and possible action on adopting a 2023-2024 tax rate to support the budget, was then discussed. Mayor ProTem Trevor Baize moved, and Councilmember Sandra Lynch seconded for the adoption of the 2023-2024 Tax Rate of 0.652234 to support the Annual Budget. The motion passed, with Baize, Lynch, and Councilmember John Garrett voted For; none voted against, and Councilmembers Odell Nevills and Ethan Deike were absent.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:13 pm.



Robert Kaiser, Mayor



Lambert Little, City Secretary