

Moville City Council Budget Meeting Monday, January 20, 2024

Mayor Scott Linden called the meeting to order at around 6:30 pm. Roll Call: John Parks, Bret Hayworth, Calvin Mellies, and Jared Rapp all present. Paul Malm is absent. Hayworth motioned to approve agenda, seconded by Rapp. Ayes, motion carries. Hayworth motions to approve last meeting minutes, seconded by Hayworth. Ayes, motion carries. Guests include Pat Smith, Stee Maxwell. Stee Maxwell speaks at open forum and informs the Council that MCDAl looking into a possible Daycare/Childcare Facility utilizing the Methodist Church Sunday school wing with the guidance and suggestions from representatives of the Crittenton Center. MCDAl will apply for grants to assist.

Council reviews 2025-2026 Department Budgets for Parks, Pool, Water, Wastewater, Streets /Road Use. No action taken on the approval of the 2025-26 budget at this time?

The Council Consensus was not to raise property taxes and a discussion will be made at the February Council meeting regarding water rate increases this July 2025 to offset the cost of the Water Improvement Project and water tower.

Out of the Parks Department budget the Council consensus is to make improvements to City owned MYRA buildings like fixing the roof of the soccer field concession stand.

Mayor Linden announces the business property at 220 Main Street was selected by an external group for the Community Catalyst Grant to renovate the existing structure which will generate more needed business for our community to continue thriving!

Mayor and Council concerns and comments were discussed.

With no further business Hayworth motioned to adjourn around 8:29 pm and Mellies seconded. All ayes, motion carries-meeting closed. The next budget meeting will be Monday, January 27, 2025 at 6:30 pm.

Michaela Peterson

Scott Linden

City Clerk

Mayor