

## **2023 BUDGET HEARING and 2022 SPECIAL TOWN MEETING – November 16, 2022**

### **BUDGET HEARING**

The hearing on the proposed 2023 budget for the Town of St. Croix Falls was called to order by Chairperson Michael Dorsey at 7:00 p.m. on November 16, 2022. Proper notice was given as notice was posted in the three designated locations of the Town Hall, Wayne's Cafe and Speedway on October 28, 2022. Electors of the town present were Katie and Jeremy Appel, Frank and Angela Behning, Dave Berg, Will Bergmann, Shirley Cross, Mike Dorsey, Jeremy Hall, Sharon Kelly, Tanya and Chris Koester, Debra and Ron Micek, Julie Roadfeidt, Mark Thayer, Norval Valleen, Joel Yunker and Kyle Yunker. Also present were property owner Bob Barr and town clerk Janet Krueger.

The chair presented the proposed 2023 budget as recommended by the Town Board. Reviewed were the highway budget, expenditure budget, and the revenue budget.

The Chair closed the budget hearing at 7:38 p.m.

### **SPECIAL TOWN MEETING**

A special Town meeting was called to order at 7:38 p.m. by Town Chairperson Michael Dorsey on November 16, 2022. The clerk read the call of the meeting. The sign in sheet was used as a poll list of electors present. Electors of the town present were Katie and Jeremy Appel, Frank and Angela Behning, Dave Berg, Will Bergmann, Shirley Cross, Mike Dorsey, Jeremy Hall, Sharon Kelly, Tanya and Chris Koester, Debra and Ron Micek, Julie Roadfeidt, Mark Thayer, Norval Valleen, Joel Yunker and Kyle Yunker. Also present were property owner Bob Barr and town clerk Janet Krueger.

Frank Behning moved, seconded by Kyle Yunker, to adopt Resolution 2022-01 endorsing a town board resolution that the town levy exceed the state allowable levy limit; specifically a proposed tax levy that would exceed the allowable town tax levy for 2022 by 39.26 percent which would be a dollar increase of \$200,000.00. The **motion failed** on a vote of 0-17.

With Resolution 2022-01 failing there was no further action to take. Norval Valleen moved, seconded by Kyle Yunker to adjourn the special town meeting; **motion carried** and the meeting was adjourned at 7:56 p.m.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Janet Krueger, Town Clerk