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Hadassah Mativetsky, City Council President

Sarah Dinhofer, City Clerk

COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BINGHAMTON

Budget Hearing #2 Minutes

City Council Chambers, 38 Hawley Street, Binghamton, NY 13901

6:00 PM Monday, September 30, 2024

I. CALL TO ORDER

At 6:05PM by Chair Cavanaugh

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Led by Chair Cavanaugh

III. ROLL CALL

Present: Cavanaugh, Hotchkiss, Mativetsky, Kosty, Dundon

Also Present: Sarah Dinhofer (City Clerk), Robert Heary (Asst. Corporation Counsel), Charles Robinson (Comptroller)

Absent: Porter, Middleton

IV. BUDGET REVIEW WITH DEPARTMENT HEADS

CM Middleton enters at 6:29PM.

a. Fire Department Budget Presented by Fire Chief

i. Chairman Cavanaugh opened page(s) 67-72, 224-225 (Fire), 228 (Fire)

1. Motion to close page(s) 67-72: Kosty

a. Second: Dundon

b. Vote: 4-2-0-1

c. Nay: Hotchkiss, Cavanaugh

d. Absent: Porter

2. Motion to close page(s) 224-225 (Fire): Kosty

a. Second: Mativetsky

b. Vote: 6-0-0-1

c. Absent: Porter

3. Motion to close page(s) 228 (Fire): Kosty

a. Second: Dundon

b. Vote: 6-0-0-1

c. Absent: Middleton

b. Department of Public Works Budget Presented by Commissioner of Public Works

i. Chairman Cavanaugh opened page(s) 37-46, 78-80, 102, 224 (Public Works), 229-230 (Refuse)

1. Motion to decrease budget line A1640.54110. (Vehicle Parts) by \$10,000 and transfer \$10,000 to A1990.55000. (Contingency): Hotchkiss

a. Second: Kosty

b. Vote: 5-1-0-1



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- c. Nay: Dundon
 - d. Absent: Porter
- 2. Motion to decrease budget line A5142.51000. (Personal Services) by \$10,000 and transfer \$10,000 to A1990.55000. (Contingency): Cavanaugh
 - a. Second: Middleton
 - b. Vote: 5-1-0-1
 - c. Nay: Dundon
 - d. Absent: Porter
- 3. Motion to decrease budget line A5142.54141. (Salt-Sand & Other) by \$4,100 and transfer \$4,100 to A1990.55000. (Contingency): Cavanaugh
 - a. Second: Hotchkiss
 - b. Vote: 5-1-0-1
 - c. Nay: Dundon
 - d. Absent: Porter

CM Dundon leaves at 8PM.

- 4. Motion to close page(s) 37-40, 41 *as amended*, 42-46: Hotchkiss
 - a. Second: Kosty
 - b. Vote: 5-0-0-2
 - c. Absent: Porter, Dundon
- 5. Motion to close pages 78-79, 80 *as amended*, 102, 224 (Public Works): Kosty
 - a. Second: Middleton
 - b. Vote: 5-0-0-2
 - c. Absent: Porter, Dundon
- 6. Motion to close pages 229-230 (Refuse) excluding "Large Garbage Bags" and "Medium Garbage Bags": Cavanaugh
 - a. Second: Middleton
 - b. Vote: 5-0-0-2
 - c. Absent: Porter, Dundon

Motion for a 5-minute recess: Middleton

Second: Mativetsky

All in Favor

c. Code Enforcement Budget Presented by Director of Building/Code Enforcement

- i. Chairman Cavanaugh opened page(s) 74, 104-105, 230 (Bldg / Code Enforcement)
 - 1. Motion to close page(s) 74, 104-105, 230 (Bldg / Code Enforcement): Hotchkiss
 - a. Second: Middleton
 - b. Vote: 5-0-0-2
 - c. Absent: Porter, Dundon

V. ADJOURNMENT

Motioned at 8:39PM: Middleton

Second: Kosty

All in Favor

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