



4-22-2025 a regular meeting of the Shellsburg City Council was called to order by Mayor Travis at 6:00pm in the Council Chambers. Roll call was answered by Reeves, Harvey, Hepker and Travis. Vogt was absent.

Hepker motioned to open the public hearing on the 2025-2026 budget. Travis seconded. All ayes. There were not any questions. Hepker motioned to close the public hearing, seconded by Reeves.

Hepker motioned to approve the consent agenda, seconded by Reeves.

Hepker motioned to approve Resolution #04-22-2025 for the 2025-2026 proposed budget, seconded by Travis. A roll call vote was taken, all ayes. Vogt was absent.

Mark Culver attended to answer any questions on the final billing for permits from ECICOG. The council requested time to review and discuss the bill.

Janine Riese attended to request a Venmo account for the Rec Dept. Travis is to draw up a policy to review at the next meeting.

Thorkildson provided a garden drawing and requested the council's approval for SACG to move forward with the garden project in the park. The new picnic tables have come in and SACG has approved the rubberized floor for the GaGa Ball court.

Ordinances to be updated will be discussed at the next meeting.

The clerk is to get software options to be discussed at the next meeting.

Harvey motioned to approve Resolution #04-22-2025A, adopting new building permit fees. Hepker seconded and a roll call vote was taken. All ayes.

Travis motioned to get a 5 hour contract block with Premier Technology, seconded by Reeves. A roll call vote was taken, all ayes.

Travis motioned to approve the second reading of Ordinance #483, seconded by Harvey. A roll call vote was taken, all ayes.

The CBS Financial report and sheriff's report were reviewed. Harvey motioned to approve the March Treasurer's report, seconded by Hepker. A roll call vote was taken, all ayes.

Harvey motioned to approve the March revenues, seconded by Reeves. A roll call vote was taken, all ayes. The March revenues were as follows: General \$7204.40; Library \$1837.67; Cemetery \$353.22; Big Day \$650.00; RUT \$9176.80; Employee Benefits \$1357.50; LOST

\$8690.04; TIF \$ 811.20; Debt Service \$2373.70; Perpetual Care \$45.00; Water \$13990.74; Sewer \$113816.08; Garbage \$11278.34.

Council Forum: Hepker met with Josh on reworking the current building permit. Travis mentioned the meeting at the school in Shellsburg May 4th 6-8pm and the meeting in Vinton on May 12th 6-8pm. The mayor gave an update on the meeting with Nextera. Hepker motioned to donate \$500.00 to the 4th of July fireworks, seconded by Harvey. A roll call vote was taken, Travis abstained, all ayes.

Travis motioned to set the hearing for the budget amendment #2, seconded by Reeves. A roll call vote was taken, all ayes.

Reeves motioned to adjourn, seconded by Travis. All ayes.