



City of Freeport

Public Hearing

Special Meeting

City Hall Council Chambers ♦ 314 W. Stephenson Street ♦ Freeport, IL 61032

MINUTES
SPECIAL MEETING AND PUBLIC HEARING
MONDAY, APRIL 23, 2018 AT 5:45 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

The special meeting and public hearing of the Freeport, Illinois, City Council was called to order in Council chambers by Mayor Jodi Miller with a quorum being present at 5:46 p.m. on Monday, April 23, 2018.

ROLL CALL

Present on roll call: Mayor Jodi Miller and Council Members Alderpersons Tom Klemm, Peter McClanathan, Patrick Busker, Sally Brashaw, and Andrew Chesney (5). Alderpersons Art Ross, Bob Smith and Mike Koester were absent.

Staff members present: City Manager Lowell Crow, Finance Director Randy Bukas, Director of Community & Economic Development Nancy McDonald, Director of Public Works Dennis Carr, Fire Chief Todd Allen, Chief of Police Todd Barkalow, Director of Utility Operations Tom Kopanski, Director of Information Technology Curt Suttman, and City Clerk Dovie Anderson.

Others Present: City Legal Counsel Aaron Szeto, Esq.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Alderperson Brashaw moved and Alderperson Klemm seconded to approve the agenda as amended; motion carried unanimously by voice vote without dissent.

Mayor Miller opened the Public Hearing.

PUBLIC HEARING

Clerk Anderson read the following into record: NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING: The following ran in the Journal Standard on April 13, 2018, and the Appropriation Ordinance was available for viewing on the City's website and in the City Clerk's Office continuously from April 3, 2018, until today: Notice of a Public Hearing for Proposed Appropriation Ordinance FY2018-2019 for the City of Freeport, Illinois. The City of Freeport will conduct a public hearing on its Appropriation Ordinance for Fiscal Year 2018-2019. This hearing will be held on Monday, April 23, 2018, at 5:45 p.m., in City Council Chambers, City Hall, 314 West Stephenson Street, Freeport, Illinois. An

electronic copy of Ordinance #2018-18, Appropriation Ordinance Fiscal Year 2018-2019, for the City of Freeport, Illinois, is available on the city website home page. A paper copy is available for public inspection at the City Clerk's Office during regular business hours. Anyone wishing to express comments or concerns should attend the public hearing or submit a written comment to the Mayor's Office, City of Freeport, 314 West Stephenson Street, Freeport, Illinois, prior to the public hearing. Dovie L. Anderson, City Clerk, City of Freeport

Manager Crow stated that the public hearing was held in compliance with State law and asked for any public comments.

Aldersperson Brashaw asked if there were any written public comments. Manager Crow stated that there were none.

Mayor Miller closed the Public Hearing.

Upon a motion duly made and seconded, the meeting adjourned at 5:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Dovie L. Anderson

Dovie L. Anderson
City Clerk