

Minutes of the Special Meeting of the Board of Ward County Commissioners  
October 10, 2022

The special meeting of the Ward County Commission was called to order by Chairman Rostad at 2:30 PM with Commissioners, Anderson, Fjeldahl, Pietsch, and Weppler present. Also present were department heads Brian Vangsness, Jason Blowers, Jennifer Wiechmann, Jodi Johnson, Kristin Kowalczyk, Lolly Gorze, Marisa Haman, Noreen Barton, Robert Roed, and Roza Larson.

Auditor/Treasurer Marisa Haman appeared and stated the updates from the budget hearing have been made to include: Salary increase was reduced to 3.5%, Highway Department was reduced to 7.5 mills, North Dakota State Fair reduced from \$400,000.00 to \$360,000.00, and Water Resources down \$356,140.00 or 1 mill, which puts them at 2 mill. Total mill is 59.36.

Moved by Comm. Pietsch, seconded by Comm. Weppler to adopt the Ward County Budget for calendar year 2023 at a grand total of \$59,999,744.00. Roll call; all voted yes; motion carried.

Moved by Comm. Weppler, seconded by Comm. Fjeldahl to adopt the Ward County 2023 levied amount of \$17,693,359.00. Roll call; all voted yes; motion carried.

Moved by Comm. Weppler, seconded by Comm. Fjeldahl to approve the 2023 Ward County budgets and tax levies spread against the taxable property of Ward County in the amount of \$2,671,885.00. Roll call; all voted yes; motion carried.

At 2:43 PM with no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

ACCEPTED AND APPROVED THIS 1ST DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2022

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Chairman, Ward County Commission

ATTEST:

  
  

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