

PUBLIC HEARING
2018 PROPOSED BUDGET
Dec. 4, 2017

Members Present: Douglas Baker, Mayor
Michael Dulaney
Donna Fletcher, Deputy Mayor
James Johnson
Samuel Lyons
James Marshall
Fred Mays

Members Excused: None.

In Attendance: Tracy Jamieson, City Manager
Brian Spaid, Esq., City Solicitor
Harmony Motter, City Finance Director
Chuck Gibbons, Code Enforcement Officer
Sheila Boughner, Recording Secretary & Community Development
Joy Strain, McGill, Power, Bell & Associates, LLP
Marissa Dechant, Venango Newspapers, Inc.
Chris Rossetti, Explore Venango
Russ Campbell, 1235 Chestnut St.
Robert Cerro, 1316 Otter St.

Mayor Baker called the hearing to order at 7:02 p.m.

Mrs. Jamieson explained that the proposed 2018 budget includes no tax increase and maintains services at current levels. She said there could be a slight increase in service if the City adds a maintenance position to meet additional needs resulting from the City's management agreement with the Franklin Industrial Commercial Development Authority. Such a position would be funded jointly by the City and FICDA.

She then offered to take questions and comments regarding the budget from the council. There being none, Mayor Baker asked if anyone in the audience wished to address council on the topic of the budget.

There were no remarks from the audience, and the hearing was adjourned at 7:04 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sheila Boughner, Recording Secretary