CITY OF MAXWELL, IOWA
MAXWELL CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING
MONDAY, MAY 23, 2022, 6:00 P.M. CITY HALL

1. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Hudson at 6:30 P.M.
2. Roll call was answered by Lauryn Myers, Meggen Lawrence, Doug Miller, and Steve Gast via telephone. Visitors: Joel Westendorf
3. A motion to approve the agenda was moved by Miller and seconded by Lawrence. 4 ayes.
4. Citizens Forum-
    a. NA
5. Public Hearing
    a. Discussion and Action on Resolution 2022-10 Approving the City's Proposed Amendment #1 to the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Budget – Miller moved to open the public hearing. Lawrence seconded. 4 ayes. No public comments. Miller moved to close the public hearing. Lawrence seconded. 4 ayes. Gast moved to pass Resolution Approving the City's Proposed Amendment #1 to the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Budget. Miller seconded. . Steve asked several questions on the input and output of funds. 4 ayes.
6. Discussion on Grant – Jameson discussed getting some bigger grants to help with various projects. Lauryn is working on information for the Main Street grant. The council needs to pass a resolution for joining MIPA. They will help with finding grants. There was also talk of hiring a grant writer which would help the chances of getting the bigger grants.
7. Discussion on Police Force – Doug talked about getting our own police officer and asking Collins if they would like to share. Several big expenses would be a vehicle and the equipment needed, insurance, and training. The council decided to create a taskforce which would define goals, set-up a way to measure its success, expectations of the officers, cost analysis, and the amount of officers needed. Joel Westendorf has offered to join the taskforce as an experienced officer. He has done research oh the start-up costs and training costs. The taskforce will consist of local police officers and Public Safety Committee.
8. Adjourn – Myers moved to adjourn. Miller seconded. 4 ayes. 6:51 P.M.

ATTEST: _____, Clerk _____, Mayor
Debra Hayes Jameson Hudson