

**BRIDGER TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES FOR A BUDGET HEARING  
HELD ON AUGUST 22, 2017**

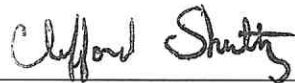
The August 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2017 budget hearing of the Bridger Town Council was held at 108 South D Street in Bridger. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and the meeting was brought to order by Mayor Shultz at 7:03 pm. Council members present were George "Butch" Wilm, Shala Cullum, Mark DeRudder and Chris Miller. Others present were: Melva Lightburn, Library Director Krystal Zentner, Judge Bert Kraft, Police Chief Mike Buechler and Clerk Kirstin Sweet.

Clerk Sweet went through the Revenue Budget and explained where the funds come from and any changes that were made to the budget. During the explanation of some of the new payroll object codes, the issue of comp time payout came up. It was determined that it should be an item of discussion on another agenda. When we got to the Library Fund, Library Director Zentner explained her reasoning for asking the Town for 5 Mills for the Library Fund. Clerk Sweet finished her explanation of the Revenue Budget.

Next Clerk Sweet went through the expenditure side of the budget and explained any changes made. After Clerk Sweet finished her explanation of the expenditure budget she went over some information on reserves and the overall financial state of the Town.

Councilman Cullum motion to accept the preliminary budget with a change to the Revenue Budget on Fund 1000, Account 361000 from \$7,800.00 to \$6,000.00. The motion was seconded by Councilman DeRudder. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Miller – aye.

There being no further business Councilman Wilm motioned to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Councilman DeRudder. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Miller – aye. Meeting adjourned at 8:45 pm.



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Clifford Shultz, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Kirstin Sweet, Town Clerk