

MEBANE CITY COUNCIL  
SPECIAL MEETING  
JUNE 17, 2008

Members Present: Everette Greene  
Ed Hooks

Patty Philipps  
Tim Bradley

Members Absent: Bob Hupman

Mayor Glendel Stephenson called the special meeting to order in the Council Chambers of the Mebane Municipal Building at 5:00 p.m. for the purpose of a Public Hearing for the approval of the 2008/2009 Budget and to set a date of Public Hearing for Sanvik, Inc.

City Manager Robert Wilson gave a brief summary of the 2008/2009 Budget- a 4% salary increase for all full time and part time employees, with no consideration of merits. Five new positions: an Inspector, an Inspections Clerk and 3 new positions at the Fire Department. The 3 Fire Department positions will not be filled until January. Projects include renovations at the Municipal Building and the Old Recreation Department.

Mr. Wilson stated in the 2008/2009 Budget there would be an increase in the tipping fee (users fee), increasing from \$5.50 to \$6.50. A 4% increase in the water rates and the sewer rates. The Volunteer Fireman reimbursement will increase from \$5.00 to \$6.00. Also included are 4 new vehicles for the Police Department, 1 new vehicle for the Street Department and 1 new vehicle for the Waste Water Department. The 2008/2009 Budget totaling \$14,383,509.36. The tax rate will remain the same at \$0.50.

No one from the public spoke.

Patty Phillips made a motion, seconded by Tim Bradley, to adopt the 2008/2009 Budget Ordinance as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

City Attorney Charles Bateman stated that Sandvik requested the City to consider an economic incentive package for the major expansion that they are considering. Mr. Bateman said that proposal would require a Public Hearing and details would be presented at the Public Hearing.

Patty Philipps made a motion, seconded by Everette Greene, to set a date of Public Hearing on July 7, 2008 at 6:00 p.m. for the consideration of an economic incentive package for Sandvik's future expansion. The motion carried unanimously.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

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Glendel Stephenson, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Stephanie W. Shaw, City Clerk

