

MUSCATINE CITY COUNCIL
BUDGET REVIEW SESSION
FEBRUARY 25, 1991 - CITY HALL CONFERENCE ROOM

The budget session for February 25, 1991, was called to order by Mayor John Keig at 4:03 p.m. All members of Council were present. Also present were City Administrator A.J. Johnson and Director of Finance and Records David Casstevens.

Johnson and Casstevens gave an overview of the cuts as proposed by City Council. There were also discussions concerning the upcoming bond issuance and the necessity for public notification for the hearing and an overall budget review for 1990/91 and 1991/92. It was noted that the Transit Levy would be reduced by the requested \$25,500.

Further, it was moved by Jim Harder, seconded by Clair York to remove an additional \$50,000 from the General Fund Transfer to the Equipment Replacement Fund. This was approved on a 5-2 vote.

There was further discussion concerning a possible transfer from Golf and Harbor Funds to the General Fund--\$10,000 from the Golf Course and \$5,000 from the Boat Harbor Fund. It was moved by Ralph Freese, seconded by Larry Kemp not to make that appropriation. Approved 5-2.

There was general discussion concerning the budget process as a whole and the need for the City Council to establish a meeting with Tim Shields from the Institute of Public Affairs to develop a seminar for the roles of commissions within a city and how that relates to staff and council functions.

With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 5:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



A.J. Johnson
City Administrator