

MINUTES
BUDGET HEARING

September 12, 2023

The Village Board of Trustees of the Village of Bertrand, Nebraska held a Budget Hearing on September 12, 2023, by publishing in the Holdrege Daily Citizen on August 31, 2023, and posting at the First State Bank, Post Office, and Village Office. Present were Chairman TJ Wilcox and Trustees, Jason McNierney, and Brian Schroeder. Trustees Robert Dahlgren and Lucas Evans were absent. Also present were Village Clerk/Treasurer, Lori Vinzant and Village Ordinance Officer, James Nelson.

The Chairman opened the Budget Hearing at 6:30 PM and publicly stated to all in attendance that a copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available for review and indicated the location of such copy posted in the room where the meeting was being held. Three copies of the proposed budget statement were available to the public.

Chairman Wilcox made a presentation outlining the provisions of the proposed budget statement, including, but not limited to, a comparison with the prior year's budget.

The floor was then opened for public comment on the proposed budget statement. Public comment ensued. All members of the public wishing to address the Board of Trustees were provided a reasonable amount of time to do so.

There being no further business, a motion was made by McNierney and seconded by Schroeder to adjourn the budget hearing at 7:24 PM. Voting McNierney, Schroeder, Wilcox. Dahlgren and Evans absent.

Lori Vinzant, Village Clerk/Treasurer

TJ Wilcox, Chairman of the Board