



CITY OF
LONG LAKE

City Council Agenda Report

City of Long Lake

450 Virginia Avenue, PO Box 606

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MEETING DATE / December 5, 2023

SUBJECT: Public Meeting to Discuss Proposed 2024 Budget and Levy

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Report Date: 12/05/2023

Recommended City Council Action

Staff recommends the following:

This public meeting provides an opportunity for the public to ask any questions and make comments related to the following year's budget and levy. No action is required at this meeting. Consider incorporating meeting comments into consideration of adoption of Final 2024 Budget and Total Levy at the City Council's regular meeting of December 19, 2023.

Overview / Background

State Truth in Taxation (TNT) statutes allow cities to hold a special public meeting prior to final budget and levy adoption. At the TNT public meeting, the proposed budget and levy for the following year is presented to the public. This public meeting also provides an opportunity for the public to ask any questions and make comments related to the following year's budget and levy. No formal action will be taken by the Council at the meeting with regard to the proposed levy and budget.

All cities must adopt a final 2024 budget and payable 2024 levy, certifying the final levy to the County Auditor by the end of December 2022. Final adoption is planned to occur at the regular City Council meeting of December 19, 2023.

Although questions from the public should be directed to the Council rather than to City staff, staff will be more than happy to answer any questions the Council may have. It is suggested that each member of the public be limited to a certain amount of time during which to ask questions or make comments so that everyone present will be given the opportunity to comment. A limit of three minutes per speaker is suggested, but that decision is, as always, left to the discretion of the Council.

Supporting Information

- Copy of "Truth in Taxation Public Meeting" PowerPoint presentation