CITY NAME	NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING -PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX LEVY	CITY CODE
Oelwein	Fiscal Year July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021	33-316

The City Council will conduct a public hearing on the proposed Fiscal Year City property tax levy as follows:

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Meeting Date:	Meeting Time:	Meeting Location:
2/10/2020	6:00 PM	Oelwein City Hall

At the public hearing any resident or taxpayer may present objections to, or arguments in favor of the proposed tax levy.

After adoption of the proposed tax levy, the Council will publish notice and hold a hearing on the proposed city budget.

City Web Site (if available):		City Telephone Number:			
www.cityofoelwein.org			319-283-5440		
Iowa Department of Management		Current Year Certified Property Tax	Budget Year Effective Property Tax	Budget Year Proposed Maximum Property Tax	Annual
		2019/2020	2020/2021**	2020/2021	% CHG
Regular Taxable Valuation	1	140,825,764	160,811,504	160,811,504	
Tax Levies:					
Regular General	2	\$1,140,689	\$1,140,689	\$1,302,573	
Contract for Use of Bridge	3	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Opr & Maint Publicly Owned Transit	4	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Rent, Ins. Maint. Of Non-Owned Civ. Ctr.	5	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Opr & Maint of City-Owned Civic Center	6	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Planning a Sanitary Disposal Project	7	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Liability, Property & Self-Insurance Costs	8	\$122,000	\$122,000	\$130,000	
Support of Local Emer. Mgmt. Commission	9	\$21,042	\$21,042	\$21,042	
Emergency	10	\$38,023	\$38,023	\$43,419	
Police & Fire Retirement	11	\$170,000	\$170,000	\$170,000	
FICA & IPERS	12	\$186,000	\$186,000	\$197,000	
Other Employee Benefits	13	\$180,600	\$180,600	\$470,000	
*Total 384.15A Maximum Tax Levy	14	\$1,858,354	\$1,858,354	\$2,334,034	25.60%
Calculated 384.15A MaximumTax Rate	15	\$13.19612	\$11.55610	\$14.51411	

Explanation of significant increases in the budget:

The City of Oelwein used reserves in trust and agency in FY2020 to pay for employee benefits. Using reserves allowed for the city to levy more in debt service. By levying more in debt service, the city was able to pay down debts and save interest. The city is working toward a more aggressive debt service to pay for infrastructure repairs and replacement. The levy for employee benefits is returning to a level before FY2020. This is the max levy that council may lower.

If applicable, the above notice also available online at:

http://www.cityofoelwein.org/ https://www.facebook.com/oelweiniowa

^{*}Total city tax rate will also include voted general fund levy, debt service levy, and capital improvement reserve levy

^{**}Budget year effective property tax rate is the rate that would be assessed for these levies if the dollars requested is not changed in the coming budget year