

**MEMORANDUM**  
**Bloomington Common Council- Budget Hearings for 2022 City Budget**  
**Bloomington City Hall, 401 N. Morton Street, Bloomington, Indiana**  
**Monday, August 23, 2021**

*Per Executive Orders issued by the Governor, this meeting was conducted electronically.*

NOTE: Formal minutes are not produced for budget hearings; the following summarizes actions taken at the following meeting of the budget hearings.

Meeting called to order: 6:00 pm.

**Chair:** Stephen Volan

**Councilmembers present via Zoom:** Matt Flaherty, Isabel Piedmont-Smith, Dave Rollo, Kate Rosenbarger, Susan Sandberg, Sue Sgambelluri, Jim Sims, Ron Smith, Stephen Volan

**Councilmembers absent:** None

**City staff and officials present via Zoom:** Caroline Shaw, Philippa Guthrie, Jeff Underwood, Rick Dietz, Stephen Lucas, Heather Lacy, Jeff McMillian, Deputy Mayor Don Griffin, Mayor John Hamilton, Chief Deputy Clerk Sofia McDowell, Deputy Clerk Susan Stoll

**Topics Discussed:**

The Common Council met nightly from August 23-26, 2021 to discuss the 2022 Budget for the City of Bloomington as proposed by Mayor John Hamilton. Each department presented its budget for 2022 and received a preliminary vote from the Common Council. Throughout the remainder of August and September, the administration will work with the Common Council and various departments to prepare a final version of the 2022 budget for the City of Bloomington. In October, the Common Council hears the budget and makes a final vote. At that time, councilmembers may vote to reduce the budget but may not add to the budget.

**ACTION:** Do Pass Recommendation for Human Resources 2022 Budget: Ayes: 3 (Sgambelluri, Sims, Sandberg), Nays: 1 (Volan), Abstain: 5

**ACTION:** Do Pass Recommendation for Legal 2022 Budget: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0, Abstain: 1(Rollo)

**ACTION:** Do Pass Recommendation for Informational Technology Services 2022 Budget: Ayes: 4 (Sgambelluri, Sims, Smith, Sandberg), Nays: 0, Abstain: 5

**ACTION:** Do Pass Recommendation for City Council 2022 Budget: Ayes: 6, Nays: 2 (Volan, Flaherty) Abstain: 1 (Rosenbarger)

**ACTION:** Do Pass Recommendation for Controller 2022 Budget: Ayes: 4, Nays: 4 (Volan, Rosenbarger, Flaherty, Piedmont-Smith), Abstain: 1(Rollo)

ACTION: Do Pass Recommendation for Office of the Mayor 2022 Budget: Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Abstain: 4  
(Rollo, Volan, Sgambelluri, Sandberg)

ACTION: Volan adjourned the meeting until August 24, 2021 at 6:00pm.

**Meeting ended:** 11:00 pm.

Memorandum prepared by:  
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City of Bloomington