

Utica Nebraska

Village Board of Trustees

September 8, 2025 Budget Hearing

The Village Board of Trustees met on September 8, 2025 at 7:00 pm at the Utica Auditorium. Notice of this hearing was given in advance by publishing in the Seward County Independent, by posting in three designated places and advance notification of the trustees by delivery. Roll call was answered by Trustees Jim Swanson, Sharon Powell, Joshua Ramsey, McKenzie Parr, & Nick Bloebaum. No members were absent.

The Chairperson stated that the Open Meetings Act is located on the back wall for review.

Moved by Powell, seconded by Parr to open the Budget Hearing. RCV: Ayes: Powell, Parr, Bloebaum, Ramsey, & Swanson. Nays: None Abstain: None. Carried.

Three copies of the proposed budget statement were available to the public. The Village Accountant, Michael Hoback from AMGL made a presentation outlining the key provisions of the proposed budget statement, including, but not limited to, a comparison with the prior year's budget. Trustee Powell and Clerk, Rita Maier highlighted other features of the budget. The floor was then opened for public comments on the proposed budget statement. No public comments were made. All members of the public wishing to address the governing body were provided a reasonable amount of time to do so.

Michael Hoback presented 4 options for the Property Tax Request. No public comments were made.

Motion Powell, seconded by Parr to close the budget hearing and adjourn at 7:37pm. RCV: Ayes: Powell, Parr, Ramsey, Bloebaum & Swanson. Nays: None Abstain: None. Carried.

Submitted by
Rita Maier
Clerk/Treasurer