

Traverse County Commission  
Truth in Taxation Meeting  
December 15, 2021

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm by Chairman, Dave Salberg. Other Commissioners present were Todd Johnson, Kayla Schmidt, and Tom Monson. The pledge of allegiance was recited. The agenda was approved unanimously upon motion by T. Johnson and second by Monson.

K. Johnson explained that the Board set the preliminary level at a 6.34% increase over 2021, as of today the levy increase is 6.11% over 2021.

Salberg would like to get the increase down to 3% before certifying the levy next week. The Board reviewed the proposed budgets. K. Johnson mentioned that we have \$185,000.00 in reserves. The Board asked Kit to take \$92,500.00 of that to lower the levy to a 4.57% increase over last year. Stacy Hennen, Social Services Director, informed the Board of the changes in her budget and where the increases were. Monson questioned Chad Gillespie, County Engineer, if they need the pickup in 2022. He said they do and it was the one that was cut from the budget in 2021.

The Board will set the 2022 levy at the December 21, 2021, Board meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:38 pm.

Attested to by:

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Lisa Zahl, County Coordinator

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Dave Salberg, Board Chair