

**1. SPECIAL MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:**

The Special Meeting of the Biggs City Council was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Mayor Thompson. Councilmembers Frith and Sheppard were present. Vice Mayor Arnold and Councilmember Wilkinson were absent. Staff present: City Administrator Mark Sorensen and City Clerk Roben Dewsnup.

**2. BUDGET STUDY SESSON: Fiscal Year 2017-2018 Draft Budget.**

Mr. Sorensen stated this draft budget included a proposed 9.94 percent increase from CalFire and a potential increase for electric.

Referring to the proposed police contract, Police Chief Dean Price stated he would remove the COPs amount from the contact and look at the CPI again. He felt there was still room for compromise.

Fire Chief Chris Haile stated the agreement with CalFire would increase from \$168,089 to \$184,798 due to the rise in the minimum wage and health care costs.

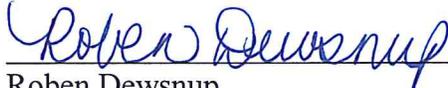
Mr. Sorensen asked Council to consider hiring a part time employee to cover both the vacant administrative assistant position and the vacant code enforcement position.

Council agreed to hire an employee for a combined administrative assistant/code enforcement position.

Mr. Sorensen reviewed other budget line items with Council.

**3. ADJOURNMENT:** Council adjourned the special meeting at 8:16 p.m.

ATTEST:



Roben Dewsnup  
City Clerk

APPROVED:



Angela Thompson  
Mayor, City of Biggs