## MINUTES ELKHART COUNTY COUNCIL

2014 Budget - First Reading October 1, 2013

1. The Elkhart County Council was called to order by Council President John K. Letherman at 8:30 a.m., in Room 104, County Administration Building, Goshen, Indiana. Other members present were David L. Hess, Randall D. Yohn, Darryl J. Riegsecker, David Foutz, and Thomas W. Stump.

Also present were Pauline E. Graff, Auditor; Dawn R. Truex, First Deputy Auditor.

2. Reading of Advertised Notice to Taxpayers

Budget Hearings: September 17-18, 2013

Date of Work Sessions & Reductions: 8:30 a.m., September 20 and 27, 2013

Date of Public Hearing: September 19, 2013 at 4:30 p.m.

Truex read the advertised Notice to Taxpayers of the 2014 Proposed Budget Estimates and Tax Levies for each fund. (Budget Form No.3)

- 3. Truex then read the <u>proposed</u> budget requests of each Elkhart County Department made before the budget hearings for 2014. (Form 4A-Column 1)
- 4. Auditor Graff then read the levies as advertised. These are the first figures that were submitted to her and advertised. This is the levies and the rates that would have been required. (17-Line Statement)

President Letherman asked for a motion to close the 1<sup>st</sup> reading and recess until tomorrow afternoon. On motion made by Yohn and seconded by Foutz the meeting was recessed. The Council will re-convene at 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 2, 2013 for the Second Reading of the 2014 Budget.

Recording Secretary Anita S. Mock

Secretary's Note: The complete recording of this Budget Reading is available in the Auditor's Office.