

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-17

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING AND CERTIFYING THE 2021 PRELIMINARY TAX LEVY FOR THE CITY OF HAYWARD WITHIN FREEBORN COUNTY

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statute § 275.07 subd 1a states, "Subdivision 1. Certification of levy (b), the taxes voted by cities, counties, school districts, and special districts shall be certified by the proper authorities to the county auditor on or before five working days after December 20 in each year.

WHEREAS, the Freeborn County Auditor Treasurer sends PRELIMINARY TAX LEVY CERTIFICATION FORMS to cities within the Freeborn County, Minnesota jurisdiction for completion which must be returned on or by September 30 in each year;

WHEREAS, the preliminary levy, which must be approved each year in September, can be lowered in December when the budget is finalized, but it cannot be raised.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Hayward, the preliminary tax levy, which will be ordered on all taxable property in the City of Hayward, payable in 2021, and hereby, certify its accuracy to the Freeborn County Auditor-Treasurer, is proposed to bring forth a 5% tax increase;

<u>Levy Purpose</u>	<u>2021 Levy Amount</u>
General Fund	\$110,925
Road and Bridge	\$64,883
Fire Protection	\$5,309
General Obligation Bond - 1995	\$22,882
Total	\$203,999

This Resolution was declared and duly passed with the following vote:

FOR: Mayor Michael Hansen, Council members Anthony Cox, Darwin Dolph and Gene Flaskerud, Susan Ruble;

AGAINST: 0 ABSENT: 0 ABSTAIN: 0

It was adopted and signed by the Mayor Pro Tempore, Anthony Cox, and attested to by the City Clerk/Treasurer, Kathryn Aase, this 14th day of September 2020.

ATTEST:

Kathryn Aase
Kathryn Aase, City Clerk

Anthony Cox
Anthony Cox, Mayor Pro Tempore

