

**MUNICIPALITY OF CENTRAL MANITOULIN
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE – BUDGET MEETING
FEBRUARY 07, 2023
VIA ZOOM**

Attending: Mayor R. Stephens, Councillors Bisailon, Diebolt, Farquhar, Mitchell, Scott and D. Stephens, along with the CAO/Clerk, CDOC, Municipal Coordinator, Road Superintendent, Chief Building Official and Maintenance Supervisor. There were four members of the public present.

The Mayor called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m.

MOTION: D. STEPHENS and SCOTT

That the agenda be approved to continue the 2023 budget discussions...carried.

The Mayor presented an overview of the current draft budgets and the previous Committee of the Whole budget meeting that took place on January 31, 2023.

The Committee of the Whole next continued to review the sections of the capital budget that had not been discussed at the previous meeting, with suggested changes being made. The Property capital budget was reviewed line by line.

A discussion regarding the proposed percentage tax increase for 2023 was discussed. It was generally agreed that a 4% tax increase will be required.

The CAO/Clerk was directed by the Committee to prepare a summary of the final budget for the next council meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 p.m. on motion made by Councillor Scott.

MAYOR

CLERK

I, _____, Clerk of the Municipality of Central Manitoulin, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the minutes of a Committee of the Whole meeting of Council held on Tuesday, February 07, 2022.

Clerk