- City of Tipton City of Tipton Common Council Public Hearing held on January 11, 2021, at Tipton City Hall, Council Chambers, Tipton.
- Members: Mayor Dolezal, Councilwoman Hufford, Councilmen Ehman, Chandler, Kring and Rippy and Clerk-Treasurer Clark.
- Others: Rex Boyer, Don McElfresh, Matthew Behnke with Reedy Financial, Vicky Boyd with Tipton Tribune and Bob Edinger.
- Mayor Dolezal opened the public hearing at 5:02 p.m. on adjusting the Water Rates and Charges for the City of Tipton East Water Utility. Mayor Dolezal thanked Matthew Behnke with Reedy Financial for coming back for the public hearing. He also reported the public hearing is for an increase to rates for the East Water Utility. Mayor Dolezal asked if there were any comments in support of this.
- Mr. Rex Boyer, Utility Manager reported there hadn't been a rate increase since 2009 it was a moderate increase. He also asked if anyone had any questions for him.
- Mayor Dolezal asked if anyone was here to speak in opposition to the increase of rate. There was no comment. Mayor Dolezal asked if there were any questions or comments from the Council.
- Utility Manager Boyer stated he wanted to clarify the rate increase is for the East Plant and not the West Plant. He also stated City of Tipton residents are not paying for the West Plant the West is separate.
- Mayor Dolezal reported the second reading of the Ordinance is on the agenda for the Council meeting. If the Ordinance is approved when will it take effect? Utility Manager Boyer reported February 1st, 2021. They thanked for the financial work from Reedy Financial, Matt Behnke. The estimated increase is \$3.29.
- Councilman Ehman reported Mr. Behnke done an excellent job explaining the increase the last time he was here.
- With no further comments, Councilman Rippy made a motion to close the public hearing at 5:06 p.m., seconded by Councilman Ehman, with all in favor.

Submitted by Tamera Clark, Clerk-Treasurer.

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