

**CASCADE COUNTY SPECIAL COMMISSION MEETING**  
**August 19, 2022**  
**CHAMBERS MEETING AND VIA ZOOM**  
**9:30 AM**

Commission  
Journal #62

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**Cascade County Commission:** Chairman Joe Briggs, Commissioner Jim Larson, and Commissioner Don Ryan.

**Present:** Carey Ann Haight, Josh Racki, Sheriff Slaughter, Bonnie Fogerty, and Marie Johnson.

**Public Attendance:** Preston Rammell, Amanda L. Lofink, Matthew Robertson, Ashlee A. Kummer, Jacob Tri, Naleui M Winfield, Brandt Olsen, Kory Larsen, Angel Payne, Stephanie Fuller, John Bromewrs, Michele Levine, Desma Meissner, Lori Cox, and Jeff Wickett.

**Zoom Attendees:** Jenn Rowell, Richard Liebert, Ryan Ball, Thomas Wylie, and Kyler Baker.

**Call to Order:** Chairman Briggs called the special meeting to order. **00:01**

**Public Hearing**

**Agenda Item #1**

Motion to Approve or Disapprove **Resolution 22- 57: NR**

Resolution for a Public Safety Mill Levy and to submit the Levy to a Vote of the Public. (This refers to Resolution of Intention 22-51) **00:44**

**Close the Commission Meeting:**

Chairman Briggs recessed the Regular Commission Meeting at 9:31 a.m.

**Open the Public Hearing:**

Chairman Briggs opened the Public Hearing at 9:31 a.m.

**Waived Reading of Public Notice:**

The reading of the Public Notice was waived without objection. **01:05** (See Exhibit A)

**Staff Report:**

Josh Racki- County Attorney, presented General Information provided in Agenda Item #1. **01:22 - 01:49**

**Call for Proponents:**

Chairman Briggs called for Proponents. **05:10**

Matthew Robinson-President of the Deputy Cascade County Attorneys Association, read his typed statement (See Exhibit "B"). **05:10-10:39**

Richard Liebert spoke via zoom. **10:40-15:03**

Chairman Briggs called for any other Proponents which none came forward. **15:04**

**Call for Opponents:**

Chairman Briggs called for Opponents, three times with no response. **15:09**

**Call for Informational Witnesses:**

Chairman Briggs called for Informational Witnesses. **15:24**

Matthew Robinson spoke. **15:38-18:51**

Chairman Briggs called for Informational Witnesses, three times with no response. **18:52**

**Close to Public Hearing:**

Chairman Briggs closed the Public Hearing at 9:49 a.m.

**Resume Regular Commission Meeting:**

Chairman Briggs re-opened the Commission Meeting at 09:49 a.m.

Chairman Briggs called for a motion. **19:11**

Commissioner Ryan made a **MOTION** to approve Resolution 22-57, a resolution for a Public Mill Levy and submit the levy to a vote of the public.

Commission comments were given: **19:29-25:33**

**Motion carries 3-0 25:34**

Public Comment: none.

**Adjournment** : Chairman Briggs adjourned the special meeting at 09:56 a.m.