

**CITY OF LA VISTA
MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL REPORT
SEPTEMBER 2, 2008 AGENDA**

Subject:	Type:	Submitted By:
SETTING THE PROPERTY TAX LEVY	◆ RESOLUTION ORDINANCE RECEIVE/FILE	BRENDA S. GUNN CITY ADMINISTRATOR

SYNOPSIS

A public hearing has been scheduled and a resolution has been prepared to establish the property tax request for FY08/09.

FISCAL IMPACT

The proposed tax levy would be \$0.5235 cents per \$100 of valuation.

RECOMMENDATION

Approval.

BACKGROUND

At the City Council budget workshops in July of 2008, Council directed staff to prepare the notice of budget statement based upon a municipal levy of \$0.5235 cents per \$100 of valuation. A public hearing on the proposed budget was held August 5, 2008.

The County Assessor has notified the City that the 2008 Taxable Valuation in La Vista is 950,626,037 with 31,733,241 of that amount attributable to new growth.

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VISTA, NEBRASKA ESTABLISHING THE PROPERTY TAX REQUEST FOR FY 08/09.

WHEREAS, Nebraska Revised Statute 77-1601.02 provides that the property tax request for the prior year shall be the property tax request for the current year for purposes of the levy set by the County Board of Equalization unless the Mayor and City Council of the City of La Vista passes by a majority vote a resolution or ordinance setting the tax request at a different amount; and

WHEREAS, a special public hearing was held as required by law to hear and consider comments concerning the property tax request; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City of La Vista that the property tax request for the current year be a different amount than the property tax request for the prior year.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and City Council of the City of La Vista, Nebraska, by a majority vote, hereby resolve that:

The FY 08/09 property tax request be set at \$4,976,527.30 which would require a mill levy of \$0.5235.

A copy of this resolution be certified and forwarded to the County Clerk prior to October 13, 2008.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 2ND DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2008.

CITY OF LA VISTA

Douglas Kindig, Mayor

ATTEST:

Pamela A. Buethe, CMC
City Clerk