October 9, 2014

The Russell Springs City Council held their regular monthly meeting on this date at City Hall at 6:00 p.m. In attendance were Ramie Hutchinson, Beth Fox, Jeannie Hudson, Joey Hoover, Derick Aaron, Larry Skaggs, Joe Irvin, Timmy Hudson, Eddie Thomas, Ricky Barnes, Lisa Mann, David Blakey, Matthew DeHart, Eric Selby, and Wanda Burton. Joshua Robertson was absent.

Timmy Hudson said the prayer.

- 1. Mayor Eric Selby called the meeting to order.
- Eddie Thomas made the motion to accept the September 11th minutes. Ricky Barnes seconded the motion. Motion carries 5-0.
- Lisa Mann made the motion to pay the bills. Timmy Hudson seconded the motion.
 Motion carried 5-0.
- 4. The Council heard the 2nd reading of Ad Valorem Tax Ordinance 14-05 for 2014. Tax rate remains the same as last year being .170 per \$100 worth of property. As of a survey of 12 surrounding cities, Mayor Selby reported we were 3rd lowest. Timmy Hudson made the motion to accept the Ad Valorem Tax Ordinance 14-05 for 2014. Lisa Mann seconded the motion. Motion carries 5-0.
- 5. Mayor Eric Selby reported Joe Michael Irvin has been speaking with Kentucky State Police in forming a partnership with the drug task force to address the drug situation here in Russell Springs. Mayor Selby stated not only here in Russell Springs and Russell County, drugs are a problem. Feels if we can assist the state police in slowing down the drug problem would be a great asset. David Blakey made the motion to support the Kentucky State Police Drug Task Force by the City of Russell Springs Police Dept. Lisa Mann seconded the motion. Motion carried 5-0.
- 6. Trunk or Treat will be held on Main Street Halloween night between 5:00 7:00 p.m.
- 7. Mayor Selby reported that Dr. Schneider Automotive received \$741,000 in equipment funding on October 1, 2014. They are in process of moving forward with roughly 90 to 100 employees right now, with a goal of 155. Looking at reaching that in the near future.

8. David Blakey made the motion to adjourn. Eddie Thomas seconded the motion.

Eric Selby, Mayor

Wanda Burton, Deputy Clerk