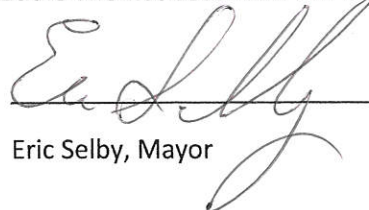


July 13, 2017

The Russell Springs City Council held their regular monthly meeting this date at City Hall at 6:00 p.m. In attendance were Brian Stephens, John Thompson, Mike Scales, Jeramy Coffey, Chintu Patel, Alan Lawson, Danny Smith, Joe Irvin, Jim Lieb, David Blakey, Sherry Daniel, Ricky Barnes, Larry Skaggs, Timmy Hudson, Eddie Thomas, Matthew DeHart, Eric Selby and Wendy Burton.

PRAYER WAS SAID BY EDDIE THOMAS.

1. Mayor Eric Selby called the meeting to order.
2. **Larry Skaggs made the motion to accept the June 8 minutes. Sherry Daniel seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.**
3. **Eddie Thomas made the motion to pay the bills. Ricky Barnes seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.**
4. Resolution 2017-04 a Resolution of Adoption of the Lake Cumberland Area Development District Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan 5-Year Update. **David Blakey made the motion to accept Resolution 2017-04 as written. Timmy Hudson seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.**
5. Mayor Selby stated he had communicated with Chief Joe Irvin regarding adding an additional Police Officer to the Russell Springs Police Department. Mayor Selby asked Chief Irvin to speak with each Councilmember; he stated he does not have the authority to hire a Police Officer; that would be creating a position-that authority would go to Council. Mayor Selby stated it was his recommendation for another Police officer to be hired. **Sherry Daniel made the motion to create another position for a full time police officer for the City of Russell Springs. Larry Skaggs seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.**
6. Alan Lawson with Lake Country Outdoors came before the Council requesting "Sunday Sales" be looked at again. Out of the 53 Sundays in 2017, Mr. Lawson stated Lake Country Outdoors will lose \$79,500.00 in revenue and the City of Russell Springs will lose \$4,700.00 in Regulatory Fees. Danny Smith with Kroger stated Sunday is Kroger's largest sale day. Mr. Smith asked for Council to revisit "Sunday Sales" Ordinance. **Council asked Matthew DeHart, City Attorney to prepare another Alcohol Ordinance.**
7. Chintu Patel came before the Council announcing plans for a chain Hotel with a restaurant and truck stop with a restaurant. Mr. Patel has owned local Subway since 2009, has 60 hotels and restaurants throughout Kentucky and Indiana. Hotel could possibly be built within the next 15-18 months with employment of 50-60 people for hotel and restaurants. Projected costs could be \$10,000,000 to \$25,000,000 in next five years. Mr. Patel has to have deed for the land first before any progress can commence. Mr. John Thompson-Times Journal, asked "does alcohol being legal help with him locating these projects in Russell Springs"? Mr. Patel answered yes.
8. **Larry Skaggs made the motion to adjourn. Eddie Thomas seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.**

  
Eric Selby, Mayor

ATTEST:   
Wendy Burton, City Clerk