October 8, 2009

The Russell Springs City Council held their regular monthly meeting this date at City Hall at 6:00 p.m. In attendance were Jeanne Hudson, Joey Hoover, John Thompson, Claradon Wilson, Derek Aaron, Ramie Hutchison, Richard Roy, Joe Irvin, Ray Barrett, Lisa Mann, Ricky Barnes, Timmy Hudson, David Blakey, Eric Selby, Don Byrom, Hollis DeHart and Wendy Burton.

- Mayor Hollis DeHart called the meeting to order. 1.
- Ricky Barnes made the motion to accept the minutes of September 17. 2. Lisa Mann seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.
- David Blakey made the motion to pay the bills. Ricky Barnes 3. seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.
- Discussion regarding Independence Day Celebration: Mayor DeHart met 4. with two Lakefest Committee Members last week. Mayor DeHart felt he represented the Council very well. He stated the parking, shelters and other issues would not be a problem at the Fairgrounds as it would be in Jamestown. Mayor DeHart would really like to have the celebration at the Fairgrounds but this would cause major problems between the two cities (a fear of one upsmanship). The Russell Co. Fiscal Court cannot support two celebrations. The two cities have feuded for years like the Hatfield's and McCov's- the two small cities need to work together. The two Committee members stated that after next year possibly move the celebration to the Fairgrounds. Mayor DeHart suggested we offer financial and physical support with their celebration in turn asking them to help with Octoberfest and the Christmas Parade.
- The Council heard the 1st reading of Ordinance 2009-10 an Ordinance 5. repealing Ordinance 2002-14.
- The Council heard the 1st reading of Ordinance 2009-11 an Ordinance 6. providing for the creation of a Code Enforcement Board, providing for membership of the board, providing enforcement proceedings, and defining administrative procedures.
- David Blakey made the motion to adjourn. Timmy Hudson seconded 7. the motion. Motion carried 6-0.

ATTEST: Wendy Burton, City Clerk