

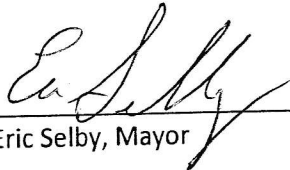
May 12, 2016


The Russell Springs City Council held their regular monthly meeting this date at City Hall at 6:00 p.m. In attendance were Janette Marson, John Thompson, Angela Anderson, Tom Carrajat, Debbie Schunas, Barbara Zimmerman, Chuck Gossett, Jim Lieb, Linda Stephens, Tammy McFall, Chari Bennett, Robert & Melinda Crittendon, Joyce Holt, Themie Shephard, Rocky Wright, Danny Smith, Jeramy Coffey, Brian Stephens, Joe M. Irvin, David Blakey, Sherry Daniel, Ricky Barnes, Tommy Holt, Timmy Hudson, Eddie Thomas, Eric Selby and Wanda Burton.

PRAYER WAS SAID BY EDDIE THOMAS.

1. Mayor Eric Selby called the meeting to order.
2. **Eddie Thomas made the motion to accept the April 14th minutes. David Blakey seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.**
3. **Tommy Holt made the motion to pay the bills. Timmy Hudson seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.**
4. The City Council heard the 2nd reading of Budget Ordinance 2016-03 for FY 16-17. **David Blakey made the motion to accept Ordinance 2016-03. Sherry Daniel seconded the motion. Roll call vote with David Blakey-yes; Eddie Thomas-yes; Sherry Daniels-yes; Tommy Holt-yes; Ricky Barnes-yes and Timmy Hudson-yes. Motion carried 6-0.**
5. Sherry Daniel asked for an update on the playground equipment. Mayor Selby reported he had received call today that it was going to be delivered the next morning. Will take 4 or 5 working days to install.
6. The City Council had the 1st reading of FY 15-16 Amended Budget Ordinance 2016-04. The 2nd reading will be held in June.
7. Melinda Crittendon addressed the council. Lives on Eric Lane, which is in horrible shape and having trouble getting someone to repair it. Needing to sell house because of sickness in family and having to move closer to her mother. Road was in decent shape before the new softball field was built. Have talked with Superintendent Michael Ford and Magistrate Holt. Mr. Ford told her responsibility lies with city and county. She had been told by Holt he was going to talk with Superintendent Ford. Mayor Selby stated the city will do their part of repairing the city road. Will have Gaddie's to do our part maybe within 3 to 4 weeks, depending on their schedule. Suggested she go to fiscal court and school board meeting and explain to them just as she had done at meeting tonight.
8. Mayor Selby gave to council a copy of Amendments to Alcohol Beverage Control Ordinance 2016-05. This will be the 1st reading. This changes an oversight on dates and also for Sunday alcohol sales. The change on date reverts back to May to go along with the state. Mayor Selby explained Senate Bill 11 which was classified as the Bourbon bill grouped a lot together. Basically puts it in local government, municipalities and fiscal courts lap and off of Frankfort. Would not take effect until July 15th. Linda Stephens from Positive Family Values addressed the council. Asking to not allow Sunday sales in respect for family, friends and churches. Understand stores can now sell from 6:00am to midnight, 6 days a week. That is a lot of hours already available for sales. Chuck Gossett with Revive Russell also spoke for the Sunday sales. Stated if not allow Sunday sales would put us at a disadvantage. Restaurants will look elsewhere. Need it for our tourism, will bring in significant sales and new businesses. Much discussion on this issue between council and those attending. 2nd read will be held next month.

9. Mayor Selby spoke about Kevin Williams Hometown Celebration. Will be held Saturday, May 14th. 100% of money raised will go to the Family Resource Center, which is a very needing program used to purchase eye glasses, shoes and clothing for the much needed children in this county. The goal this year is \$30,000. **Eddie Thomas made a motion for the City of Russell Springs to donate \$1,000 to the Kevin Williams Hometown Celebration. David Blakey seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.**
10. **David Blakey made the motion to adjourn. Eddie Thomas seconded the motion. Motion carried 6-0.**


Eric Selby, Mayor

ATTEST: 
Wanda Burton, Deputy Clerk