RUSSELL SPRINGS CITY COUNCIL MEETING REGULAR MEETING THURSDAY, April 12, 2018 6:00 P.M.

The Russell Springs City Council held their regular monthly meeting on Thursday, April 12, 2018 at 6:00 p.m., in the Council Room at Russell Springs City Hall. Those in attendance were Mayor Eric Selby, Council Members David Blakey, Timothy Hudson, Sherry Daniel, Larry Skaggs, City Attorney Matthew DeHart, Police Chief Joe Michael Irvin, ABC Officer Jeramy Coffey, ABC Investigator Brian Stephens, and City Clerk Christopher Ramsey. Absent: Council Members Eddie Thomas and Ricky Barnes

Opening prayer was led by Mr. Kevin Williams.

WELCOME: Mayor Selby called the meeting to order and welcomed all those present.

MINUTES: Mayor Selby presented the minutes from the regular meeting held on March 11th, and special called meetings held on March 28th and April 10th. Councilman Blakey made a motion to approve the minutes with Councilman Skaggs seconding. The vote was unanimous.

PAY BILLS: Mayor Selby submitted a list of regular bills to be approved. Councilman Hudson made a motion to pay the bills with Councilman Blakey seconding. The vote was unanimous.

KEVIN'S KIDS: Mr. Williams gave a presentation about Kevin's Kids, his involvement, and the groups partnership with the Russell County Resource Center. Mr. Williams requested on behalf of the group a financial donation from the city council and invited all in attendance to come out to the benefit concert for Kevin's Kids on April 28th at First Baptist Church of Russell Springs. Councilwoman Daniel requested this be tabled until all council members can be present for this vote.

FRIENDS OF WOLF CREEK NATIONAL FISH HATCHERY: Mrs. Shevawn Foley presented information about what her group does to help promote programs to help promote the Wolf Creek Hatchery and tourism in Russell County. Ms. Foley requested on behalf of the group a financial donation from the city council. Councilman Blakey requested that this issue be tabled until the next meeting.

CITY WATER LINE REPAIR: Councilwoman Daniel asked Mayor Selby to look into the waterlines on Shepherd Drive. Mayor Selby said he had requested Public Works Director Terry Russell to get a cost estimate for getting the clay line replaced on Shepherd Drive.

SPEED HUMPS – PROGRESS DRIVE: Mr. Anthony Coffey present the council with a petition to remove the speed humps on progress drive. Mr. Coffey said that these bumps were causing problems for him and his fellow workers at Bruss North America. Mayor Selby let the council know the reason the speed humps were installed was because of speeding and other issues. City Attorney DeHart said he double checked state requirements and he found that the speed humps were in compliance. Mayor Selby said he will check into other options to address the safety concerns.

RCIDA APPOINTMENT: Mayor Selby reappointed Mr. Steve Branscum to serve an additional four year term as a board member on the Russell County Industrial Development Authority. Mr. Branscum's appointment will expire April of 2022.

ADJOURNMENT: Councilman Skaggs made a motion to adjourn the meeting with Councilman Blakey seconding. All was in favor.

Eric Selby, Wayor

Attest:

Christopher Ramsey, City Clerk