

Searcy City Council – Special Session
January 29, 2015 12:00 p.m.
Minutes

Mayor David Morris called to order a Special Session of the Searcy City Council. Alderman Dale Brewer gave the Invocation, with the Pledge of Allegiance following, led by City Attorney Buck Gibson. City Clerk Jerry Morris called the roll with the following Aldermen answering “present”: Logan Cothorn, Mary Ann Arnett, J R Howard, Steve Sterling, Dale English, Don Raney, Dale Brewer and Mike Chalenburg. Also present was City Attorney Buck Gibson.

Item (3) on the agenda was an ordinance for the adoption of an operating budget for 2015. A motion was made by Mr. Raney, seconded by Mr. English, to suspend the rules and allow reading of the ordinance by title only. Motion carried with the following voting “yes”: Arnett, Howard, Sterling, English, Raney, Brewer, Chalenburg, and Cothorn. Mr. Gibson read the ordinance by title only. A motion was then made by Mr. Cothorn, seconded by Mr. Howard, to adopt the ordinance. The ordinance passed with the following voting “yes”: Howard, Sterling, English, Raney, Brewer, Chalenburg, Cothorn, and Arnett. Mr. Gibson then read the emergency clause of the ordinance. Motion was made by Mr. Sterling, seconded by Mr. Chalenburg, to adopt the emergency clause, with the following voting “yes”: Sterling, English, Raney, Brewer, Chalenburg, Cothorn, Arnett, and Howard. **Ordinance 2015-05**

Mayor Morris announced:

- Reception honoring the new prosecuting attorney, Ms. Becky Reed, at 9:00 a.m. on January 30, 2015 at the Police department training room
- Advertisement for Airport manager has been sent out and are currently working on the advertisement for Human Resources manager
- Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department state aid grant has been awarded for the overlay of Benton Street in the amount of approximately \$230,000.00

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn.

Minutes Approved: February 10, 2015

/s/ David Morris
MAYOR

ATTEST:

/s/ Jerry Morris
CITY CLERK

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