

**Searcy City Council – Special Session**  
**July 17, 2012 5:00 p.m.**  
**Minutes**

Mayor David Morris called to order a Special Session of the Searcy City Council. The Mayor called the roll with the following Aldermen answering “present”: Logan Cothorn, Mary Ann Arnett, Steve Sterling, Dale English, Don Raney and Dale Brewer. Alderman Mark Derrick subsequently joined the meeting.

A motion was made by Mr. Sterling, seconded by Mr. English, to go into executive session for the purpose of conducting separate interviews of Clerk applicants Kevin Brown, Enrique A. Colon, Jr., Karen Fortune, Wanda Pinkerton Gooden, Cynthia Lauen, and Jerry L. Morris. Motion carried with the following voting “yes”: Cothorn, Arnett, Sterling, English, Raney and Brewer.

Following said interviews, a motion was made by Mr. Brewer, seconded by Mr. Raney, to return to regular session. Motion carried with the following voting “yes”: Cothorn, Arnett, Sterling, English, Raney and Brewer.

After discussion, the Council asked the Mayor to place the selection of the Clerk-Treasurer as the last item on the agenda for the July 20 special meeting, and also to provide information at that meeting regarding the cost of paying the Clerk-Treasurer nominee at the starting salary of a deputy clerk, beginning July 30, 2012.

Minutes Approved: August 14, 2012

/s/ David Morris  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

/s/ Margaret Meads  
CITY CLERK

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