City of Eudora 239 S. Main St. Eudora, Chicot County, AR 71640

William Stanton, Mayor Joseph Mazzanti, Attorney Alexis Risper, Clerk

Board of Aldermen Mabel Allen Frank Farris Charlene Taylor Stephen Tisdale

Dennis Butler Becky Serio Robert Thomas, Jr. Danita Turner

MINUTES OF THE EUDORA CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING OCTOBER 6, 2014

The meeting was called to order by Alderman Taylor at 6:10 p.m. Alderman Taylor chaired the meeting in the absence of Mayor Stanton. All aldermen were present at roll call.

The minutes from the September 8, 2014 Regular meeting were adopted as printed. The minutes from the September 15, 2014 Special Call Meeting were adopted as printed.

Each alderman received a financial statement on each city account fund. Mr. Terrell reported that there was no news from the IRS. Alderman Serio asked about hiring a tax attorney. Mr. Terrell responded with no not yet. Alderman Tisdale suggested that the council should set a date to hold a budget meeting.

Attorney Mazzanti had nothing new to report.

Mr. Arthur James, Water/Sewer/Street Dept. reported that the last survey done was four (4) years ago. All public water systems have to have this ordinance passed. Alderman Serio asked are we in compliance. Mr. James said the only people who aren't in compliance are the businesses.

Alderman Turner made the motion to table the Fireman's Pension Ordinance until the October 20th Special Call Meeting. Alderman Farris seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Mr. Gaunt gave an update on the Water/Sewer Grant. It would take a year to get all the information and he would need to talk to the mayor about financing 5% of the grant. (100,000.00).

Alderman Serio asked if the grant was not 100%. Mr. Gaunt replied it was a majority grant 85-90%.

Mr. Scott from Get-Rid-of It spoke to the council about the renewal of the contract. The old contract is coming to a close November 30, 2014. Each councilman was given a five year renewal option to view. This option would run from December 1, 2014 through November 30, 2019. A 2.5% annual increase was used instead of a Consumer Price Index.

The clerk read the Ordinance for a Cross-Connection Control Program for Eudora Waterworks.

Alderman Tisdale made the motion to suspend the rule and place the reading on its second reading by title only. Alderman Farris seconded the motion. Roll call vote – 7 yeah 0 nay Alderman Taylor abstained from voting. She chaired the meeting. After the reading of the ordinance by title only Alderman Tisdale made the motion to suspend the rule and place the ordinance on its third and final reading. Alderman Farris seconded the motion. Roll call vote – 7 yeahs – 0 nays Alderman Taylor abstained from voting. Alderman Tisdale made the motion to adopt the ordinance and Alderman Thomas seconded the motion. Motion carried. The Ordinance is adopted.

Alderman Serio made the motion to accept the contract with Mr. Arthur James and Alderman Thomas seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Mr. David Jones, Code Enforcer for the city brought in fifty-one (51) resolutions on Ordinance #333 and Ordinance #334 and presented them to the council.

During Ward Reports concerns were with kids walking the streets keeping up noise, lights out on Front St. and if people working off fines can pick up cans and debri throughout the community. Alderman Tisdale asked if a license had been issued for a casino. Alderman Turner thanked the city for the no loitering signs.

Rev. Bunn addressed the council about his four wheeler being stolen on September 1, 2014. On September 4, 2014 it was recovered by the police department. The rule was if property was recovered it was kept and maintained until the owner is notified. Mr. Edwards has his four wheeler along with a \$370.00 bill. He offered to pay for storage. Attorney Mazzanti will check into it and let Mr. Bunn know by the end of the week.

Alderman Turner made the motion to adjourn the meeting and Alderman Farris seconded the motion. Motion carried. The meeting is adjourned.

William Stanton, Mayor

Alexis Risper, Clerk