

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen met in regular session November 11, 2008 at 7:00 P.M. in Selmer City Hall.

Present were: Mayor David Robinson.

Board of Aldermen: John Finlayson, Paul Simpson, Edward Smith,
John Smith, Lloyd Tennyson.

Paul Simpson presented for adoption a resolution honoring all Veterans which he read aloud giving special thanks for all service, and ending with a standing round of applause for all veterans. Veterans within the room were asked to stand.

Motion by Paul Simpson and seconded by John Finlayson to adopt the resolution honoring all Veterans for their service. All five voted yes on roll call. Motion carried.

Rev. Mike Pilcher, First United Methodist church opened with prayer.

Landon Redmon of 7th grade Selmer Middle School led the Pledge of Allegiance to the United States Flag of America.

The minutes were approved with no deletions or additions.

Motion by Edward Smith to accept the financial statement. Motion seconded by Lloyd Tennyson. All five voted yes. Motion carried.

Motion by John Smith and seconded by Lloyd Tennyson to pass on first reading an Ordinance amending the Selmer Municipal Zoning Ordinance by changing the permitted uses in R-3 districts to allow multi-family dwellings (Apartments and Townhouses), and regulations of lot area, lot width, yards, building coverage and building height for multi-family dwellings. Roll call: John Finlayson—yes, Paul Simpson—yes, Edward Smith—yes, John Smith—yes, Lloyd Tennyson—yes. Motion carried. 1st Reading Passed.

Motion by Paul Simpson and seconded by Edward Smith to pass an ordinance on first reading amending Ordinance No 574, Chapter 3, Title 10 of the Selmer Municipal Code as it applies to Pit Bull dog's registration, confinement, and enforcement of "Grandfathered" dogs.

Roll call: John Finlayson—yes, Paul Simpson—yes, Edward Smith—yes, John Smith—yes, Lloyd Tennyson—yes. Motion carried. 1st Reading Passed.

Motion by Paul Simpson and seconded by Lloyd Tennyson to approve the Christmas Parade Permit application for the Selmer Jaycees Christmas Parade to be held December 9th, 2008. All five voted yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Paul Simpson and seconded by John Finlayson to approve the Use Agreement for the new Soccer Field between the Town of Selmer and the McNairy County Board of Education. All five voted yes. Motion carried.

Mayor Robinson appointed Rod Barnes in the vacant position of Wes Harrison to serve on the Planning Commission.

Motion by Edward Smith and seconded by John Smith to approve and grant authorization to sign an agreement with Joel B. Spaulding Inc., Consulting Engineers and the associated application with US Rural Development for the Downtown Water Rehabilitation Project. Roll Call: John Finlayson—yes, Paul Simpson—yes, Edward Smith—yes, John Smith—yes, Lloyd Tennyson—yes. Motion carried.

The meeting concluded with Paul Simpson commending Sybil Dancer on the fine job done for the Halloween program and Veterans Day Parade followed by further praises by Mayor Robinson and the room applauded.

Meeting adjourned.