

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen met in regular session October 14, 2014 at 7:00 P.M. in Selmer City Hall.

Mayor John Smith presided with all five Board of Aldermen as follows: John Finlayson, Johnny Norris, Paul Simpson, Edward Smith, and Chris Tull.

The meeting opened with prayer by Pastor Joey Johnson of First Baptist Church followed by the pledge of allegiance to the United States flag of America.

Motion by Paul Simpson and seconded by John Finlayson to approve the minutes of September 9, 2014. All five voted yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Edward Smith and seconded by Johnny Norris to accept the financial statement. All five voted yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Paul Simpson to pass on second reading an ordinance allowing closing of a section of Houston Avenue between 6th Street and 7th Street for First Baptist Church. Motion seconded by Edward Smith. All five voted yes. Motion carried. Ordinance No. 643 Passed.

Motion by Johnny Norris to pass on first reading an ordinance amending the text of the Selmer Municipal Zoning Ordinance by changing the requirements for telecommunications equipment on existing structures. Motion seconded by John Finlayson. All five voted yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Chris Tull and seconded by John Finlayson to approve the Christmas Parade permit. All five voted yes. Motion carried. The parade is planned for 7:00 P.M., December 6, 2014.

Mayor Smith announced that also on December 6th at 3:00 P.M. a movie, "The Grinch", sponsored by a Selmer business will be shown at the McNairy Arts Theater in the Latta Building.

Motion by Paul Simpson and seconded by Johnny Norris to approve items of surplus equipment and call for an auction of said surplus properties. All five voted yes. Motion carried. (November 1, 2014).

Motion by Edward Smith to approve a "Town of Selmer Parks and Recreation Vending Policy." Motion seconded by John Finlayson. All five voted yes. Motion carried.

Motion by Paul Simpson and seconded by Edward Smith to approve Mayor John Smith and City Attorney Abernathy to enter into formal discussion with the Discovery Channel and explore funding and details relative to episodes airing on television and report back to the board for further action. All five voted yes. Motion carried.

Meeting Adjourned.