

**CITY OF EUREKA SPRINGS  
CITY COUNCIL  
SPECIAL MEETING**

**WEDNESDAY**

**AUGUST 31, 2016**

Mayor Berry called the special meeting of the Eureka Springs City Council to order at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, August 31, 2016 in the jury room on the second floor of the Western District Carroll County Courthouse. Mayor Berry stated the purpose of the meeting: **To discuss Ordinance No. 2244.**

**PRESENT:** Mayor Robert "Butch" Berry, Aldermen Terry McClung, Bob Thomas, Mickey Schneider, David Mitchell, James DeVito, Kristi Kendrick, City Attorney Tim Weaver and City Clerk Treasurer Ann Armstrong

**ACTION:**

Mr. DeVito moved to discuss. Mr. McClung seconded.

Mayor Berry referenced Ordinance No. 2244 Section 5. The word "operations" was removed from the Water and Sewer infrastructure revenue to clarify the tax would not be for new personnel.

Mr. Mitchell moved to amend Ordinance No. 2244 amended as of 8-31-16 Section 5 by adding "and" between "repair and improvements" and striking the two words "and operation." Mr. DeVito seconded. Following brief discussion, Mr. Mitchell withdrew his motion.

Mr. McClung moved to re-read Ordinance No. 2244 as presented with the changes required, in full, to re-approve it. Mr. Mitchell seconded.

Motion carried 6/0/0. Ms. Armstrong read **ORDINANCE NO. 2244 amended 8-31-16 AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE LEVY OF A ONE PERCENT (1%) SALES AND USE TAX WITHIN THE CITY OF EUREKA SPRINGS, ARKANSAS; DECLARING THAT AN EMERGENCY EXISTS; AND PRESCRIBING OTHER MATTERS THERETO.**

Mr. DeVito moved to approve Ordinance No. 2244 as amended on 8-31-16. Ms. Kendrick seconded.

Motion carried 6/0/0.

Mr. DeVito moved to suspend the rules and place Ordinance No. 2244 as amended on 8-31-16 on its second reading by title only. Mr. McClung seconded. A roll call vote followed.

Motion carried 6/0/0. Ms. Armstrong read the Ordinance title.

Mr. DeVito moved to approve Ordinance No. 2244 as amended 8-31-16. Ms. Kendrick seconded.

Motion carried 6/0/0.

Mr. DeVito moved to suspend the rules and place Ordinance No. 2244 as amended 8-31-16 on its third reading by title only. Mr. McClung seconded. A roll call vote followed.

Motion carried 6/0/0. Ms. Armstrong read the Ordinance title.

Mr. DeVito moved to approve Ordinance No. 2244 as amended 8-31-16 on its third reading. Mr. McClung seconded. A roll call vote followed.

Motion carried 6/0/0.

Mr. DeVito moved to invoke the emergency clause. Ms. Schneider seconded. A roll call vote followed.

Motion carried 6/0/0. Ms. Armstrong read the emergency clause.

Mr. McClung moved to adjourn. Ms. Schneider seconded.

Motion carried 6/0/0.

**ATTEST:**

  
Ann Armstrong, Clerk Treasurer

**APPROVED:**

  
Robert "Butch" Berry, Mayor

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