

SEARCY CITY COUNCIL – REGULAR MEETING

8/12/14 7:00 pm
SEARCY CITY HALL - 401 WEST ARCH

Agenda

1. Call to Order – Mayor David Morris;
2. Roll Call;
3. Approval of Minutes;
4. Treasurer’s Report;
5. Authorization to return excess funds that were received from Wal-Mart for the installation of the traffic signal located at Beebe-Capps Expressway and Sowell Street. \$141,000.00 was received from Wal-Mart with the cost of the installation by All Service Electric being \$134,500.00, resulting in excess funding of \$6,500.00;
6. Approval of 2014 street paving program – Mark Lane, City Engineer;
7. Resolution – Approval and adoption of White County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan;
8. Ordinance – Budget ordinance

Section 1. The budget for the City of Searcy, Arkansas, is amended in the following manner:

- a. Appropriate \$32,660.00 to Mayor’s department ‘LIGHTLE CENTER REPAIRS’ expenditure account (01 5-010-02-13) for the installation of a new roof on the John E. Lightle (Senior Citizens) Center, reimbursable through General Improvement Fund (GIF) grant;
- b. Appropriate \$10,000.00 from unappropriated general fund reserves to Mayor’s department ‘HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN’ expenditure account (01 5-010-05-22) for the City of Searcy’s portion of cost for the White County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan;
- c. Appropriate \$6,500.00 to Street Fund ‘SIGNAL BEEBE-CAPPS @ SOWELL STREET’ expenditure account (02 5-900-54-14) for remittance of excess funds received from Wal-Mart for the installation of traffic signal;
- d. Appropriate \$33,738.09 to Act 833 Fund ‘WHITE COUNTY ACT 833 AID’ revenue account (11 4-000-10-05) for receipt of funds from White County for Act 833 funding loss due to Court order;

Section 2. The Mayor and City Clerk are authorized to expend the following sums:

- a. \$22,414.45 to Stephenson Oil Company for fuel for all departments;

Announcements

- General Improvement Fund (GIF) grant – Roof for John E. Lightle Senior Citizens Center
- Proposed Arkansas Department of Historical Preservation/Main Street Searcy grant for improvements at the American Legion Building
- Proposed General Improvement Fund (GIF) grants:
 - a. Soccer field improvements at the Searcy Sports Complex
 - b. Roof for Searcy City Hall
- Modification of interest rate earnings for the Special 1% Connector Route Tax Fund
- Schools begin August 18, 2014 – be conscious of increased school activities
- White County Fair – September 6 – 13, 2014 (Fair Parade is Saturday, September 6 at 11:00 a.m.)
- Searcy Art Walk – Friday, September 5, 2014
 - 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. @ Searcy Art Gallery at the Black House
 - 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. @ Stevens Art Gallery at Harding University
 - 8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. @ Midnight Oil Coffee House