

MINUTES
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
SEPTEMBER 2, 2003

Council present; Pat Jones, Fred Reynolds, Ray Hall, Roger Seals, John Mize and R.C. Gilliam.

Others present; Michael Reitmire and Billy Allen.

John Mize opened the meeting with an invocation.

The Mayor went to Agenda Item #6. Mr. Reitmire discussed the need for the city to have street signs so emergency personnel can locate residences. Signs are being torn down and stolen and the city does not have the funds to keep replacing signs. The city will look into ways to fund more signs.

Reynolds moved to adopt the 2004 Budget (Ordinance #070203). Gilliam seconded. All for.

Hall moved to pay monthly bills. Reynolds seconded. All for.

Reynolds moved to approve August Minutes as written. Hall seconded. All for.

Reynolds moved to adopt the M&O Tax Rate of \$0.331779 and I&S Tax Rate of \$0.211965 making the total tax rate \$0.543744 (Ordinance #090203A). Hall seconded. All for.

Reynolds moved to adopt Court Technology Fund Ordinance #090203B. Mize seconded. All for.

Police report: Bill Allen introduced himself to the council as a new reserve for Celeste Police Department. Chief Mott provided a written police report.

Roger moved to adjourn. Mize seconded. All for.



City Secretary



Mayor