Minutes Special Called Meeting Bluff City Board of Mayor and Aldermen June 24, 2014

Mayor Wells called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. and read the following statement. Any meetings I chair I do not need the help of the aldermen, police, Chief of Police or anyone else unless I ask for it.

Members present were David Harmon, Ray Harrington, Lon Gene Leonard and Richard Bowling.

Members absent: Melvin Carrier.

Prayer was given by Alderman Richard Bowling, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Wells opened the floor for Citizen Comments – First Section.

David Smith 200 Highland Circle stated that this is about a 65% increase on taxes for the citizens and we need to try to do something about it. Mr. Smith stated we need to bring business into the city.

Becky Buchanan 750 Drybranch Road asked how much the trash pickup charge for the residents of the city is. Alderman Bowling stated that it is going to \$10.50 and the city had been paying \$1.50 of that. City Manager Dulaney stated that it is \$9.50 now. Mrs. Buchanan asked if the Peoples Bank that closed down was in the City limits, and was informed that it was.

Mayor Wells opened the floor for the following:

Public Hearing on Ordinance 2014-013 opened at 6:06 p.m. City Manager Dulaney read the ordinance which is a Continuing Budget Ordinance. Alderman Carrier arrived at 6:07 p.m. There were no comments and the public hearing closed at 6:08 p.m. Alderman Leonard made a motion to accept on second reading. Second by Vice Mayor Harrington. All in favor. Motion carried.

Citizen Comments-Second Section. There were none.

Closed the Special Called Meeting to open the workshop. City Manager Dulaney stated that she did not advertise the workshop as she had finished the budget and needed to let the aldermen look at it. Alderman Leonard stated that they could look at it and call another workshop.

With no other business Motion to adjourn was made by Alderman Leonard. Second by Alderman Harmon. Meeting adjourned at 6:14 p.m.

Irene Wells, Mayor

Attest this 24th day of June, 2014

Judy Dylaney, City Manager