

**Tax Rate Public Hearing – August 14, 2006 – 6:30 pm**

Present: Mayor James A. Watson, Eastward Aldermen – Russ Chittum and Roger Johnston, Westward Aldermen – L.C. Turner and Mike Weber, City Clerk/Economic Development Director – Cindy Bowman

Absent: Westward Alderman Kenny Hoffman

Guests: Heidi Dimmitt, Genelee Beckley and Stephen VanHouten

Mayor Watson called the hearing to order at 6:30 pm.

There was no public comment on the tax rates. City Clerk Bowman stated that the rates had not yet been received from the State Auditors Office, but recommended that they be set at the highest rate that the Auditors Office will allow.

Alderman Dennis made a motion to close the tax rate hearing. Alderman Turner seconded the motion. Aldermen Dennis, Turner and Chittum voted aye. No nay votes. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 6:50 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Cindy Bowman  
City Clerk

*Approved 9/11/06*