

**November 26, 2012**

**REGULAR MEETING 1**

The City Council of the City of Sherwood met for a regular meeting on November 26, 2012, at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers. Those present were Mayor Virginia R. Hillman, City Attorney Steve Cobb, City Clerk Angela Nicholson, Aldermen Fender, Brooks, Harmon, Lilly, McMinn, Butler, Heye, and Keplinger.

David Gaugh, Pastor of Celebration Church of Sherwood led in prayer, and the Pledge of Allegiance was given to the flag.

Alderman Brooks, seconded by Alderman McMinn, made a motion, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting on October 22, 2012, as transcribed. The roll call vote was unanimous.

Carilyn Brown, Justice of the Peace beginning January 1, 2013, addressed the council stating that several of her constituents have asked that the decision on the electric issue not be rushed. Ms. Brown stated that many residents of Sherwood are concerned and would like to have the opportunity for public comment where they could ask questions.

Amy Sanders, a resident of the City of Sherwood, addressed the council stating that the city should stay with North Little Rock electric. Ms. Sanders said she felt there was no need to change service when there is nothing wrong now. Ms. Sanders said it was time to make a decision.

**Ordinance No. 1953, entitled, "AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF SHERWOOD AND CITY OF NORTH LITTLE ROCK CONTINUING ELECTRIC SERVICES TO THE AREAS CURRENTLY SERVED BY NORTH LITTLE ROCK ELECTRIC"** was read. City Attorney Steve Cobb informed the council that a franchise agreement is not permanent in nature and therefore three readings on this type of ordinance is not required. The following discussion took place: Alderman Keplinger stated he was skeptical of the whole process and has kept an open mind. Alderman Keplinger has looked at all three utility companies and they all have their attributes and deficiency's and after looking at the utility one to one, he believes North Little Rock Electric would be the best decision for multiple reasons and he hopes the council votes accordingly. Alderman Heye stated that she understood on terms of single subject and her concern is that this ordinance contains a lot more than just a standard franchise agreement which, when reading statute it spells out a simple statute franchise agreement. This one right here is a lot more complex where we are dealing with rebates between two cities, not between a regular utility company and a city. Alderman Heye read the following statement: "We have the opportunity to do what is best for these citizens of Sherwood. We know that the North Little Rock electric customers are paying 15% higher rates than Entergy's customers. In 2013 Entergy Arkansas will split away from the Entergy Corporate umbrella. This by itself means an additional 5% savings for its customers and Entergy Arkansas then becomes an Arkansas only corporation. So now we are looking at a 20% savings. Think what savings our city will obtain in its own utility bills. There is that extra money that the Police Chief mentioned that he needed at the last council meeting, for example. For an average citizen, we are talking about a \$500 per year savings in their electricity bills; what could those families do with an additional \$500 a year? What a bonus this would be for our local businesses with those lower rates! What an incentive to locate or move to Sherwood versus next door. This is Economics 101. Entergy is the producer of the bulk of the power, the cheapest power. They are the largest and the strongest. Economy of Scales is clearly on their side! And then we have First Electric Cooperative, who is a midsize utility. They have a fantastic business model where our citizens become stake holders, unlike North Little Rock Electric where we have been told over and over again that we are not nor will we ever be stake holders. Not only would our citizens have once again lower rates but those "rebates" that would come to the city from North Little Rock Electric would go directly back to the citizens, after all, they are the ones paying the bills! And in both these options there is plenty of governmental oversight to protect the citizens. And both provide grants and staff that can help our city with Economic Development. However, we are looking at choosing North Little Rock electric, the smallest, the one with the highest rates, and with the least amount of protection. Their

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City Council sets their rates and these are not based upon the market, but upon what their needs are for their general revenue fund. And we know they are strapped for cash currently. One North Little Rock official referred to it as their "Easy Money", in a conversation with me. And if you are a citizen of North Little Rock, it makes sense because it benefits your city by paying higher rates. But it doesn't benefit our citizens! The head of North Little Rock Electric responded to a similar statement that I made at the last meeting by saying: *well don't your citizens enjoy driving on our better streets?* Our citizens want to take care of their own homes, their own neighborhoods, their own community. But I am told by a fellow council member, but it's "free" money for our city if we pick North Little Rock Electric because of the \$470,000 rebate. Well no money is free and it comes on the backs of hard working citizens who will get no voice. In the craving for the \$470,000, we are overlooking the fact that only a small section of the city is responsible for this. Yes we will get a small percentage of the money in our city's coffers that are a result of higher bills but how is that fair to those citizens that this burden is not shared by all. They should get the same benefits as the rest of our citizens. So I am asking for my fellow council members to do what is right and fair for our citizens! Give them either of the two much better choices. City Attorney Steve Cobb addressed Alderman Heye's question on the statute and case law he would feel remiss if he did not tell the council about what the case law says. The law talks specifically about electric, light and water franchises and that is why he mentioned it. Alderman McMinn stated that the aldermen have been delegated the responsibility of speaking and voting on behalf of the citizens in the City of Sherwood. Alderman McMinn stated that he lives under the jurisdiction of the North Little Rock Electric as far as electric rates go, and he has talked to several of his constituents who live in the North Little Rock jurisdiction, and out of the number of the people he has spoken with he had only one person tell him that they would like to be changed over. Every other person he spoke with said they are happy with North Little Rock and did not want to change. Alderman McMinn has talked to people that have First Electric and Entergy and they too would like to remain with their current utility. Alderman McMinn stated he represents a lot of the people who are under North Little Rock electric and he feels like he has been delegated that responsibility voting on their behalf, and if that is what their request is then that's the vote that it should be. It is what the people say not what he may feel or what he may think about rates. Although rates are a big issue and will enter the long term of this. Alderman McMinn believes it is fair to say that Entergy and Mr. Ron Harris and Wesley Hunt and Mike Russ and Mr. Crab have done an excellent job presenting to the council the information needed. The city has had two committees and both have come back with the same recommendation. Alderman McMinn believes upon what the council is suppose to keep up with the citizens of our city and let them know how we feel and he can honestly say that there have been accusations thrown around, which happens in the heat of the battle, he can understand that, but he can say for a certainty for himself that his care and concern are for the citizens that he represents, and for that reason, he believes that it is important that the council go with the recommendation that had been presented to them by the two committees and upon what the council has researched and looked at their self. So he believes it is important for the council to make sure that when they vote they are representing the people that put us in office and keep everything in that order and that range. Alderman Harmon thanked Ms. Brown for her comments, and the only thing she said that he would like to address is that he does not think or feel that the council has not been open and not allowed public comment, and he does not want Ms. Brown's comments to give that indication. Alderman Harmon would like to remind people that there was a public hearing on this issue before a council meeting that was an advertised public hearing on this issue. Citizens were asked to come to the council meeting and ask questions, and the representatives of the electric companies were here. It was a well attended meeting and comments were made and questions were asked, so that opportunity was given, so it's not as if this has been done in the dark by any stretch of the imagination. Alderman Harmon stated he seconded Alderman McMinn and he has had almost the same response from people who have contacted him. Alderman Harmon has had a few more people that have said that they want to switch but he has had about three who were not Entergy employees who have contacted him that wanted to switch from North Little Rock Electric to Entergy and he has had a couple that wanted to switch to First Electric and all the rest he has spoken to wanted to stay where they are,

overwhelmingly, and stay with North Little Rock Electric. Alderman Harmon agrees with Alderman McMinn, that it is the council's job to represent their constituents. This is an attempt to make a good faith, and he has made a good faith effort to do the best that he could do, to make the best decision he could make for what is best for the City of Sherwood and the seven thousand rate payers, and his belief still remains that North Little Rock Electric department is what is best. The contract that North Little Rock presented the council in early November is the best franchise agreement for these people. Alderman Harmon stated his recommendation remains with North Little Rock Electric as well. Alderman Lilly stated that when the council started this conversation and began getting into the depths of it, several months ago, where it all fed out to or where it seemed to boil down to is do you vote for lower rates for the citizens or do you vote to get \$470,000 dollars from the City of North Little Rock. Alderman Lilly believes the city is very fortunate to have three providers in the City of Sherwood that know how to provide electricity to their customers. From being able to provide service his perspective is that the council could not go wrong with any of the three. But at the end of the day he still has to say that he knows that to some people out there that \$40 dollars a month means something to them. And it means the difference of whether they get to take their kid to the movie or not, or what they put on their plate at night. That means something to a lot of people. After all the public comments, the public meetings the things that have been said, the harsh things, the things that are hurtful the end result is nothing has changed. Its how do you feel about your citizens getting lower rates or the city getting \$470,000, and that is where he is at in his decision. Alderman Lilly does not think that any of the three are a bad choice. He believes they all know how to provide electricity but he believes it is important that you really look at what it is you're voting for. Alderman Lilly believes the council has talked about several different options for raising that money, that all have the potential to raise as much or if not more to make up for the that difference, but he does not want to sit here and cast a vote based on what the city might be getting from another municipality. Alderman Keplinger, seconded by Alderman McMinn, made a motion to adopt the ordinance. The roll call vote was Aldermen Fender, Brooks, Harmon, McMinn, and Keplinger aye. Aldermen Lilly, Butler, and Heye no.

Alderman Brooks, Chairman of the Advertising and Promotion Commission, stated the commission met and discussed the Trail of Lights and the 2013 proposed budget.

A proposed ordinance entitled, *"An ordinance providing for the adoption of an Advertising and Promotion Commission budget for the City of Sherwood, Arkansas, for the twelve month period beginning January 1, 2013, and ending December 31, 2013; appropriating money for each and every expenditure therein provided for; declaring an emergency and for other purposes"* was read one time.

Alderman Harmon, Chairman of the Parks and Recreation Committee, stated the committee did not meet. Alderman Harmon stated the proposed ordinance is for the compressor at the Bill Harmon Recreation Center pool.

**Ordinance No. 1954, entitled, "AN ORDINANCE WAIVING COMPETITIVE BIDDING FOR REPAIR AND REPLACEMENT OF DAMAGED COMPRESSORS IN THE POOL AREA OF THE BILL HARMON RECREATION CENTER; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES"** was read. Alderman Harmon, seconded by Alderman Keplinger, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the second reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the second time. Alderman McMinn, seconded by Alderman Lilly, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the third and final reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the third time. Alderman Keplinger, seconded by Alderman Harmon, made a motion to adopt the ordinance. The roll call vote was 7 ayes. Alderman Heye abstained. The emergency clause passed with a roll call vote of 7 ayes. Alderman Heye abstained.

Alderman Harmon, seconded by Alderman Brooks, made a motion to place the ordinance on the agenda. The roll call vote was unanimous.

City Attorney Steve Cobb changed the wording in the heading and under section one of the ordinance to remove *to the general fund budget* and replace with *for the 2012 overlay project*.

**Ordinance No. 1955, entitled, “AN ORDINANCE APPROPRIATING FUNDS FROM THE STREET DEPARTMENT BUDGET FOR THE 2012 OVERLAY PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”** was read. Alderman McMinn, seconded by Alderman Brooks, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the second reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the second time. Alderman Harmon, seconded by Alderman McMinn, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the third and final reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the third time. Alderman Harmon, seconded by Alderman McMinn, made a motion to adopt the ordinance. The roll call vote was unanimous.

Alderman Butler, Chairman of the Personnel Committee, stated the committee did not meet. Alderman Butler stated if there is a December meeting it will be December 6, 2012, at the Bill Harmon Recreation Center.

**Ordinance No. 1956, entitled, “AN ORDINANCE REZONING THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 14307 HIGHWAY 107 FROM C-3 COMMERCIAL TO C-4 COMMERCIAL; AMENDING THE ZONING MAP; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”** was read. Alderman Brooks, seconded by Alderman Harmon, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the second reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the second time. Alderman McMinn, seconded by Alderman Harmon, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the third and final reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the third time. Alderman Harmon, seconded by Alderman Heye, made a motion to adopt the ordinance. The roll call vote was unanimous.

**Resolution No. 22-2012, entitled, “A RESOLUTION OF INTENT REGARDING THE WASTEWATER TREATMENT AND COLLECTION SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT PROJECT FOR THE CITY OF SHERWOOD, IN PULASKI COUNTY”** was read. Alderman Lilly informed the council that the wastewater committee has asked to find another source of revenue for the ADEQ guide lines. This resolution and the next are required by Arkansas Natural Resources to get started. Alderman Keplinger, seconded by Alderman Heye, made a motion to adopt the resolution. The roll call vote was unanimous.

**Resolution No. 23-2012, entitled, “A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND THE CITY ENGINEER TO EXECUTE CERTAIN DOCUMENTS IN CONNECTION WITH THE SANITARY SEWER LOAN PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION”** was read. Alderman Harmon, seconded by Alderman McMinn, made a motion to adopt the resolution. The roll call vote was unanimous.

Alderman Lilly, Chairman of the Street Committee, stated the committee met and the minutes are in the council packets.

A proposed ordinance entitled, *“An ordinance imposing a franchise fee equal to 4.25 percent of the gross revenues of Centerpoint Energy within the corporate limits of the City of Sherwood, Arkansas”* was read for the second time.

A proposed ordinance entitled, *“An ordinance imposing a franchise fee equal to 4.25 percent of the gross revenues of Central Arkansas Water within the corporate limits of the City of Sherwood, Arkansas”* was read for the second time.

City Attorney Steve Cobb stated at this time there is a public hearing for the lien certification for property at 10300 Farris Avenue. There were no representatives at the meeting in respect to the lien.

**Resolution No. 24-2012, entitled, “A RESOLUTION APPROVING AMOUNTS OF LIENS TO BE CERTIFIED TO THE PULASKI COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR AND REAL ESTATE OFFICES AGAINST A CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY AS A RESULT OF DEMOLITION EXPENSES AND ABATEMENT OF OTHER NUISANCES BY THE CITY OF SHERWOOD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”** was read. Alderman Harmon, seconded by Alderman Keplinger, made a motion to adopt the resolution. The roll call vote was unanimous.

A proposed ordinance entitled, *“An ordinance providing for the adoption of a General Fund department budget for the City of Sherwood, Arkansas, for the twelve month period beginning January 1, 2013, and ending December 31, 2013; appropriating money for each and every item of expenditure therein provided for; declaring an emergency and for other purposes”* was read one time. Alderman Fender stated for the record that he would like to see that the funding for Economic Development remain in the budget.

A proposed ordinance entitled, *“An ordinance providing for the adoption of a Street Fund department budget for the City of Sherwood, Arkansas, for the twelve month period beginning January 1, 2013, and ending December 31, 2013; appropriating money for each and every item of expenditure therein provided for; declaring an emergency and for other purposes”* was read one time.

A proposed ordinance entitled, *“An ordinance providing for the adoption of a Wastewater Fund department budget for the City of Sherwood, Arkansas, for the twelve month period beginning January 1, 2013, and ending December 31, 2013; appropriating money for each and every item of expenditure therein provided for; declaring an emergency and for other purposes”* was read one time.

A proposed ordinance entitled, *“An ordinance providing for the adoption of a Wastewater Sales Tax Fund department budget for the City of Sherwood, Arkansas, for the twelve month period beginning January 1, 2013, and ending December 31, 2013; appropriating money for each and every item of expenditure therein provided for; declaring an emergency and for other purposes”* was read one time.

A proposed ordinance entitled, *“An ordinance providing for the adoption of a Court Automation Fund department budget for the City of Sherwood, Arkansas, for the twelve month period beginning January 1, 2013, and ending December 31, 2013; appropriating money for each and every item of expenditure therein provided for; declaring an emergency and for other purposes”* was read one time.

A proposed ordinance entitled, *“An ordinance providing for the adoption of a Departmental Donation budget for the City of Sherwood, Arkansas, for the twelve month period beginning January 1, 2013, and ending December 31, 2013; appropriating money for each and every item of expenditure therein provided for; declaring an emergency and for other purposes”* was read one time.

A proposed ordinance entitled, *“An ordinance providing for the adoption of a P.A.W.S. Fund department budget for the City of Sherwood, Arkansas, for the twelve month period beginning January 1, 2013, and ending December 31, 2013; appropriating money for each and every item of expenditure therein provided for; declaring an emergency and for other purposes”* was read one time.

A proposed ordinance entitled, *“An ordinance providing for the adoption of a Drug Fund department budget for the City of Sherwood, Arkansas, for the twelve month period beginning January 1, 2013, and ending December 31, 2013; appropriating money for each and every item of expenditure therein provided for; declaring an emergency and for other purposes”* was read one time.

A proposed ordinance entitled, *“An ordinance providing for the adoption of a Federal Drug Fund department budget for the City of Sherwood, Arkansas, for the twelve month period beginning January 1, 2013, and ending December 31, 2013; appropriating money*

*for each and every item of expenditure therein provided for; declaring an emergency and for other purposes”* was read one time.

A proposed ordinance entitled, *“An ordinance providing for the adoption of a Franchise Fund department budget for the City of Sherwood, Arkansas, for the twelve month period beginning January 1, 2013, and ending December 31, 2013; appropriating money for each and every item of expenditure therein provided for; declaring an emergency and for other purposes”* was read one time.

**Resolution No. 25-2012, entitled, “A RESOLUTION FINDING THE STRUCTURE LOCATED ON PARCEL #22S-021-00-064-02, COMMONLY KNOWN AS 7006 GIBSON ROAD TO CONSTITUTE A PUBLIC NUISANCE”** was read. Alderman Brooks, seconded by Alderman Heye, made a motion to adopt the resolution. The roll call vote was unanimous.

**Resolution No. 26-2012, entitled, “A RESOLUTION FINDING THE STRUCTURE LOCATED ON PARCEL #22S-021-00-064-00, COMMONLY KNOWN AS 7002 GIBSON ROAD TO CONSTITUTE A PUBLIC NUISANCE”** was read. Alderman Keplinger, seconded by Alderman Harmon, made a motion to adopt the resolution. The roll call vote was unanimous.

**Ordinance No. 1957, entitled, “AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING THE ANNEXATION OF THE TERRITORY COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE NORTH GAP CREEK AREA TO THE CITY OF SHERWOOD, ARKANSAS, ASSIGNING THE TERRITORY TO A WARD; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”** was read. Alderman Lilly, seconded by Alderman Heye, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the second reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the second time. Alderman Harmon, seconded by Alderman Heye, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the third and final reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the third time. Alderman McMinn, seconded by Alderman Heye, made a motion to adopt the ordinance. The roll call vote was unanimous. The emergency clause passed with a unanimous roll call vote.

**Ordinance No. 1958, entitled, “AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING THE ANNEXATION OF THE TERRITORY COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE WOODRIDGE SUBDIVISION AREA TO THE CITY OF SHERWOOD, ARKANSAS, ASSIGNING THE TERRITORY TO A WARD; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”** was read. Alderman Harmon, seconded by Alderman Heye, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the second reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the second time. Alderman Lilly, seconded by Alderman Brooks, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the third and final reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the third time. Alderman Heye, seconded by Alderman Harmon, made a motion to adopt the ordinance. The roll call vote was unanimous. The emergency clause passed with a unanimous roll call vote.

**Ordinance No. 1959, entitled, “AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING THE ANNEXATION OF THE TERRITORY COMMONLY KNOWN AS OAKDALE-MINE ROAD AREA TO THE CITY OF SHERWOOD, ARKANSAS, ASSIGNING THE TERRITORY TO A WARD; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”** was read. Alderman Brooks, seconded by Alderman Heye, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the second reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the second time. Alderman Harmon, seconded by Alderman Heye, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the third and final reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the third time. Alderman Heye, seconded by Alderman Keplinger, made a motion to adopt the ordinance. The roll call vote was unanimous. The emergency clause passed with a unanimous roll call vote.

**Ordinance No. 1960, entitled, “AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING THE ANNEXATION OF THE TERRITORY COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE CARR COVE AREA TO THE CITY OF SHERWOOD, ARKANSAS, ASSIGNING THE TERRITORY TO A WARD; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”** was read. Alderman Brooks, seconded by Alderman Harmon, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the second reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the second time. Alderman Heye, seconded by Alderman Keplinger, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the third and final reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the third time. Alderman Keplinger, seconded by Alderman Lilly, made a motion to adopt the ordinance. The roll call vote was unanimous. The emergency clause passed with a unanimous roll call vote.

**Ordinance No. 1961, entitled, “AN ORDINANCE ACCEPTING THE ANNEXATION OF THE TERRITORY COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE CATO ELEMENTARY NORTHWOOD SCHOOL AREA TO THE CITY OF SHERWOOD, ARKANSAS, ASSIGNING THE TERRITORY TO A WARD; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES”** was read. Alderman Heye, seconded by Alderman Keplinger, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the second reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the second time. Alderman Harmon, seconded by Alderman McMinn, made a motion to suspend the rules and place the ordinance on the third and final reading. The roll call vote was unanimous. The ordinance was read for the third time. Alderman Heye, seconded by Alderman Brooks, made a motion to adopt the ordinance. The roll call vote was unanimous. The emergency clause passed with a unanimous roll call vote.

Under new business Aldermen Heye and Lilly stated that they received several calls from their constituents concerning the recycling pickup over the Thanksgiving Holiday. The recycling was picked up on Saturday, and very few residents knew about it. Aldermen Lilly and Heye asked that the city put up signs similar to what is put up for the city garbage pickup dates.

Alderman Butler asked if the leaf vacuum pickup could be set on a schedule. Brian Galloway, Director of Public Works, stated calls could be made to the Public Works Department and they could receive the approximate day of pickup.

Mayor Hillman made the following announcements:

- Sherwood Trail of Lights, November 26, 2012, through December 30, 2012, Sherwood Forest 6:00 – 9:00 p.m.
- Festival of Lights-Silent Auction, November 29, 2012, 5:00-7:00 p.m. November 30, 2012, 10:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m., December 1, 2012, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Bidding ends at 2 p.m. at The Greens at North Hills
- Sherwood Christmas Parade, Saturday, December 1, 2012, at 2:00 p.m. Rainout date is Sunday, December 2, 2012, at 2:00 p.m.
- Breakfast with Santa, Saturday, December 8, 2012, Sherwood Forest, 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Alderman Keplinger reminded the council that the December council meeting has been moved to December 17, 2012.

Alderman Keplinger, seconded by Alderman Brooks, made a motion to adjourn at 8:07 p.m.

**ATTEST:**

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Angela Nicholson, City Clerk

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Virginia R. Hillman, Mayor

