

CAVE SPRING CITY COUNCIL  
REGULAR MEETING  
JANUARY 10, 2006  
6:00 P.M.

PRESENT	Mayor Rob Ware, Councilmembers Donnie McCain, Nellie McCain, Ken Landers, Kenneth Kelley, Tony McIntosh.
CALL TO ORDER	Meeting was called to order by Mayor Ware.
PLEDGE TO FLAG	Donnie McCain led pledge to the American flag.
SWEARING IN NEWLY ELECTED OFFICIALS	Mayor Ware swore in newly elected councilmembers: Ken Landers, Post 3; Kenneth Kelley, Post 4; Tony McIntosh, Post 5.
PUBLIC COMMENTS	
TODD PADGETT	Councilmember Nellie McCain introduced Todd Padgett, who is the new pastor at Cave Spring First Baptist Church. Mayor welcomed him to Cave Spring.
KATHRON CRIDER	Ms. Crider announced that she is chairperson of an event New Hope Baptist Church is planning for Thanksgiving, 2006. Dinner will be served, and other free services will be provided for those who attend "A Day of Sharing."
SHERRIE CASTLEMAN	Ms. Castleman addressed the Council with concern that children can no longer skateboard downtown. The City attorney stated that the City of Cave Spring has an ordinance prohibiting skateboarding on sidewalks. Randy Lacey stated this has become dangerous with children skateboarding behind the bank and on steps of gazebo. Skating is allowed in Rolater Park, but local children complain there are many holes in pavement there. Mayor Ware stated that City's recreational needs are provided by Floyd County Recreation Department. Larry Hestely is Cave Spring's representative on the Board. Also, Ken Landers, member of Rolater Park Board, stated that citizens are invited to Park Board Meeting to discuss situation.
DERRICK MILLER	Mr. Miller introduced himself as pastor at New Hope Baptist Church and commended the Council for their leadership and support. He stated that his church would like to get more involved in neighborhood as they have vision of much potential in Cave Spring through group effort.
APPROVAL OF PAST MINUTES	MOTION: Nellie McCain made motion to approve past minutes. Kelley seconded. All voted yes.
DAY CARE REPORT	Enrolment is currently 58.
POLICE REPORT	This report was presented in written form.
COURT REPORT	This report was presented in written form. Mayor Ware questioned Public Safety Director Lacey if problem has been solved concerning Floyd County not being able to enter Cave Spring's warrants. City attorney stated he would get with Lacey regarding this.
FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT	City calls represented 46.6%, and County calls were 53.4% of total.

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- WATER REPORT            This report was presented in written form.
- ADJUSTMENTS            MOTION: Kenneth Kelley made motion to approve adjustments. Landers seconded. All voted yes.
- CLERK'S REPORT        Clerk stated the following items were enclosed in packets.  
1. Letter from Charter Communications regarding rate changes.  
2. Worker's Compensation renewal.  
3. Sam's Club donation of \$500 to fire department.  
4. Floyd County Local Option Sales Tax distribution report for 2004.  
Council agreed to have work session/called meeting February 8, 2006.
- MOTION TO PAY BILLS        MOTION: Tony McIntosh made motion to pay bills. Kelley seconded. All voted yes.
- OLD BUSINESS
- OLD CITY HALL ROOF        Ken Landers, Kenneth Kelley, and Mayor Ware examined roof together with Harold Smith of maintenance department. They concluded that roof is in bad condition. Mr. Smith will try to patch it with tar.
- CITIZEN APPOINTMENT TO SPLOST COMMITTEE        MOTION: Kenneth Kelley made motion to appoint Steve Rogers as citizen and Rob Ware as elected official to serve on SPLOST Committee. Nellie McCain seconded. Mayor Ware asked that Tony McIntosh be added as alternate. All voted yes.
- NEW BUSINESS
- CEMETERY DONATION        Council agreed that \$100 donation from Julia Holliday on behalf of the Cox family should be deposited into General Fund for cemetery upkeep.
- ELECTION OF DEPARTMENT HEADS AND MAYOR PRO-TEM        MOTION: Nellie McCain made motion to appoint the following:  
Attorney-Gene Richardson  
Auditor-Finney and Associates  
Municipal Court Judge-Steve Burkhalter  
Engineer-Williams, Sweitzer, and Barnum  
City Clerk-Judy Dickinson  
Public Safety Director-Randy Lacey  
Kelley seconded. All voted yes.
- MOTION: Ken Landers made motion to appoint Kenneth Kelley as Mayor Pro-tem. McIntosh seconded. All voted yes except Kelley, who abstained.
- COUNCIL SELECTION OF EMPLOYEE HOLIDAYS        MOTION: Kenneth Kelley made motion to add Veterans Day and Good Friday to holidays previously observed. Nellie McCain seconded. All voted yes.

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ADJOURN                      Mayor Ware adjourned the meeting.

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