

**CITY OF BLUE SPRINGS, MISSOURI
MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETING
JANUARY 7, 2019**

A meeting of the City Council of the City of Blue Springs, Missouri, was held on Monday, January 7, 2019, 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of the Howard L. Brown Public Safety Building, 1100 Smith Street with Mayor Carson Ross presiding.

**COUNCILMEN IN
ATTENDANCE**

Jerry Kaylor
Chris Lievsay
Ron Fowler

Dale Carter
Kent Edmondson
Susan Culpepper

Also present were City Administrator Eric Johnson, Assistant City Administrator Christine Cates, City Attorney Jacqueline Sommer, and City Clerk Sheryl Morgan.

**CALL MEETING
TO ORDER**

Mayor Ross called the City Council meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Councilman Culpepper requested that item 3e – Delaying the Acceptance of Applications relating to Medical Marijuana be removed from the Consent Agenda and placed at the end of the Consent Agenda for discussion.

CONSENT AGENDA

Councilman Culpepper moved to approve the following Consent Agenda items and the motion was seconded by Councilman Carter.

- **Minutes of the December 17, 2018** City Council meeting
- **Resolution No. 01-2019** approving the disposition of Information Technology and Finance Department records which have met the required retention period
- **Liquor license** approved for Wingstop Beverages III, Inc. dba Wingstop #956 located at 481 NE Coronado Drive Blue Springs, MO 64014, to sell intoxicating malt liquors (beer) only for consumption on premises, including Sunday
- **Liquor license** for Café by Day III LLC dba Clancy's Café and Pub located at 800 NW South Outer Road, Blue Springs, MO 64015, to sell intoxicating liquors by the drink for consumption on premises, Restaurant bar/Lounge bar to include Sunday retail selling of intoxicating liquors by the drink, on the premises, or in original package for consumption on or off premises

The Consent Agenda, with the exception of Item 3e, was approved with the following vote:

Councilman Kaylor – Aye
Councilman Lievsay – Aye
Councilman Fowler – Aye

Councilman Carter – Aye
Councilman Edmondson – Aye
Councilman Culpepper – Aye
Mayor Ross – Aye

**CONSENT ITEM 3E –
MEDICAL MARIJUANA**

Councilman Culpepper explained the purpose for the proposed resolution. Councilman Culpepper moved to approve **Resolution No. 02-2019** directing staff to suspend and delay the acceptance and processing of development applications, applications for building

permits, and business licenses or activities related to medical marijuana as described in Article XVI of the Missouri Constitution, an Amendment approved by the voters of the State of Missouri on November 6, 2018 and effective December 6, 2018. Motion seconded by Councilman Kaylor and carried with the following vote:

Councilman Lievsay – Aye	Councilman Edmondson – Aye
Councilman Fowler – Aye	Councilman Culpepper – Aye
Councilman Carter – Aye	Councilman Kaylor – Aye
	Mayor Ross – Aye

INTRODUCTION AND 1ST READING – BILL NO. 4626 – CALL FOR ELECTION AMENDING CHARTER

Councilman Culpepper introduced Bill No. 4626 calling an election to amend the Charter of the City of Blue Springs and providing for submissions of the Charter amendments to the qualified voters of the City for their approval at the general election called and to be held in the City on April 2, 2019. City Clerk Sheryl Morgan made the first reading of Bill No. 4626 by title; copies of the proposed Bill having previously been made available to the public.

Councilman Fowler moved to approve Bill No. 4626 upon its first reading and proceed with the second reading. Motion seconded by Councilman Culpepper.

MOTION TO AMEND BILL NO. 4626

Councilman Lievsay moved to amend Bill No. 4626 by changing Charter Amendment Question No. 3 to read as follows (redlined):

Shall the Charter of the City of Blue Springs, Article III City Council, Section 3.3, and Article IV Mayor, Section 4.2, be amended (1) to change the minimum age of a ~~Councilmember~~ Mayor from 251 years of age to 215, and (2) to include requirements that a Councilmember and Mayor not be a registered sex offender?

Motion seconded by Councilman Edmondson and failed with the following vote:

VOTE ON MOTION TO AMEND BILL NO. 4626

Councilman Fowler – NO	Councilman Culpepper – NO
Councilman Carter – Aye	Councilman Kaylor – NO
Councilman Edmondson – Aye	Councilman Lievsay – Aye
	Mayor Ross – NO

VOTE ON 1ST READING – BILL NO. 4626

Councilman Edmondson – Aye	Councilman Lievsay – Aye
Councilman Culpepper – Aye	Councilman Fowler – Aye
Councilman Kaylor – Aye	Councilman Carter – Aye
	Mayor Ross – Aye

2ND READING – BILL NO. 4626

Ms. Morgan made the second reading of Bill No. 4626 by title. Councilman Carter moved to adopt Bill No. 4626 upon its second reading and give it **ORDINANCE NO. 4786**, with a copy attached hereto and made a part of the minutes. Motion seconded by Councilman Culpepper and carried with the following vote:

Councilman Carter – Aye	Councilman Kaylor – Aye
Councilman Edmondson – Aye	Councilman Lievsay – Aye
Councilman Culpepper – Aye	Councilman Fowler – Aye
	Mayor Ross – Aye

MAYORAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mayor Ross invited the public to attend the reburial and rededication of the Time Capsule at 11:00 on Thursday, January 10, 2019 at City Hall.

“You have enemies. Good. That means you stood up for something some time in your life*.”

(Winston Churchill)

ADJOURNMENT

At 6:13 p.m., there was no further business to come before the Council, Councilman Carter moved the meeting be adjourned. Motion seconded by Councilman Lievsay and carried unanimously.


Councilman Carter – Aye	Councilman Kaylor – Aye
Councilman Edmondson – Aye	Councilman Lievsay – Aye
Councilman Culpepper – Aye	Councilman Fowler – Aye
	Mayor Ross – Aye

CITY OF BLUE SPRINGS

ATTEST:



 Sheryl Morgan, City Clerk



 Carson Ross, Mayor