

## **CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Knight called to order the regular meeting of the Rutledge City Council on the above date. Council members Bruce Alznauer, Tim Smith, Brenda Thompson and Anthony Sells were present as were members of the public.

## **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Mayor Knight called for and led the pledge of allegiance.

## **SWEARING IN NEW COUNCIL MEMBER**

Mayor Knight swore in new council member Anthony Sells.

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Brenda Thompson made motion to approve the minutes of the December 15, 2015 meeting as submitted. Bruce Alznauer seconded, all voted in favor and motion carried.

## **APPROVAL OF BUSINESS LICENSE – DAVID KELLEY**

Mayor Knight stated that a business license application was submitted by David Kelley for Fresh Nelson Inc. located at 118 Fairplay. He said it is basically a farmers market and is allowed. Bruce Alznauer made motion to approve the business license for Fresh Nelson Inc. Tim Smith seconded, all voted in favor and motion carried.

## **APPROVAL OF BUSINESS LICENSE – ROY EITNIER AND CARLA COLQUETT**

Mayor Knight advised the council that a business license application had been submitted by Roy Eitnier and Carla Colquett for Crown Colony Coffee Company located at 124 Fairplay. He said the use is allowed.

It will be a retail coffee shop and possibly later may have a tasting room.

Brenda Thompson made motion to approve the business license for Crown Colony Coffee.

Tim Smith seconded, all voted in favor and motion carried.

## **GARBAGE CONTRACT REPUBLIC SERVICES**

Mayor Knight informed the council that the garbage contract with Republic Services was set to expire in April. He said Republic had submitted a new proposal. He said we will be putting the new contract out to bid.

## **SPEED HUMP MAINTENANCE**

Mayor Knight said that he had spoken to Ernest Clark and that the paint had been ordered for the speed humps and as soon as weather permitted they would be painted and new reflectors put on them.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

Bruce Alznauer asked about the status of the swings in the park. Debbie Kilgore advised him that we were waiting on some additional parts so they could be installed.

Bruce Alznauer stated that he had attended a steering committee meeting and they had all been very complimentary about Rutledge.

Tony Sells inquired about the placement of a speed hump on Hawkins.

Mayor Knight stated that all the speed humps were placed where the traffic engineer advised.

Bruce Alznauer made motion to adjourn at 7:27. Brenda Thompson seconded, all voted in favor and motion carried.

## **ADJOURN**