Council for the City of Crittenden met for its regular meeting with the following present:

Mayor James C Livingood; Councilperson Clara Brown; Councilperson Jim Purcell; Councilperson Earlene Stumbo; Councilperson Brian Barkley; Councilperson Roger Humphrey; Fire Chief Lee Burton. Guest: See sign in sheet which is attached to the minutes. Absent: Councilperson Donna Duley; City Attorney Joe Taylor.

Mayor Livingood called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Agenda was approved.

Motion by Councilperson Brian Barkley, seconded by Councilperson Clara Brown to approve the minutes of the regular meeting, July 10, 2018. Motion carried, all yes.

Motion by Councilperson Clara Brown, seconded by Councilperson Jim Purcell to approve the treasurer’s reports for the months of July & August 2018 as read. Motion carried, all yes.

Mayor Livingood updated council on the progress of Oakwood Drive.

Council heard the 1st reading of Ordinance No. 264-2018 an ordinance setting the tax rate of $0.203 for tax year 2018.

Motion by Councilperson Roger Humphrey, seconded by Councilperson Earlene Stumbo to increase the bid from $225,000.00 to $235,000.00 to sign the contract today on Worthington Trailer Park with the expectation that all the trailers are removed and/or have a clear title to the city within 120 days of signing the contract. The City will put a $5,000.00 deposit down when the contract is signed. The vote was: Councilperson Jim Purcell - yes; Councilperson Earlene Stumbo – yes; Councilperson Brian Barkley - yes; Councilperson Roger Humphrey - yes; Councilperson Clara Brown – abstain. Motion Carried.

Councilperson Roger Humphrey suggested the City of Crittenden sponsor a meet and greet the candidates running for this November election and provide hot dogs, chips and drinks. Council took no action on this request.

Motion by Councilperson Roger Humphrey, seconded by Councilperson Brian Barkley to allow the use of the Crittenden Fire Department at no cost for the meet and greet candidates. Motion carried, all yes.
Motion by Councilperson Clara Brown, seconded by Councilperson Earlene Stumbo to adjourn to next regular meeting October 2, 2018. Motion carried, all yes.

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James C. Livingood         Megan Simpson
Mayor                          City Clerk/Treasurer