



City of Taylor Mill

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Memorandum

DATE: October 15, 2012
TO: All City Commissioners and Interested Parties
FROM: Daniel L. Bell, Mayor
RE: Special Meeting

The City of Taylor Mill will hold a special meeting on Tuesday, October 16, 2012 at 6:15 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the 911 Parcel Fee enacted by the Kenton County Fiscal Court, and any other business that may be brought before the City Commission for discussion and/or action. The meeting will be held at the Taylor Mill Municipal Building located at 5225 Taylor Mill Road, Taylor Mill, KY, 41015.

For additional information please contact Ms. Jill Bailey, City Administrator, at 581-3234. Thank you.

Daniel L. Bell

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The meeting was called to order at 6:15 p.m. Mayor Bell, Commissioner Murray and Commissioner Reis were in attendance. Commissioner Kreimborg arrived at 6:20 p.m.

Mayor Bell stated that the purpose of the meeting was to discuss the 911 Parcel Fee enacted by the Kenton County Fiscal Court. Kenton County has placed an \$85.00 per parcel fee on the County tax bills, however they are trying to come up with alternate ways to fund the 911 system. In the past, this fee was added to the telephone bills however residents with landlines are becoming less with most using cell phones. The City has drafted a resolution to offer their opinion about this fee. Mayor Bell stated that his opinion is to put the 911 fee on electric bills so that everyone has to pay. As of now with the fee being on the tax bills, only homeowners are paying the fee on their home as well as vacant land. Apartment buildings are receiving one \$85.00 fee per building and the residents of each building are not paying the fee.

CAO Jill Bailey provided a copy of the draft resolution, however stated that changes need to be made due to opinions changing.

Commissioner Murray reiterated that 911 has to be funded somehow, but it is unfair to the homeowners to pay the fee and not renters.

Crozetta Crucey, Stone Mill Condos, stated that she had contacted the Fiscal Court to ask that the fee be added to the vehicle registration and was told that it would be too expensive for individuals with multiple vehicles.

Commissioner Kreimborg stated that approximately a year ago there was a survey that asked the residents for their suggestion on how the fee should be paid and the residents asked for the fee to be added to their electric bill.

Commissioner Reis indicated that he would like more information on this topic since he was not at the last meeting.

Mayor Bell stated that a Duke Representative will be at the next Commission Meeting to be held on October 24, 2012.

Leslie Eldridge, Mill Valley, voiced his concerns that if the fee is added to the electric bill that 911 would be receiving too much money.

Mayor Bell answered Mr. Eldridge by stating that in order to consolidate Boone, Campbell and Kenton Counties into one 911 system, there would be an initial start up fee and that some of that money collected would be used for that purpose as well as maintaining the system.

Ruby Linder, Stone Mill Condos, asked how the consolidated system would know from the call which city to send if there were duplicate street names in different counties.

CAO Bailey stated that the 911 system would recognize which county and city the address was in and dispatch accordingly.

Diana White, Manor Drive, stated that she owns a home and a vacant piece of land and asked if there was a way to have that vacant land exempted from the fee.

Mayor Bell stated that there is an application form that you can download from either the Kenton County or Taylor Mill webpage.

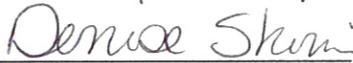
Mayor Bell stated that the resolution will be tabled until the October 24, 2012 Commission Meeting where a new resolution will be brought before the Commission.

There being no further business, Commissioner Murray made a motion to go into executive session per K.R.S. 61.810 (c) discussions of proposed or pending litigation against or on behalf of a public agency. Commissioner Reis made a second. The public meeting went into executive session at 6:55 p.m.

The meeting reopened to the public at 8:33 p.m. Commissioner Murray made a motion to adjourn. Mayor Bell made a second. All in favor. The meeting adjourned at 8:34 p.m.



Mayor Daniel L. Bell

Attest: 
Date: 10/26/12