

COUNCIL CHAMBER CITY OF BELLEVUE, CAMPBELL COUNTY, KENTUCKY

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL FEBRUARY 12, 2025

Board of Council met in regular session on the above date at 7:00 p.m. Mayor Charlie Cleves called the meeting to order. The following answered roll call:

MEMBERS: Kruse, Almoslechner, Ondeck, Guidugli, Bothman and Harp. Mayor Charlie Cleves presiding.

MOTION: By Kruse seconded by Ondeck that the Minutes of Regular Council on January 8, 2025 are accepted as received. Motion carried.

MOTION: By Guidugli seconded by Kruse that the following claims be paid:

General Fund	(60)	\$	104,235.21
General Fund (1/31/25)	(18)		271,626.44
Parks Fund	(4)		2,198.79
Port Bellevue	(2)		635.50
Port Bellevue (1/31/25)	(1)		183.08
Capital Improvement	(4)		2,202.25
City Events	(7)		5,900.64
Harbor Greene Fund	(1)		183,102.51
Municipal Road Aid	(9)		51,643.89
Municipal Road Aid (1/31/25)	(1)		115,383.19

Motion carried.

FOR THE RECORD: John Chamberlin from Chamberlin Owen & Co. Inc, presenting the annual FY24 audit to Council. Mr. Chamberlin advised the firm did not find any issues with internal controls or compliance. Mr. Chamberlin provided an overview of the City's financials.

FOR THE RECORD: Mayor Cleves reported on the following:

Winter Carnival will be held at a new location. The event will be on February 22nd from 12 – 4 pm at Foote/Fairfield.

City is hosting a Treasure Hunt St. Patrick's Day Party on March 8th from 10 – 11 am at the Callahan Community Center.

FOR THE RECORD: Police Lieutenant Alanna Bass stated the department's report is in the packet and reported on the following:

Chief McClain is at the Kentucky Law Enforcement Council meeting.

Three new officers being hired: 1 from Boone Co., 2 new hires that will need to attend the academy.

Just wrapped up the KLC Audit. This is required every 3 years. Pleased to announce that for the first time in a long time the department received a 100%.

FOR THE RECORD:

Fire Chief Brent Schaefer stated his report is provided in the packet and reported on the following:

Two new hires and two promotions.

Mike O'Day, fire board member, received the Lifetime Achievement award.

Sad to report previous Dayton City Council member and member of Kentucky Firefighters Association member John Wiseman has passed away.

THE RECORD:

Code Enforcement Director and Public Services Forman were both absent. City Administrator Warnock stated their reports are provided in the packet.

FOR THE RECORD:

City Administrator Frank Warnock reported on the following:

Riveria Drive will have a route change. SDI will be installing a new sewer line. The traffic planer is being addressed.

The city is attempting to widen Lafayette. Several other companies/contractors involved to get the work completed.

FOR THE RECORD:

Rob Schiller spoke on his concerns regarding city owned property off Berry/Geiger.

FOR THE RECORD:

Charlie Zimmerman, InVue President, provided an InVue update along with their upcoming events.

MOTION:

By Guidguli seconded by Bothman that Order 2025-02-01 an order approving a social contract between the Mayor, Members of the Bellevue Board of Council and City Administrator. Motion carried.

MOTION:

By Kruse seconded by Harp that Order 2025-02-02 an order approving Compass Infrastructure Group, LLC to provide professional engineering services for the City of Bellevue. Motion carried.

MOTION: By Guidugli seconded by Ondeck that Order 2025-02-03 an order authorizing Mayor Charlie Cleves to enter into an interlocal agreement with Southbank Partner, Inc. to serve as a intermediary of the city and the other Southbank cities to pursue regional collaborative strategies to promote economic growth within Bellevue and other cities. Motion carried.

MOTION: By Kruse seconded by Bothman that Resolution 2025-02-01 a resolution opposing any action by the Kentucky General Assembly, in full or in part, that provides for the centralized collection of local occupational business fees/taxes by the Commonwealth of Kentucky. Motion carried.

MOTION: By Ondeck seconded by Guidugli to adjourn at 7:48 p.m. Motion Carried.

Mayor, Charlie Cleves

ATTEST:

Lindy Jenkins
City Clerk/Treasurer