

**TOWN OF ROSSVILLE**  
**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE MAYOR OF BOARD AND ALDERMEN**  
**380 Morrison Road**  
**Rossville, TN 38066**

**July 8, 2025**

Visitors: Karen Pennington, Loretta Bell, Edgar Babian, Steve Chandler, Joseph Howell, Jimmy Thomas, and Barbara Thornton.

The Board Members attending the meeting were Judy Watters, Jeff Wooden, Mike Swessel, Sondra Webb, Sherrie Rinehart and Bobby Williams. Matt Fulcher was absent.

Mayor Watters called the regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen to order at 6:30 p.m. Bobby Williams gave the invocation and lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Watters asked for citizen comments regarding agenda items only, none were suggested. Mike Swessel made the motion to approve agenda, a second from Sondra Webb and a unanimous vote.

The minutes from the June 10, 2025, Regular Board meeting were approved with a motion from Sherrie Rinehart, a second from Jeff Wooden and a unanimous vote.

**Department and Staff Reports:**

- Loretta Bell presented the financials for June, 2025. Sondra Webb made the motion to approve the financials for June, 2025, a second from Bobby Williams and a unanimous vote.
- Chief Chandler reported there were 23 police calls, 231 citation charges, 78 warnings, 1 crash, 2 arrests and 6 incident reports during the month of June.
- Chief Babian reported there were 2 fire calls and 11 medical calls with a response time of 8:40 minutes for the Rossville Fire Department for the month of June.
- Mayor Watters reported the water loss rate for June was 11.6%. The Water Department completed 19 work orders and 41 locates during the month of June. Mayor Watters stated that they repaired a leak in front of the Water Plant.
- Mayor Watters updated the Board of Aldermen on the Planning and Zoning and Design Review Committee meetings. She reported they reviewed the site plan for the rezoning of 50 ft on the east side of Hwy 57 from FAR to B2 for Browning Construction. This was approved.
- Mayor Watters updated the Board of Aldermen that the wells for the new tower are on site an additional updates will be provided at the August meeting.

There was no old or new business to address.

Mayor Watters informed the public that Food Truck Sunday will be this Sunday from 5-7 and Alderwoman Sherrie Rinehart added there will be a new truck this month - 901 Eats.

Being no further business, a motion to adjourn was made at 6:37 p.m. with all members in favor of the motion.

Karen Pennington, Town Recorder

Approved:

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Judy B. Watters, Mayor