September 8, 2025

The New Castle City Commission meeting was held on Monday, September 8, 2025 at 6pm. Present was Mayor Pro-Tem Cheryl Hay, Commissioners Tony Kurtz, Charlie Sevier and Jennifer Delling. Also present was City Clerk Lynn Adams, Public Works Director Joey Bramblett, Asst. PWD Vincent Bates, City Attorney Josh Clubb, Jeff Woods of Raisor, Zapp and Woods and citizens Dale Mahoney and Danny Holcomb.

Mayor Pro-Tem Hay called the meeting to order.

Commissioner Sevier made the motion to accept the minutes from all August meetings as presented. Commissioner Kurtz seconded the motion. The motion did carry unanimously.

Commissioner Kurtz made the motion to approve all financial activity for August of 2025. Commissioner Sevier seconded the motion. It carried unanimously.

Commissioner Sevier checked online balances of all city held accounts.

Jeff Woods then presented the completed audit report for the fiscal year 24/25. He went over several items and encouraged the commission to contact him with any questions that they might have after further review of the lengthy report.

Commissioner Kurtz made the motion to approve the fiscal 2025 audit as presented. Commissioner Sevier seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

64 hours were logged for the City by two deputies for the month of August with 31 traffic stops, 12 citations, 1 arrest, 20 attempts to serve, 21 complaints investigated, one case opened and 20 other incidences handled.

Attorney Clubb is still researching options the City has to address the issue of the property on Center Street. He is contacting the company that is handling the property while it is in foreclosure and he will report at the October meeting.

Commissioner Sevier made the motion to have second reading of Ordinance #25-04, AN ORDINANCE IMPOSING AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE CITY OF NEW CASTLE, KENTUCKY. Commissioner Delling seconded the motion which carried unanimously.

Attorney Clubb gave second reading of Ordinance #25-04.

Commissioner Kurtz made the motion to adopt Ordinance #25-04. Commissioner Sevier seconded the motion. It carried unanimously.

Tony reported that he has spoken with the Director of Animal Control and she advised that they will enforce the cities laws regarding viscous and aggressive dogs and those unleashed. Any citizen may call them directly or call city hall, who in turn will contact animal control with the complaint.

As there was no further business to be addressed, Commissioner Sevier made the motion to adjourn. Commissioner Kurtz seconded the motion, which carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 6:30pm.

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