

**MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC COMMENT MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN
CITY OF BRANSON, MISSOURI, JULY 25, 2005**

The Board of Aldermen of the City of Branson, Missouri, met in the Public Comments session in the Council Chambers of the City Hall on July 25, 2005 at 9:18 p.m. with the following members present:

Mayor Schaefer presiding, with Dick Gass, Beverly Martin, Ron Huff, Dave Edie and Jack Purvis present. Stan Barker was absent.

Also in attendance from the City were: City Administrator Terry Dody, Assistant Administrator Frank Schoneboom, City Attorney Joe Johnson, City Clerk Lisa Westfall, Assistant City Attorney Matt Thompson, Director of Public Works Larry VanGilder, Director of Engineering David Miller, Director of Finance Deanna Schlegel, Fire Chief Carl Sparks, Police Chief Carroll McCullough, Director of Health Linn Smith, Public Information Director Jerry Adams and Director of Planning & Zoning Don Stephens.

Mayor Schaefer called the Public Comments meeting to order and stated the Board would hear citizens that signed up to speak in the order of the first person signing the sheet.

The speakers for the evening were:

Terry Dody, City Administrator
Joe Johnson, City Attorney
Chuck Pennel, 353 Quincy Rd., Kirbyville, MO.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Mayor Schaefer then stated, that concluded the Public Comments section and entertained a motion to adjourn to a closed Executive Session pursuant to 610.021.1 RSMo for litigation; 610.021.2 for real estate, and 610.021.3 for personnel. Alderman Huff made the motion, seconded by Alderwoman Martin. Voting aye: Gass, Martin, Huff, Edie and Purvis. Nays: none. Absent: Barker. Motion carried.

ADJOURN:

Mayor Schaefer entertained a motion to adjourn. Alderman Huff so moved, seconded by Alderman Purvis. Voting aye: Gass, Martin, Huff, Edie and Purvis. Nays: none. Absent: Barker. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 9:40 p.m.