

**MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC COMMENT MEETING
OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN
CITY OF BRANSON, MISSOURI, AUGUST 8, 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 August 8, 2005 at 7:58 p.m. with the following members present:

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

Also in attendance from the City were: City Administrator Terry Dody, Assistant Administrator Frank Schoneboom, City Attorney Joe Johnson, City Clerk Lisa Westfall, Director of Public Works Larry VanGilder, Director of Engineering David Miller, Police Chief Carol McCullough, Director of Health Linn Smith, Director of Economic Development Mike Rankin, 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:

Chuck Pennel, 353 Quincy Rd., Kirbyville, MO
Gary Groman, 230 River Point Rd, Hollister, 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 Alderman Purvis. Voting aye: Gass, Barker, Martin, Huff, Edie and Purvis. Nays: none. Motion carried.

ADJOURN:

Mayor Schaefer entertained a motion to adjourn. Alderman Barker so moved, seconded by Alderman Purvis. Voting aye: Gass, Barker, Martin, Huff, Edie and Purvis. Nays: none. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 8:07 p.m.