

JEFFERSON COUNTY LEAGUE OF CITIES
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March 17, 2016 Minutes
Monthly Member Meeting

Mayor Bill Dieruf, President, welcomed everyone and opened the meeting at 7:00PM, Central Bank/Hurstbourne, 2nd floor Community Room, 9300 Shelbyville Road. He opened the floor for self introductions by attendees.

Mayor Dieruf referred everyone to the Feb. 18, 2016 Monthly Member Meeting minutes at their seat. Motion to accept, second and approved by consensus.

Treasurer's Report: Jack Will gave a Treasurer's report on behalf of JCLC Treasurer, Mayor Jim Ising. Opening balance as of January 31, 2016 of \$6,797.74; income of \$700.10; expenses of \$1538.28; balance as of Feb. 29, '16 of \$5,959.42.
Report accepted as presented.

Mayor Dieruf called on Marty Nemes, Kentucky League of Cities, for a report. Marty reported on the successful Risk and Safety Conference in Louisville last week at which over 200 people attended. Upcoming training sessions: March 31, 2016, Lexington, 'Communicating Like a Leader'; April 27-29, 2016, Louisville, City Officials Academy. He reminded City officials that information is on the KLC website regarding bids for road salt and the cost savings method to cities through purchase.

He gave a brief report on KLC sponsored bills of interest to Jefferson County currently in the Kentucky legislature. The LIFT (local option sales tax/constitutional amendment) has passed the House and is currently in Senate Committee. It will most likely be held over to future session dealing with tax reform legislation. The 12 hour police shift bill has passed the Senate and is in the House Committee. The Abandoned Property Bill is currently in the House.

Mayor Dieruf gave a brief update on the local High Speed Internet Fiber (Google) Initiative that JCLC has been promoting through the City Mayors. The Request for Proposal has been published in the Courier Journal and the Communications Franchise(s) will be awarded on March 30. The JCLC Board and Suburban City Attorneys are currently working on a draft for a Uniform Franchise Agreement (UFA) with representatives of the Metro Mayors office and Google fiber. This agreement will be distributed to City officials for passage after the franchise(s) is awarded. It is necessary document for the Cities to engage with representatives of Google fiber.

Mayor Dieruf called on the program speaker, Tony Lindauer, Jefferson Co. Property Valuation Administrator, for his presentation. Tony introduced Ms. Colleen Younger, PVA Chief of Staff, that will co-present with him. They will be reviewing the 2016 property

assessment process that will occur in many neighborhoods (cities) in northeastern Jefferson Co. He stated that all property must be assessed at 100% fair value by Kentucky law.

He reviewed the procedures for arriving at an assessed value of homes in a specific neighborhood and the citizens recourse to challenge the assessment. They can proceed in the following manner: PVA website, go to this site and view property from all four sides; PVA meeting – setup a conference meeting with PVA to examine current condition of home, improvements, etc. through pictures, etc.

Questions and answers followed the presentation.

The assessment process will start on April 22, 2016 in regions 7, 8, 9, Bardstown Rd, Watterson X-Way to the Ohio River and Jefferson County line. The 2017 assessment will be in regions 4, 5, 6, southwest Jefferson Co. and commercial reassessment.

He encouraged attendees to direct their city residents to www.jeffersonpva.ky.gov and signup under the proper account. This will subscribe you to PVA Online Services. Additional information is at 502-574-6380 from 8AM – 4PM, Monday-Friday

Respectfully submitted,

Jack Will, Executive Director for Mayor David Brown, Secretary

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