

## RESOLUTION 16-09

### RESOLUTION CONCERNING CLOSED SESSION MINUTES

**WHEREAS**, the Illinois Open Meetings Act requires all public bodies to keep written minutes of all of their meetings, whether open or closed; and

**WHEREAS**, the Minutes of closed sessions are only to be available after the public body determines that it is no longer necessary to protect that public interest or the privacy of an individual by keeping them confidential; and

**WHEREAS**, the public body is to make this determination which can be made in closed session; and

**WHEREAS**, after having reviewed the minutes of all closed meetings held during August 2014 thru January 2015 the corporate authorities have determined that the need for confidentiality still exists as to all of those minutes.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEWTON, JASPER COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:**

**SECTION 1:** The Corporate Authorities find that the need for confidentiality still exists in order to protect the public interest and/or privacy of an individual and all such closed session minutes during August 2014 thru January 2015 shall remain closed at this time.

**Closed Session Dates:** 8/19, 9/2, 9/16, 10/7, 10/21, 11/4, 11/18, 12/2, 12/16, 1/6 and 1/20. (No Executive Session 8/5/2014)

**SECTION 2:** This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage.

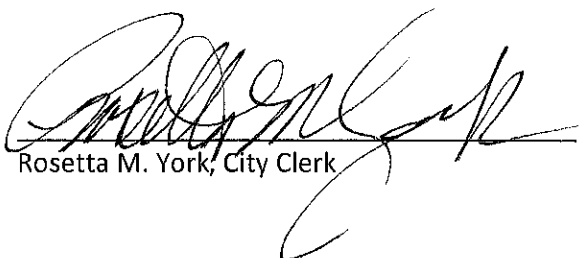
Upon roll call vote the following Alderpersons voted yea: Steve Rubsam, David Brown, Larry Brooks, Robert Reisner, Eric Blake and Scott Bloomberg,

Upon roll call vote the following Alderpersons voted nay: None

**PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 16th day of August 2016.

  
Mark Bolander, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

  
Rosetta M. York, City Clerk