## UNION COUNTY COUNCIL MINUTES October 26, 2015

**PRESENT:** Russel Rude, Tim Williams, Dannie Witter, Burke Thomas, Richard Blank, Pam Tharp, Matt Snyder, Dale Dishmond, Jim Crouch, Beth Richardson, and Gene Sanford.

President Russel Rude opened the meeting by leading the group with the pledge to the flag.

**2016 BUDGET:** Discussion continued on the 27<sup>th</sup> pay issue. It was finally decided that since 2015 pay amounts were used in determining the 2016 budget, the final decision on the pay schedule could be decided at the November Council meeting in preparation for determining the 2016 salary ordinance.

After final review of the 2016 budget, Blank moved to approve the budget as outlined on Budget Form 4, which called for expenses of \$3,975,125 and a tax levy of \$1,842,977. Final tax rates will be determined on the 2106 Budget Order from DLGF. Thomas seconded the motion, and it carried 5-0 with all members present signing the Form 4.

**ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS:** For the Misdemeanor Fund, Thomas moved to appropriate \$4,000.00. Williams seconded the motion and it carried 5-0.

For the GAL/CASA Fund Thomas moved to appropriate \$2,237.63. Blank seconded the motion and it carried 5-0.

**TRANSFERS:** In County General for the Dog Warden, Blank moved to decrease Supplies \$400.00 and increase Part time Help \$400.00. Thomas seconded the motion and it carried 5-0.

MISC: None

There being no further business, Blank moved to adjourn. Thomas seconded the motion and it carried 5-0.