

**SPECIAL SESSION RUSH COUNTY COUNCIL July 26, 2024**

The Rush County Council met on Friday July 26, 2024, at 1:00 p.m. for a special session with the following members present: Charlie Smith, Denny Corn, Amy Grocox, Scott Barnes, Carl Harcourt, and Kyle Gardner. Auditor, Tammy Justice was also present. Rush County Financial Advisor Greg Guerrettaz from Financial Solutions Group Inc. was in attendance via teams. Not present were council member Janet Kile and County Attorney Leigh Morning.

Chairman Charlie Smith called the special session to order at 1:00 p.m.

**The meeting was properly advertised with notice given to the media.**

**The purpose of the meeting is to consider request from the Health Department and 2025 salaries.**

**HEALTH**

- Dixie Meyer requested approval for a temporary part-time nurse at \$25.00 per hour. Carl Harcourt made a motion to approve a temporary part-time nurse at \$25.00 per hour. Seconded by Amy Grocox. All were in favor. Motion carried.

**2025 BUDGET SALARIES**

- Discussion was held on two percent and four percent raise increase and Longevity. The Council instructed HR Director and Auditor's office to come up with different scenarios to include longevity with two percent through four percent raise increases. The Council will meet on August 8, 2024, at 1:00 p.m. for a special meeting to discuss 2025 budget Salaries.

Motion to adjourn was made by Denny Corn. Seconded by Carl Harcourt. All were in favor. Motion carried.

/Charles Smith/  
Charles Smith, Chairman

/Scott Barnes/  
Scott Barnes

/Denny Corn/  
Denny Corn

/Abstain/  
Janet Kile

/Kyle Gardner/  
Kyle Gardner

/Carl Harcourt/  
Carl Harcourt

/Absent/  
Amy Grocox

ATTEST:  
/Tammy Justice/  
Tammy Justice, Auditor