**APPROVED**

**PUBLIC HEARING**

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 2014 @ 6:30PM**

**IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

This Public Hearing was to hear comments for and against the addition to be made to the City of Libby, Municipal Codes pertaining to applied consent in Ordinance # 1841. City Attorney Jim Reintsma spoke to the public and explained the addition to be made and the intent of the new ordinance.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

DC Orr residing at 1117 Nevada Avenue, Libby spoke to the council about his feeling on municipal infractions. Mr. Orr stated he was not in agreement with the addition of the applied consent.

Chief Smith, the City of Libby Police Chief residing at 1417 Louisiana Avenue, Libby spoke to the council and public explaining that the Ordinance addition was only to put a $500 fine for people who will not take the breath test. Mr. Olsen asked Chief Smith prompted him to go to the city attorney to ask for this. Chief Smith stated he had been approached by citizens in the City of Libby about their concerns.

Emily Patton residing at 260 Spencer Hill Avenue in Libby, Mt. stated that breath tests measure ketones not alcohol content and that a diabetic can blow ketones. Emily Patton stated she knows this because she is a diabetic. Emily Patton spoke against Ordinance # 1841.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:45pm.

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Mayor Doug Roll

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City Clerk /Treasurer Glena L. Hook