Minutes-Hickory Withe Community Association July 5, 2018

The meeting was held in the gym of Hickory Withe Baptist Church and was called to order by Bob Kenney.
The local first responders were recognized as the honored guests of the association. First responders included members of 2 fire stations and the sheriff's department. A cookout style meal included hamburgers grilled by Jim Holley and Eddie Hamilton with all the trimmings. Approximately 75 attended the meeting.
Bob Munns and Joe Moore, as the nominating committee, presented the roster of officers for the coming year for the association. Bob Kenney (President), Eddie Brewer (Vice President), Sandra Brewer (Secretary), and Merrel Miller (Treasurer), were re-elected by acclamation after a motion to approve by Homer Bunker, seconded by Terry Leggett.
The guest speaker, Paul Halford, is the training officer for the volunteer fire departments of Fayette County. He recognized Jerry and Sydney Magsig for their continual service as volunteers. He also spoke of what is involved in being a volunteer first responder, including controlling an emergency scene, detecting the hazards involved, and protecting lives and property.
Several people in attendance gave verbal tributes to the volunteer first responders from first hand experiences they have had with the volunteers.
Donations were collected in a fireman's boot to support the 2 fire stations in the Hickory Withe area, Station 10 and Station 14.
The August meeting was announced as a field trip to the UT Somerville campus on Thursday, August 9, 2018.
The meeting was adjourned.
Minutes submitted by Sandra Brewer, Secretary