

# Hickory Withe Community Association

## P.O. Box 72 Hickory Withe, Tennessee 38028-0072 <u>www.HickoryWithe.com</u> Minutes of June 11, 2015 Hickory Withe Community Association

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The meeting was called to order by President Rudy Watkins. The opening prayer led by Rhesa Davis was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.. Elected officials were recognized: present were County Commissioners Homer Bunker and Terry Leggett, Judge Jim Gallagher and Senator Delores Gresham.

Business/Reports:

- <u>Treasurer</u> Jim Mitchell reported on expenses and balances in checking and CD accounts. His report was approved and is on file.
- <u>Secretary</u> Interim Secretary, Joann Allen reported the May minutes were sent to each member via email and were also available at the meeting and on line . A motion to accept the May minutes was made, seconded and was passed. She also read a thank you card from Debbie and Jim Norton for all the kindnesses they have received from the association's members during Jim's recovery.
- <u>Benevolence</u> Interim Chairperson, Joann Allen, reported cards and flowers had been sent to 3 members, Susan Holley, Jim Norton and Ed Patnode.
- <u>Hospitality</u> Chairperson, Inice Patnode, was not present but all who helped with set up and decorations were thanked.

## <u>Program:</u>

• President, Rudy Watkins, introduced the speaker for the evening, Ms. Shannon Kee, president of Memphis Contract Packaging. Ms Kee's company makes hair and skin care products and she passed out samples to all in attendance. She presented a very interesting program telling us of her journey of taking over her father's business and growing it to 300 employees. She also explained how she trained her employees to work together for the betterment of their product and their working environment.

### Announcements:

An update on the health of member, Jim Norton, was given by President, Rudy Watkins. Judge Gallagher told the group of efforts to establish a Carl Perkins Center for abused children in Fayette County. He will keep us updated on progress in this area.

### Business:

• Jane Mitchell reported the results of the Nominating Committee. Jane along with Susan Brewer and Jim Holley proposed the following people for office holders: President - Bob Munns, Vice President: no one as yet, Secretary - Joann Allen, Treasurer - Becky Sue Evans. The officers will be voted on at the July meeting.

There being no further business, the drawing for door prizes was held and the meeting adjourned.

Interim HWCA Secretary, Joann Allen