Hickory Withe Community Association Minutes of November 7, 2013

The Hickory Withe Community Association met on Thursday, November 7, 2013 at Hickory Withe First Baptist Church. President Rudy Watkins opened the meeting at 6:30 pm and recognized visitors and elected officials. Everyone then enjoyed a delicious pot luck dinner.

At 7:00 p.m. the meeting was called to order. The October minutes were approved with no exceptions and reports from the committee chairs followed. In the absence of our treasurer, Jim Mitchell, president Watkins came the treasurer's report. The checking account has a total of \$12,459.01, the CD account has \$50,491.03. Expenditures/donations amounted to: \$508.32. Benevolence chair, Tom Nelson, reported that the committee had reached out to two families who were having health issues last month. Announcements included the Somerville UMC Crafts Fair in Somerville on Nov. 26, the Shoeboxes for Children Mission and the need for Christmas assistance for Galloway mom's.

President Watkins then introduced our speaker, District Attorney General Mike Dunavant who gave an interesting presentation on "Meth Destroys", "What's the Rush" and "Deceptive Danger". These presentations are also given for various groups including schools to raise awareness of these most serious issues facing our state. District Attorney also answered questions from the audience.

President Watkins thanked our speaker for a most informative speech. He also thanked the hospitality committee for the beautiful fall decorations on the tables. He then adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully submitted, acting secretary, Joann Allen