



Hickory Withe Community Association

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Minutes of Nov. 6, 2014

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The meeting was called to order by President Rudy Watkins. Following the opening prayer by Homer Bunker and the Pledge of Allegiance by Don Hokanson, elected officials were recognized: present were Judge Jim Gallagher, County Commissioner Homer Bunker and Somerville Mayor, Robert Turner. Approximately 40 were in attendance.

Business/Reports:

- Treasurer, Rudy Watkins (in Jim Mitchell's absence), reported on expenses and balances in checking and CD . His report is on file.
- Secretary, Beverly Avery provided the minutes from the October meeting which were also posted on the website and approved by all.
- Benevolence - Chairman, Tom Nelson, was not present.
- Hospitality - Chairperson, Inice Patnode thanked everyone for their help with setting up and decorating the tables.

Program:

Robert Turner, Mayor of Somerville, gave a state of the city update which included:

- Sewer system repair and upgrade.
- Upgrade of street lights to LED for cost saving.
- Higher Education Center report working with UT.
- Grants for sidewalks are in progress.

Business:

It was announced that the board is re-considering the re-instatement of the raffle. It was discontinued because it was considered illegal to have except for one time a year for a 501c3 organization. The motion was made to reinstate it beginning in Jan. 2015.

Announcements:

- Our annual participation to provide gifts for some of the Galloway ladies was announced. Jane Mitchell provided the sign-up sheet and names to those that were interested in participating.
- The Somerville Holiday Home tour is Dec. 6th and tickets can be purchased at the Farmer's Market.

The December meeting will be on the 4th with the RSVP Chorus as the guest entertainment. There was no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Beverly Avery, HWCA Secretary