

VIRGINIA: At a Recessed Meeting Of The Tazewell County Board Of Supervisors held January 12, 2010 at 5:30 P.M. in the Tazewell Middle School Auditorium, Tazewell, Virginia 24651

PRESENT: Seth R. White, Chairman
David R. Anderson, Vice Chairman
D. Michael Hymes, Member
Jim Campbell, Member
John Absher, Member
James H. Spencer, III – County Administrator
C. Eric Young, County Attorney
Patricia Green, Assistant County Administrator
Ruth Groseclose, Administrative Assistant
Members of the Press – Jim Talbert, Clinch Valley News/Richlands News Press; Warren Hinkle, Tazewell County Free Press; Charles Owens, Bluefield Daily Telegraph; WVVA TV – Carter Johnson accompanied by WVVA videographer

ABSENT: None

The Chairman of the Board of Supervisors called the recessed meeting to order and presided with all members in attendance.

Supervisor Anderson gave the invocation followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the US Flag.

The Chairman then welcomed all those present and stated on behalf of the entire Board that he realized the proposed Tall Structure Ordinance was a polarizing issue within the county and requested that both sides, for and against, be respectful of each other.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The Chairman then proceeded with the agenda format to consider the adoption of an Ordinance of Vacation to vacate a portion of Second Street in East River Addition between School Street (commonly known as Riverview Drive) and Center Street (commonly known as Citadel Road). A public hearing with regard to the proposed Ordinance of Vacation was held

January 5, 2010 with action deferred for further review and clarification of the PLAT in question.

The County Attorney, Eric Young and Supervisor White met with the property owners and their attorney who previously questioned the accuracy of the Plat. Supervisor White said there was no opposition to the Vacation of Ordinance. However, the Chairman stated he and the County Attorney recommended that the property owners seek guidance from the County's Planning Commission to correct the parcels that may be off their boundaries. He said several houses were in the middle of the street, off their Plats, etc. However, this action will clean up some of the confusion. Now, Supervisor White moved to approve the Ordinance of Vacation with Supervisor Anderson seconding the foregoing with all members present voting in favor thereof and no one against the same:

Ordinance: Public hearing held January 5, 2010

Adopted Date: January 12, 2010 – TMS

WHEREAS, pursuant to §15.2-2006 of the Code of Virginia, (1950), as amended, the Board is authorized to vacate or alter any Public Right of Way located in the County of Tazewell, by ORDINANCE of the governing body of the locality in which the land lies;

WHEREAS, the Board intends to alter or vacate the public right of way being a portion of Second Street in the East Raven Addition near Raven in Tazewell County, Virginia, in the Western District of Tazewell County, between School Street (commonly known as Riverview Drive) and Center street (commonly known as Citadel Road) North of U. S. Route 460;

WHEREAS, each property owner of record whose property adjoins the aforesaid portion of Second Street, as shown in the County's land records, has been notified of the Board's intentions, as required by Statute; and

WHEREAS, notice of a public hearing to consider said vacation, setting forth the description of the right of way to be vacated and stating the time, date and place of the meeting

of the governing body at which the adoption of the ordinance was to be voted upon, was duly published on the 16th day of December 2009, and the 23rd day of December, 2009 in the Clinch Valley News/Richlands News Press a newspaper having general circulation in the County in which the street or alley is located, all as required by §15.2-2006 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds that it is not in the public's interest to continue to have this public right of way; and

WHEREAS, the Board further finds that the requirements for vacation of portions of the plat as contained in §15.2-2006 of the Code of Virginia, (1950), as amended, have been met.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED, that a portion of the road known as Second Street adjacent to Citadel Road and parcels numbered 104A2A 0002, 104A201 0012-0013, 104A201 0022A, 0023, 104A201 0013A, 0014, 104A201 0015-0016, 104A2A 0003, and 104A201 0007, for taxation purposes, shown in the land records of the County to be owned by Trinity Tabernacle Church, Noah Osborne, Nellie Osborne, Norma Jean Johnson Keen, Clayton B. Cline, Jr., Nancy Carol Cline, Jackie Smith, Mack W. Smith, Ronald Oscar Penland, Sidney Allen Sparks, et als., respectively, hereby is vacated pursuant to §15.2-2006 of the Code of Virginia, (1950), as amended. That portion of Second Street to be vacated is hereby described as follows:

That portion of Second Street in East Raven Addition between lots eleven (11) and twelve (12), as shown on a plat recorded in the Tazewell County Circuit Court Clerk's Office in Deed Book 83, pages 320 and 321 described as follows:

From the South East corner of lot Twelve (12) to the North East corner of lot Eleven (11), running along the Northern boundary of lot Eleven (11) to the

North West corner of lot Eleven (11) to the South West corner of lot twelve (12) and then running with the Southern Boundary of lot Twelve (12) to the beginning.

It is so ORDAINED by the Board on this the 12th day of January 2010.

Within sixty (60) days any citizen may appeal the decision of the Board of Supervisors to the Circuit Court of Tazewell County, Virginia. After sixty (60) days no further appeals will be accepted and the decision of the Board will become final. All property vacated will become the property of the adjoining property owners and will no longer be accessible by the public.

**ZONING CONSULTANT RFP APPROVED-
TMH ASSOCIATES**

Supervisor Anderson gave a brief a summary of the scope of services for a Zoning Consultant to assist with the development/drafting of a zoning ordinance for Tazewell County. The County solicited proposals from qualified land use consultants with experience in the development of zoning ordinances for other municipalities (counties in rural areas). The County's Zoning RFP Screening Committee interviewed and selected TMH Associates for negotiations.

Now, upon motion of Supervisor Anderson, seconded by Supervisor Campbell and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby approves a contract, subject to legal review and approval, with TMH Associates to assist the County in the development/drafting of a zoning ordinance for Tazewell County at a cost of \$83,608.00 with further negotiations to be held with regard to community workshops, as well as one-on-one briefings with the Board of Supervisors. The contract will be paid over a two-year period. A copy of the complete contract in final form will be on file in the office of the County Administrator, 108 East Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia.

The Chairman, Seth White welcomed all those present and reminded everyone that there would be order and procedure during the public hearings scheduled this date. He said out-bursts

from the audience would not be tolerated and requested that the audience have respect for those speaking regardless of which side they stood for.

Now, Supervisor Anderson stated that the sign-up sheet would be maintained through 7:00 p.m. in the lobby of the Tazewell Middle School. He then read the public hearing guidelines as approved by the Board of Supervisors and as set forth below:

RIDGELINE ORDINANCE PUBLIC HEARING GUIDELINES

As approved by the Board of Supervisors for Tazewell County January 5, 2010.

1. Speakers will be required to sign a notice of their intent to speak in advance and will be permitted to speak in the order in which they sign.
2. Speakers will not be permitted to reserve a speaking time prior to the sign-up sheet being made available to the public. The sign-up sheet will be available at Tazewell Middle School beginning at 5PM and will continue to be available until 7PM. Each Speaker may only speak once.
3. Each speaker will be afforded two minutes to speak. However, prior to the start of the hearing, the Chair, by rule, may reduce the time in which speakers have to speak to one minute, depending on the number of speakers. By majority vote, the Board may overrule the chair and afford more time to speakers.
4. The hearing will commence at 6:15PM. The Board will hear speakers on the 12th for approximately five hours. The Chair, by rule, may extend the hearing time depending on the number of speakers remaining after the five hours have expired. The Board by majority vote may overrule the chair. If there are remaining speakers after five hours have lapsed, the Board may recess the hearing until another date. At the next hearing date only those speakers who signed to speak, before 7PM on the 12th would be heard.
5. The Board is not required to vote on the ordinance at the end of the hearing. In order to reflect on the comments made and to duly consider the written comments submitted, the Board may not vote on the issue on the 12th. As a courtesy to those persons present solely to see how the Board votes, prior to the hearing the Chair will advise those present whether the Board intends to vote on the ordinance that evening.
6. Also prior to the hearing, the Chair will advise those present that they may submit their comments in writing either *in lieu* of making an oral statement or as a supplement to their statement. The Board will accept written comments delivered at the hearing in person or delivered to the County Administration Building in person or by mail to 108 East Main Street,

Tazewell, Virginia 24651. To be admitted as part of the official hearing record, comments must be signed with a return address and delivered before January 27th, 2010.

7. In the event of inclement weather, the Board will convene the hearing on the 12th and recess until another date and place of the Boards choosing. Whether the weather requires an alternate or supplemental date will be determined by a majority of the Board then present.

8. These rules may be amended by majority vote of the Board at any time.

BOARD CONCERNS

Carlock Center /Gym Bluefield Virginia

Supervisor Hymes briefly addressed the lease/negotiations between the School Board and the Town of Bluefield with regard to the school gym within the Town of Bluefield. Each board member received a copy of the draft contract. Supervisor Anderson said that a total of approximately \$1.8 million had been committed for the project by the Town of Bluefield and an out-side organization (Shott Foundation) for the Carlock/gym facility. Mr. Hymes stated that his only concern was the fact that the building would belong to the school board, which would require maintenance and upkeep, electricity, etc. by the school system. He said that he wanted everything discussed up front because many citizens had talked to him and were concerned.

Supervisor Anderson stated that he would keep the Board apprised of further discussions with Mr. Patton on this subject and again applauded the founders and supporters of the project.

Supervisor White requested that the County Administrator set up a budget meeting with the School Board prior to the February 2, 2010 regular meeting to discuss this matter and to address the recycling plan in cooperation with the school system.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

Chairman White then gave the floor to the Chairman of the Planning Commission, Thomas B. Childress who called the Planning Commission meeting to order for the purposes of conducting two joint public hearings with the Board of Supervisors, i.e. Revisions to the Tazewell County Comprehensive Plan and the Proposed Ordinance to Regulate Construction of Tall Structures on Certain Ridgelines in Tazewell County, Virginia.

Then, Chairman White called for a recess of three (3) minutes to allow those in attendance time to be seated in the auditorium, after which the meeting was duly reconvened.

JOINT PUBLIC HEARING –

The Chairman called to order a **JOINT PUBLIC HEARING** with the Tazewell County Planning Commission that was duly advertised according to law, to consider adopting revisions to the “TAZEWELL COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN”, to wit: to consider changes to the Land Use Map, defined as Parcels 125 A2-0046 and 126 A2 0013 be designated as Industrial on the Comprehensive Plan – Land Use Map. The property is currently designated as Agricultural and Forrestral and is owned by Jim Sam Gillespie, Jr. located in the Claypool Hill Virginia area south of Route 460 and on the east side of the WalMart shopping center. The permitted land uses shown in the plan will be the basis of any future-zoning ordinance enacted by the County. However, the Comprehensive Plan currently is not a law or ordinance, rather, a recommendation by the Tazewell County Planning Commission and adoption by the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors indicates their intentions to establish this plan as the official guide for development of the County in the areas of economic development, housing, quality of life, and land use. Copies of the plan are available at the County Administrator’s Office at 108 East Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia and in the office of the Circuit Court Clerk in the Tazewell County Court House, Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia.

Chairman White then called for public comments from the floor with regard to the subject public hearing and there being none, he declared the public hearing closed.

Now, following recommendation by the Planning Commission that the Tazewell County Comprehensive Plan be amended as hereby proposed, Chairman White called for a motion to adopt the amendments to the Land Use Map, defined as Parcels 125A2-0046 and 126 A2 0013 be designated as Industrial on the Comprehensive Plan – Land Use Map. Supervisor Anderson made the motion to adopt the revisions as hereby proposed and requested that the rollback tax letter as presented by the County Attorney be included as part of the record. Supervisor Hymes seconded the foregoing motion and which motion was unanimously approved with all members voting in favor and none against. A copy of the Comprehensive Plan and the Land Use Map is on file in the office of the County as well as the rollback tax letter delivered to the County Attorney by Robert Altizer, Esq. Counsel for the property owner and dated January 12, 2010.

JOINT PUBLIC HEARING

REGULATE CONSTRUCTION OF TALL STRUCTURES ON CERTAIN RIDGELINES IN TAZEWELL COUNTY, VIRGINIA

The Chairman, Seth R. White read the procedures with regard to the public hearing to hear concerns to REGULATE CONSTRUCTION OF TALL STRUCTURES ON CERTAIN RIDGELINES IN TAZEWELL COUNTY, VIRGINIA. He outlined the way the Board would conduct the hearing with regard to how speakers would be heard as well as the deadline for written comments to be delivered at the hearing in person or delivered to the County Administration Building in person or by mail to 108 East Main Street, Tazewell, Virginia. To be admitted as part of the official hearing, comments must be signed with a return address and delivered before January 27, 2010. He also informed those present that sign-up sheets for the record, In Favor/Not In Favor, were available in the foyer of the Tazewell Middle School and persons wishing to sign the sheets could do so which would be made part of the record and incorporated by reference.

The Chairman, Seth R. White in conjunction with the Tazewell County Planning Commission, then gave the floor to the County Attorney, Eric Young who gave a brief summary of the proposed Ordinance to Regulate Tall Structures on Certain Mountain Ridgelines held, pursuant to Section 15.2-2295.1 of the Code of Virginia, as set forth below:

“The Ordinance as proposed would prohibit construction of certain “tall structures” on elevations in excess of 2,000 feet above sea level. A tall structure is defined as a structure standing over 40 feet tall from its base. The ordinance would require that tall structures built in certain areas would be built a distance of three times their height from any dwelling or from the boundary of adjoining property. The Ordinance provides for the prohibition of structures over specific incremental heights at certain elevations on designated, protected ridgelines in the County. The Planning Commission may waive these restrictions where the proposed site is located on a Ridgeline designated as area D. The Ordinance would strictly prohibit tall structures from being built on area A ridgelines. Area A ridgelines are East River Mountain and Burkes Garden Mountain. The Ordinance provides for a process whereby landowners may apply for a variance should they desire to build a structure that otherwise would not be permitted by the Ordinance. The Ordinance also provides for an Appeals Board for property owners who believe the ordinance has been inappropriately applied to their property.”

Now, the Chairman called for public comments from the floor regarding the subject public hearing. Each speaker was allowed two (2) minutes to speak. The following individuals spoke voicing either opposition or support of the proposed ordinance:

1. Joyce J. Johnston, 619 Fairway St. Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
2. Wallace Angles, 716 Tazewell Ave. Bluefield, VA 24605 – Against the ordinance
3. Charles Stacy, 518 Sable Lane, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
4. Ann Czarnik, 1152 Triangle Rd. Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
5. Frazier Miller, Windcircle Dr. Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
6. Amy Flick, PO Box 124, 346 E. Water St. Pocahontas, VA 24635 – In favor of the ordinance
7. Randall Rose, 305 Canterbury Road, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
8. Dr. Teresa Paine, 1152 Triangle Rd. Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
9. Jason (Jay) Shott, Diamond Back Reality, Cove Creek, VA – In favor of the ordinance
10. Will Czarnik, 1152 Triangle Road, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
11. Cynthia Wadsworth, 260 Hodges Dr. West Jefferson, N.C. Ashe County – In favor of the ordinance
12. Alex Payne, 392 Century Lane, Bluefield, VA 24605 – Against the ordinance
13. Jennifer Payne, 392 Century Lane, Bluefield, VA 24605 – Against the ordinance
14. Lois Mullins. 985 Fincastle Farms, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
15. Betty Slade, 142 Ashworth Ln. Bluefield, VA 24605 – Against the ordinance
16. Emil Avram (Dominion), East River Mt., 24605 – Against the ordinance
17. David T. Larimer, 111 Ben Bolt Ave. Tazewell, VA 24651 – In favor of the ordinance
18. Zach C. Rose, 305 Canterbury Rd. Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of ordinance
19. Dallas Sparks, 163 Blackberry Lane, Burkes Garden, Tazewell, VA 24651 – In favor of ordinance
20. Noah Moore, 410 Moore Mt. Road, Cedar Bluff, VA 24609 – In favor of ordinance
21. Mark Tyson, 299 Miracle Lane, Tazewell, VA 24651 – In favor of ordinance
22. Steve Lyons, 262 Bow St. Richlands, VA 24641 – Against the ordinance

23. Charlie Cole, 109 Titleist Drive, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of ordinance
24. Donna Bell, 3171 West End Road, Burkes Garden, VA 24651 – In favor of the ordinance
25. Mike Bell, 3171 West End Road, Burkes Garden, VA 24651 – In favor of the ordinance
26. Frances Lester, 423 Marion Ave. Tazewell, VA 24651 – In favor of the ordinance
27. Betty Brainerd, 3341 Mudfork Road, North Tazewell, VA 24630 – In favor of the ordinance
28. Harold Brainerd, 3341 Mudfork Road, North Tazewell, VA 24630 – In favor of the ordinance
29. Roger Mullins, 985 Fincastle Farm, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
30. James Welch, 861 Slade Road, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
31. James Brown, P.O. Box 547, Richlands, VA 24641 - Against the ordinance
32. Terri Cole, 109 Titleist Drive, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
33. Fred Lawless, 4230 Gose Mill Road, Tazewell, VA 24651 – In favor of the ordinance
34. Cheryl Carbaugh, 2010 Tazewell Ave. Tazewell, VA 24651 – In favor of the ordinance
35. Fred Lester, 423 Marion Avenue, Tazewell, VA 24651 – In favor of the ordinance
36. Jack H. Thompson, 159 Foxborough St., North Tazewell, VA 24630 – Against the ordinance
37. Jack Z. Thomson, 905 Wyevalley Road, Bastian, VA – Against the ordinance
38. Norma Smith, 144 Sable Ln. Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
39. Joseph Smith, 144 Sable Ln. Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
40. Phyllis Horwitz, 135 Fawn Circle, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
41. Dahmon Ball, 310 Bottom Road, Raven, VA 24639 – Against the ordinance
42. Jerry Gravely, Box 603, 343 Paradise Rd. Pocahontas, VA 24635 – In favor of the ordinance
43. Dewey Perkins, 440 Round Mountain Road, Burkes Garden, VA 24651 – In favor of the ordinance
44. Michelle Perkins, 440 Round Mountain Road, Burkes Garden, VA 24651 – In favor of the ordinance

45. Jack Schwarz, 42 College Drive, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
46. Karel Ryan, 504 East Fincastle, Tazewell, VA 24651 (left –did not speak) In favor of the ordinance
47. Lloyd D. Evans, Fincastle Farm, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
48. Marcia P. Munsey, 263 Montclair Circle, North Tazewell, VA 24630 – In favor of the ordinance
49. Melinda Fanning, 624 Blue Jay, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
50. Ann Robinson, 486 Hunter Lane, PO Box 11, Falls Mills, VA - In favor of the ordinance
51. Laura Rogers, 2625 Belleview Ave. Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
52. Joan B. Monaco, Bland Rd. Bluefield, WV 24701 – (left –did not speak) In favor of the ordinance
53. Kathryn R. Bayless, 1122 Fincastle Farms, Bluefield, VA 2465 – In favor of the ordinance
54. Bruce Remines, 327 Gulf Port Drive, Bluefield, VA 24605 – Against the ordinance
55. Bob Johnson, 619 Fairway, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
56. Donna Kelly, 644 Sedgewren, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
57. Jason Herdon, 1201 Iron Street, Richlands, VA 24641 – Against the ordinance
58. Dr. Charles Olmsted, 1420 Lebanon Street, Bluefield, WV 24701 – In favor of the ordinance
59. Sherry Bauguess, 175 Monte Vista Ln. Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
60. Joe Nicholson, 7322 Burkes Garden Road, Tazewell, VA 24651 – Against the ordinance
61. Janet Gunn, 605 Robin Street, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
62. David Cox, Rt. 2 Box 367 M. Bluefield, VA 24605 (left, did not appear)
63. Zane D. Christian, 414 Fincastle Hts. Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
64. Robert B. Brittian, 508 Marion Ave. Tazewell, VA 24651 (left, did not appear)
65. Stacy Rose, 305 Canterbury Rd. Bluefield, VA 24605 (left, did not appear)
66. Naomi Greever Levison, 205 Greever Ridge Rd., Burkes Garden, VA 24608 – In favor of the ordinance

67. Henry Nickels, 4936 Witten Valley, Tazewell, VA 24651 – In favor of the ordinance
68. Charlie Bauguess, 175 Monte Vista, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
69. Ellen Kitts, 493 Upper Valley Road, Tazewell, VA 24651 – (left, did not appear)
70. Jonathan Romeo, 612 Indian Paint Rd. Pounding Mill, VA 24637 (left – in favor of the ordinance)
71. Melissa Stacy, 518 Stable Lane, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
72. Greg Cruey. 1732 Mundy Town Road, North Tazewell, VA 24630 - In favor of the ordinance
73. David Moore, 1380 Salina Rd. North Tazewell, VA 24630 – (left, did not appear)
74. Jay C. Kelly, 644 Sedgewren, Bluefield, VA 24605 (left, in favor of the ordinance)
75. Jim Huffman, 498 Oak Grove Farm Road, Burkes Garden, VA 24608 – Against the ordinance
76. Ervin Rich, 200 Richwood Circle, Bluefield, VA 24605 – Against the ordinance
77. Ellen Elmes, 7902 Pea Patch Road, Jewell Ridge, VA – Against the ordinance
78. Frank Horne, 698 Industry Rd. North Tazewell, VA 24630 – In favor of the ordinance
79. J.S. Gillespie, 896 Pounding Mill Road, Pounding Mill, VA 24637 – Against the ordinance
80. Jackie Baldwin, 2120 Wardell Road, Pounding Mill, VA 24637 – (left, did not appear)
81. Mark Smith, 241 Valley Drive, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
82. Vickie Miller, 155 Lumbardy Rd. Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
83. Lloyd Sargent, Jr., 992 Burkes Garden Road, Tazewell, VA 24651 – In favor of the ordinance
84. Wayne Evans, 45 College Drive, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
85. Keith Able, 208 Winter Creek Drive, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
86. Daniel Slade, 201 Big Springs Ave. Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
87. Norma J. Rupley, 207 Harmony Hills, Tazewell, VA 24651 – In favor of the ordinance

88. Stephen DeGray, 406 Canterbury Road, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
89. Danny Robinson, PO Box 11, Falls Mills, VA (left –did not appear) In favor of the ordinance
90. Marvin C. Woods, Sr. 624 Fincastle Ln. Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
91. Larry Douglas, 627 Quail Drive, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
92. Frank Britton, 603 Ashley Way, Bluefield, VA 24605 – In favor of the ordinance
93. Larry Irick, Tazewell, VA 24651 – Against the ordinance
94. Garnet Bandy, 1497 Healing Springs Road – North Tazewell, VA 24630 - In favor of the ordinance
95. Amy Brooks Carter, 610 Schoolhouse Road, North Tazewell, VA 24630 – In favor of the ordinance
96. Jack Chambers, 125 Barnett Drive, Tazewell, Virginia 24651 – In favor of the ordinance

Ninety-six (96) individuals placed their name on the “sign of sheet” to speak, with eighteen (18) voicing opposition to the ordinance and with seventy-one (71) in favor of the ordinance and with seven (7) leaving before speaking.

Chairman White then called for comments three (3) times from the floor for any individual who signed the list to speak but missed the opportunity to do so. Now, there being none, he declared the public hearing closed.

The Chairman thanked all those who attended the meeting and said the Board of Supervisors appreciated all the comments received during the scheduled public hearing.

ADMITTED FOR RECORD

Now, upon motion of Supervisor Hymes, seconded by Supervisor Anderson and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby admits into record the proceedings/written documents submitted to County Staff this evening and with said documents attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference; as well as the petitions for and against the ordinance as signed at the sign up table during this meeting, and finally to admit into the record the list of speakers as hereby attached to these minutes and incorporated herein by reference.

ADJOURN

Now, there being no further business to be transacted, and upon motion of Supervisor Anderson, seconded by Supervisor Hymes and adopted by a vote of 5 to 0, with all members present and voting in favor thereof and no one against the same, the Tazewell County Board of Supervisors hereby adjourns this meeting.

Seth R. White, Chairman

By: Rg