

**Minutes
Mocksville Board of Commissioners
Regular Board Meeting
July 5, 2011**

The Town of Mocksville Board of Commissioners met in regular session on Tuesday, July 5, 2011 at 4:00 p.m. in the Mocksville Town Hall.

Present:	Mayor F.W. Slate	Absent:	None
Commissioners Present:	Richard Broadway Buster Cleary Bill Foster Will Marklin Lash Sanford		

Others Present:

Christine W. Bralley, Town Manager
Beth N. Thompson, Administrative Assistant
Hank Van Hoy, Town Attorney
Jackie Seabolt, Davie County Enterprise

Mayor F.W. Slate called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone.

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Commissioner Lash Sanford to approve the minutes of the June 7, 2011 Regular Board Meeting. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Will Marklin and approved by a unanimous vote.

A motion was made by Commissioner Lash Sanford to approve the minutes of the June 20, 2011 Special Called Meeting Budget Public Hearing. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Will Marklin and approved by a unanimous vote.

Public Comment – No one present to speak.

Mayor Slate commented on the Retirement reception for Margaret Shew extending appreciation to Hank Van Hoy for a commendable job.

Fee Schedule Amendment – Re: Code of Ordinances 5-5.8 (A) – Nuisance Removal any weeds or other vegetation having an overall height of more than 18 inches.

An amendment was presented to the board for the Fee Schedule to include Nuisance Removal High Grass (exceeds 18 inches) weeds and overgrowth. The average rate is \$200.00.

A motion was made by Commissioner Bill Foster to amend the fee schedule to include Nuisance Removal of High Grass or other vegetation with overall height of 18 inches for residential properties at \$200.00. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Buster Cleary and approved by a unanimous vote.

Manager Bralley informed the board that another amendment may be made to the fee schedule for the next meeting for Smoke testing. This testing will determine a sewer leak within a residence.

Manager's Report

A leaf nuisance is being looked at in reference to leaves being raked to the street after the town pickup and left. The concern is the harboring of animals or other issues.

The Codification of the Ordinances is slower than anticipated, due to table confusion on the land use section for planning and zoning.

The July 4th fireworks at Rich Park attendance was down due to weather.

Patching by the Department of Transportation has been done to North Main Street.

Commissioners Report

Commissioner Marklin attended the combined COG meeting. The budget is in place and everything is going as planned.

Commissioner Sanford stated he would like the board to address the fact of making the Town more accessible for walkers, bike riders, etc. this year.

Manager Bralley stated that the Pedestrian Plan by the Department of Transportation should be in process this year. The town would only be paying 20% of the project.

Adjourn

A motion was made by Commissioner Bill Foster to adjourn the July 5, 2011 Regular Board Meeting. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Buster Cleary and approved by a unanimous vote. The meeting adjourned at 4:17 p.m.

Mayor

Town Clerk