



**TOWN OF ABINGDON, VIRGINIA
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
MONDAY, JANUARY 5, 2015 – 7:30 P.M.
COUNCIL CHAMBERS
MUNICIPAL BUILDING**

Welcome to the Town of Abingdon, Virginia Regular Council Meeting. We appreciate your interest and we encourage public participation in our meeting. Your comments are important to our decision making process. Please note that there will be two (2) opportunities during the meeting for you to address the Council members. The first opportunity will come when the Mayor declares a public hearing open for comment. The second opportunity to address the council will come near the end of the Agenda when the Mayor will inquire if anyone wishes to speak to Council members regarding matters not listed on the Agenda. We do request that anyone addressing the Council, approach the podium, identify your first and last name and give your complete mailing address.

A. WELCOME – *Mayor Morgan*

B. ROLL CALL – *Cecile Rosenbaum, Town Clerk*

C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE - *Tony Sullivan, Chief of Police*

D. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- December 1, 2014 Work Session minutes
- December 1, 2014 Regular Meeting minutes

E. SPECIAL EMPLOYEE RECOGNITIONS - *Greg Kelly, Town Manager*

- Recognition of **Shirley Atkins**, Finance Department, on her retirement from the town after nineteen and half (19.5) years of service
- Recognition of **Margaret Plummer** on her retirement from the Coomes Recreation Center after eleven (11) years of service
- Recognition of **C.J. McGlothlin**, Police Department and Assistant Fire Chief on his ten (10) years of service to the town
- Recognition of **James Agner**, Coomes Recreation Center, on his twenty (20) years of service to the town

F. PETITIONS, PUBLIC HEARINGS AND FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES

1. **Public Hearing – Donation of Property** - Council will receive comments from the public regarding a Deed of Gift of a portion of property from Amy Michelle Castle and Violet Cecilia Castle Rierson to the town of Abingdon, Harrison Magisterial District, Washington County, Virginia and more particularly designated as a part or portion of tax map number

002-2-9 located on Whites Mill Road and Clark Street in the town of Abingdon, Virginia
– *Deb Icenhour, Town Attorney*

G. SECOND READINGS – None.

H. SECOND READINGS OF ORDINANCES – None.

I. CONSIDERATION OF ANY BIDS – None.

J. REPORTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER

1. Consideration of addition of Chuck Banner, Director of Finance, as a third (3rd) signature on town banking accounts - *Greg Kelly, Town Manager*
2. Consideration of establishment of an Emergency Management committee – *John McCormick, Fire Chief and C.J. McGlothlin, Assistant Fire Chief*
 - a. Recommendations and appointment of initial members for service on the committee
 - John McCormick, Fire Chief
 - C.J. McGlothlin, Assistant Fire Chief
 - Tony Sullivan, Chief of Police
 - Bob Howard, Council Member representative
 - Mike Mason, Washington County Life Saving Crew
 - Pokey Harris, County Emergency Services Coordinator

K. RESOLUTIONS – None.

L. MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA

M. APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

- ***Tourism Advisory Board***
 - Appointment of a representative to the Committee from the Bed and Breakfast establishments in town to fill the expired term of Jim Cowan, owner of Summerfield Inn, who is not eligible for reappointment

- ***Fairview Homestead Committee***
 - Appointment of two (2) members to fill the expired terms of Vickye Hall and Lois Humphreys who are not eligible for reappointment

N. COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS

O. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- January 9th- January Jams at Barter Theatre with Jill Andrews and Dom Flemons
- January 10th- January Jams at Barter Theatre with David Bromberg Quintet
- January 14th – Chamber of Commerce Annual Awards Luncheon
- January 15th- Crooked Road Open Jam at Heartwood
- January 16th- Lee-Jackson Day- Offices Closed
- January 16th- January Jams at Barter Theatre with Heritage Blues Orchestra
- January 17th- January Jams at Barter Theatre with The Blind Boys of Alabama
- January 19th- Martin Luther King, Jr. Day- Offices Closed
- January 23rd- January Jams at Barter Theatre with Ben Sollee
- January 24th- January Jams at Barter Theatre with Greensky Bluegrass
- January 27th through 29th – Annual VML Legislative Day in Richmond
- January 29th- January Jams at Barter Theatre with Mavis Staples
- January 29th- Crooked Road Open Jam at Heartwood
- February 2nd – Council Work Session and Regular Meeting

P. ADJOURNMENT

**TOWN OF ABINGDON
COUNCIL WORK SESSION
MONDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2014 – 5:30 P.M.
ARTHUR CAMPBELL MEETING ROOM – MUNICIPAL BUILDING**

A Work session meeting of the Abingdon Town Council was held on Monday, December 1, 2014 at 5:30 p.m. in the Arthur Campbell meeting room of the Municipal Building.

A. ROLL CALL

Members of Council Present:

Mayor Edward B. Morgan
Mrs. Cathy Lowe, Vice Mayor
Mr. Richard E. Humphreys
Mr. Robert M. Howard
Mrs. Jayne A. Duehring

Administrative Staff:

Gregory W. Kelly, Town Manager
Cecile Rosenbaum, Town Clerk/Int.Asst. Town Manager
Deb Icenhour, Town Attorney
John Dew, Director Public Services/Construction
Chuck Banner, Dir. of Finance
Matthew Johnson, Dir. of Planning

Visitors:

Rich Macbeth, Susan Howard, Quinn Craughwell, Steven Still, Jerry Camper and others

The following items were discussed by Council:

1. John Dew, Director of Public Services/Construction introduced Steven Still who provided an update on the Urban Path project. Mr. Humphreys inquired about bicyclist on the path and the tie in of the path with Virginia Highlands Community College. Mr. Still reviewed the footprint for the path and noted a “pinch point” near the current Wolf Hills Brewery location. Quinn Craughwell, landscape architect, updated the Council on the proposed landscape plans for the path and noted several additions of resting stations, markers, trash receptacles and signage. Mr. Still noted that the project could be completed in phases to coincide with budget restrictions and suggested doing the west end from Muster Grounds to Depot Square first, second phase would be the east end and the third phase would be the trailhead improvements with the bid process starting in April/May. Mr. Still indicated that the area of Sutton Street to Preston Street remained an area of concern but expected to work through the issues in the coming months. Mayor Morgan thanked everyone for their work and noted that Council was looking forward to the completion of the project.

2. At this time Mr. Dew asked if he could address the lighting of town streets issue as raised by several Council members in the weeks prior to the meeting. Mr. Dew commented on the installation of LED lighting and noted the high cost of replacement for LED. Mrs. Duehring inquired about the spacing of the street lights and noted that areas around Barter and Courthouse hill are not adequately lit. Council asked that Mr. Dew provide an update on the lighting and crosswalk issues at the January meeting.
3. Mr. Kelly commented on the status of the Allied Center for Rural Health and the updates needed for the Memorandum of Understanding with the town and the Center. Ms. Icenhour, Town Attorney provided Council with a copy of the current agreement and noted that it was expected to be an agenda item for consideration at the January meeting.
4. Mr. Kelly reported on his recent meeting with Marcy Miller, Director of William King Museum and several of her board members. Mr. Kelly noted that the group plans to pursue establishing studio space in the vacant county building located adjacent to the museum. Mr. Kelly inquired if Council members could attend the ribbon cutting for the new Academy Drive entrance on Saturday, December 6th.
5. Ms. Rosenbaum, Assistant Town Manager reported on the plans for the Council retreat planned for the weekend of February 20 – 22, 2015. Mayor Morgan asked that all members place the date on their 2015 calendars.
6. Ms. Rosenbaum, Clerk inquired if Council wished to hold a mid-month December meeting and it was decided to dispense with that meeting due to the holidays.
7. Jerry Camper owner of Virginia Creeper Trail Bike Shop inquired about a proposal for a bicycle tax in town.

Mayor Morgan declared a 5 minute recess for Council and Town staff to reconvene in the Council Chambers for the regular 7:30 meeting.

Edward B. Morgan, Mayor

Cecile M. Rosenbaum, Town Clerk

**TOWN OF ABINGDON
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
MONDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2014 – 7:30 P.M.
COUNCIL CHAMBERS - MUNICIPAL BUILDING**

A regular meeting of the Abingdon Town Council was held on Monday, December 1, 2014 at 7:30 p.m. in the Council chambers of the Municipal Building.

A. Welcome by Mayor Morgan

B. Roll Call – Cecile Rosenbaum, Town Clerk

Members of Council Present: Edward B. Morgan, Mayor
Mrs. Cathy Lowe, Vice Mayor
Mr. Richard E. Humphreys
Mr. Robert M. Howard
Mrs. Jayne A. Duehring

Administrative/Town Staff: Gregory W. Kelly, Town Manager
Cecile Rosenbaum, Clerk/Int. Asst. Town Manager
Deborah Icenhour, Town Attorney
John Dew, Dir. Public Services/Construction
Deborah Atkins-Vance, Dir. Human Resources
Kevin Worley, Dir. of Parks & Recreation
Kevin Costello, Dir. of Tourism
John McCormick, Fire Chief
CJ McGlothlin, Code Enforcement/Asst. Fire Chief
Jon Phelps, IT Department

C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by three (3) members of Boy Scout Troop 222 of Abingdon.

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**D. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- October 22, 2014 Work Session Meeting
- November 4, 2014 Work Session Meeting
- November 4, 2014 Regular Meeting
- November 19, 2014 Work Session Meeting

**On motion of Mr. Howard, seconded by Mrs. Lowe, the Council approved the minutes of the November 4, 2014 Work Session and Regular meetings and the November 19, 2014 Work Session meeting minutes as presented.**

**The roll call vote was as follows:**

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|----------------------|------------|
| <b>Mr. Howard</b>    | <b>Aye</b> |
| <b>Mr. Humphreys</b> | <b>Aye</b> |
| <b>Mrs. Duehring</b> | <b>Aye</b> |
| <b>Mrs. Lowe</b>     | <b>Aye</b> |
| <b>Mayor Morgan</b>  | <b>Aye</b> |

**On motion of Mrs. Duehring, second by Mr. Howard, the Council approved the minutes of the October 22, 2014 as presented.**

**The roll call vote was as follows:**

|                      |                                                    |
|----------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Mr. Howard</b>    | <b>Aye</b>                                         |
| <b>Mr. Humphreys</b> | <b>Abstain</b> ( <i>Mr. Humphreys was absent</i> ) |
| <b>Mrs. Duehring</b> | <b>Aye</b>                                         |
| <b>Mrs. Lowe</b>     | <b>Abstain</b> ( <i>Mrs. Lowe was absent</i> )     |
| <b>Mayor Morgan</b>  | <b>Aye</b>                                         |

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E. SPECIAL EMPLOYEE RECOGNITIONS - *Greg Kelly, Town Manager*

- Recognition of Ann Newman, Horticulturist, on her retirement from the town after thirteen (13) years of service
- Recognition of Linda Lawson on her retirement from the Abingdon Police Department after twenty-seven (27) years of service

Mr. Kelly presented Mrs. Newman and Ms. Lawson with a clock, framed town seal, and gift card in thanks for their many years of service to the town.

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**F. PETITIONS, PUBLIC HEARINGS AND FIRST READING OF ORDINANCES - None.**

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G. SECOND READINGS – None.

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**H. SECOND READINGS OF ORDINANCES - None.**

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I. CONSIDERATION OF ANY BIDS – None.

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**J. REPORTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER**

**1. Consideration of confirmation of Chuck Banner as the Director of Finance for the town of Abingdon.**

Greg Kelly, Town Manager commented that the town's Charter required that the Council confirm all department head hires and recommended that Council confirm Mr. Chuck Banner as the Director of Finance.

**On motion of Mrs. Lowe, seconded by Mr. Howard, the Council confirmed the hire of Chuck Banner as the town's Director of Finance.**

**The roll call vote was as follows:**

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|----------------------|------------|
| <b>Mr. Howard</b>    | <b>Aye</b> |
| <b>Mr. Humphreys</b> | <b>Aye</b> |
| <b>Mrs. Duehring</b> | <b>Aye</b> |
| <b>Mrs. Lowe</b>     | <b>Aye</b> |
| <b>Mayor Morgan</b>  | <b>Aye</b> |

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2. Consideration of confirmation of Matthew Johnson as the Director of Planning for the town of Abingdon.

Greg Kelly, Town Manager commented that Matthew Johnson had been hired as the town's Director of Planning recommended that Council confirm his hire into that position.

On motion of Mr. Humphreys, seconded by Mrs. Lowe, the Council confirmed the hire of Matthew Johnson as the town's Director of Planning.

The roll call vote was as follows:

Mr. Howard	Aye
Mr. Humphreys	Aye
Mrs. Duehring	Aye
Mrs. Lowe	Aye
Mayor Morgan	Aye

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**3. Consideration of motion made by Council at the regular September meeting relative to the Wolf Creek Stream Restoration Project.**

Greg Kelly, Town Manager commented that Council had made a motion at the September 2014 meeting authorizing an appropriation of \$1,300 to the Department of Game and Inland Fisheries, from their contingency, for the Wolf Creek Stream Restoration Project. Mr. Kelly reported they would need to rescind that motion and make a new motion so the appropriation can be handled by the local chapter of Trout Unlimited.

On motion of Mr. Humphreys, seconded by Mr. Howard, Council rescinded their motion made at the September 2, 2014 meeting that *stated "On motion of Mr. Humphreys, seconded by Mr. Howard, the Council appropriated the amount of \$1,300, from Council contingency funds, to the Department of Game and Inland Fisheries for the Muster Grounds Wolf Creek Stream Improvement Project"*.

The roll call vote was as follows:

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|---------------|-----|
| Mr. Howard    | Aye |
| Mr. Humphreys | Aye |
| Mrs. Duehring | Aye |
| Mrs. Lowe     | Aye |
| Mayor Morgan  | Aye |

**On motion of Humphreys, seconded by Mr. Howard, Council appropriated the amount of \$1,250 to the Trout Unlimited local chapter, from their contingency funds, for the Muster Grounds Wolf Creek Stream Improvement Project.**

The roll call vote was as follows:

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|---------------|-----|
| Mr. Howard    | Aye |
| Mr. Humphreys | Aye |
| Mrs. Duehring | Aye |
| Mrs. Lowe     | Aye |

Mayor Morgan      Aye

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K. RESOLUTIONS – None.

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**L. MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA**

- Rich Macbeth of 1149 Panorama Drive, Abingdon commented on his safety concerns for Empire Drive and inquired if there was an update from VDOT.

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- Mr. Humphreys wished everyone a Merry Christmas
  - Mrs. Lowe commented that she is unable to attend the ribbon cutting at William King on the 6<sup>th</sup> of December as she will be out of town visiting with her granddaughter.
  - Mayor Morgan commented on the harvest of heritage corn at Fairview

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M. APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

1. Tourism Advisory Committee

- *Tourism Advisory Board*
 - Appointment of Susan Yates, Depot Artists Association, and she is eligible to serve a second term

On motion of Mrs. Lowe, seconded by Mr. Humphreys, the Council appointed Susan Yates from the Depot Artists Association to a second term on the Tourism Advisory Committee.

The roll call vote was as follows:

Mr. Howard Aye
Mr. Humphreys Aye
Mrs. Duehring Aye

Mrs. Lowe **Aye**
Mayor Morgan **Aye**

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Mayor Morgan declared the meeting adjourned.

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Edward B. Morgan, Mayor

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Cecile M. Rosenbaum, Town Clerk

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### LEGAL NOTICES



#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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Gregory W. Kelly, Town Manager  
December 4, 2014

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### BOATS



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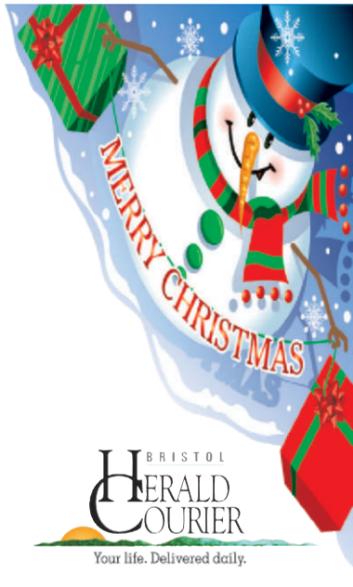
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### — IN COLUMN LINE ADS —

|                             |                               |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Wednesday, December 24..... | Tuesday, December 23, 9 AM    |
| Thursday, December 25.....  | Tuesday, December 23, 10 AM   |
| Friday, December 26 .....   | Tuesday, December 23, 2 PM    |
| Saturday, December 27 ..... | Friday, December 26, 10 AM    |
| Sunday, December 28.....    | Friday, December 26, 12 Noon  |
| Monday, December 29 .....   | Friday, December 26, 2 PM     |
| Tuesday, December 30.....   | Monday, December 29, 10 AM    |
| Wednesday, December 31..... | Tuesday, December 30, 12 Noon |
| Thursday, January 1.....    | Tuesday, December 30, 12 Noon |
| Friday, January 2 .....     | Wednesday, December 31, 2 PM  |
| Saturday, January 3 .....   | Friday, January 2, 10 AM      |
| Sunday, January 4.....      | Friday, January 2, 12 Noon    |
| Monday, January 5 .....     | Friday, January 2, 2 PM       |

### — DISPLAY ADVERTISING —

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| Wednesday, December 24..... | Monday, December 22, 12 Noon  |
| Thursday, December 25.....  | Monday, December 22, 2 PM     |
| Friday, December 26 .....   | Tuesday, December 23, 2 PM    |
| Saturday, December 27 ..... | Tuesday, December 23, 4 PM    |
| Sunday, December 28.....    | Wednesday, December 24, 10 AM |
| Monday, December 29 .....   | Friday, December 26, 12 Noon  |
| Tuesday, December 30.....   | Monday, December 29, 12 Noon  |
| Wednesday, December 31..... | Monday, December 29, 2 PM     |
| Thursday, January 1.....    | Tuesday, December 30, 11 AM   |
| Friday, January 2 .....     | Tuesday, December 30, 2 PM    |
| Saturday, January 3 .....   | Tuesday, December 30, 4 PM    |
| Sunday, January 4.....      | Wednesday, December 31, 10 AM |
| Monday, January 5 .....     | Friday, January 2, 12 Noon    |



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Gregory W. Kelly, Town Manager  
December 4, 2014

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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### TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 21311 CAPRI AVENUE, ABINGDON, VIRGINIA 24211 COUNTY OF WASHINGTON

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### TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 2622 SHAWNEE AVENUE E., BIG STONE GAP, VIRGINIA 24219

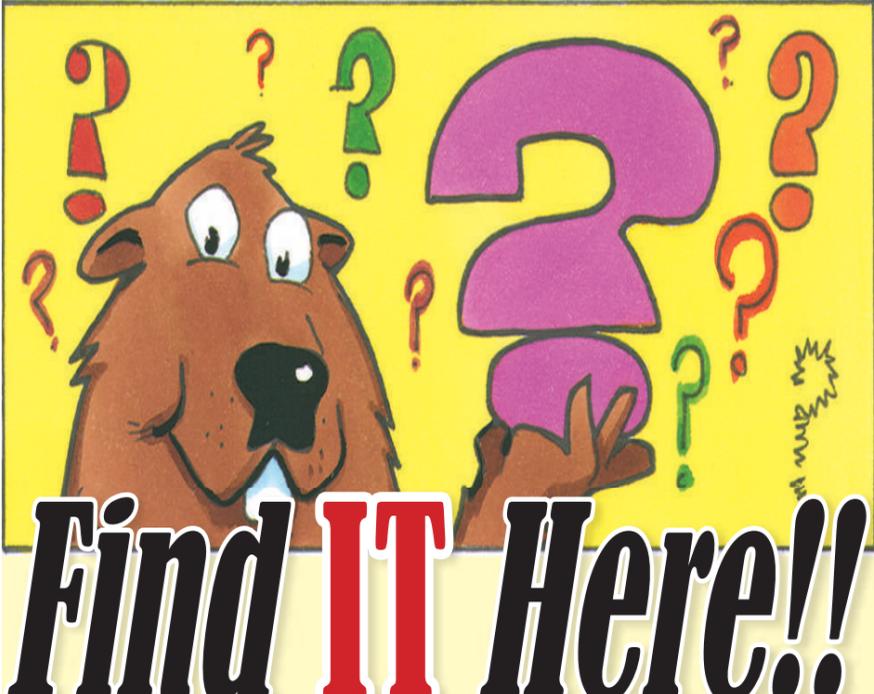
COUNTY OF WISE, as erroneously omitted from the foreclosing deed of trust. In execution of a certain deed of trust dated 10/20/05, in the original principal amount of 53,841.24 recorded in the County of Wise, Virginia, as Instrument No. 200504747, as amended by an instrument appointing the undersigned as Substitute Trustee, default having occurred in the payment of the Note thereby secured and at the request of the holder, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in the front of the building housing the Circuit Court of the COUNTY OF WISE, VA located at 206 East Main Street, Wise, Virginia, 24293 on **January 21, 2015, at 8:30 am**, the property described in said deed of trust, located at the above address, with improvements thereon and more particularly described as follows: LOT 3, PLAT 1, CONTAINING 28,527.83 SQUARE FEET OR 0.655 ACRE, PLAT RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NUMBER 200100793 RECORDED IN WISE COUNTY. TERMS OF SALE: Neither the Substitute Trustee nor the holder of the note secured by the deed of trust will deliver possession of the property to the successful bidder. The purchaser at the sale will be required to pay all closing costs. Real estate taxes, water/sewer fees and other public charges will be prorated as of the date of sale. The risk of loss or damage to the property passes to the purchaser immediately upon the conclusion of the Substitute Trustee's sale. Terms: A bidder's deposit of ten percent (10%) of the sale price or ten percent price (10%) of the original principal balance of the subject deed of trust, whichever is lower, in the form of cash or certified funds payable to the Substitute Trustee must be present at the time of sale. The balance of the purchase price will be due within 15 days at the office of the Substitute Trustee. Time is of the essence as to the closing date and the payment of the purchase price. If payment of the balance does not occur within fifteen days of the sale date, the deposit will be forfeited. Seller shall not be responsible for any costs incurred by the purchaser in connection with their purchase or settlement, including, without limitation, state and local recording fees, title insurance or research, or any other costs of purchaser's acquisition. Trustee shall have no duty to obtain possession for purchaser. All risks of casualty pass to successful bidder at conclusion of bidding. The property and the improvements thereon will be sold "AS IS" and without representation or warranties of any kind. The sale is subject to all liens, encumbrances, conditions, easements and restrictions, if any, superior to the mentioned deed of trust and lawfully affecting the property. Sale is subject to post-sale confirmation that the borrower did not file for protection under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code prior to the sale, as well as to post-sale confirmation and audit of the status of the loan with the loan servicer including, but not limited to, determination of whether the borrower(s) entered into any repayment agreement, reinstated or paid off the loan prior to the sale. In any such event, the sale shall be null and void, and the Purchaser's sole remedy, in law or equity, shall be the return of the Purchaser's deposit without interest. Additional terms to be announced at the sale. Pursuant to the Federal Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, we advise you that this firm is a debt collector and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. The Substitute Trustee is Surety Trustees, LLC, 722 E. Market Street, Suite 203, Leesburg, VA 20176. For information contact: Abby Moynihan, McCabe, Weisberg & Conway, attorney for Substitute Trustee at 301-490-3361 or [www.mwc-law.com](http://www.mwc-law.com).

### TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 915 CHURCH STREET, WYTHEVILLE, VIRGINIA 24382

COUNTY OF WYTHE, as erroneously omitted from the foreclosing deed of trust. In execution of a certain deed of trust dated 02/28/07, in the original principal amount of 63,570.19 recorded in the County of Wythe, Virginia, as Instrument No. 070000844, as amended by an instrument appointing the undersigned as Substitute Trustee, default having occurred in the payment of the Note thereby secured and at the request of the holder, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in the front of the building housing the Circuit Court of the COUNTY OF WYTHE, VA located at 225 S. Fourth Street, Wytheville, Virginia, 24382 on **January 21, 2015, at 2:00 pm**, the property described in said deed of trust, located at the above address, with improvements thereon and more particularly described as follows: BEING THE SOUTHWESTERN CORNER OF LOT CONVEYED IN DEED BOOK 129, PAGE 244, ALL MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED IN INSTRUMENT NO. 070000844, IN WYTHE COUNTY. TERMS OF SALE: Neither the Substitute Trustee nor the holder of the note secured by the deed of trust will deliver possession of the property to the successful bidder. The purchaser at the sale will be required to pay all closing costs. Real estate taxes, water/sewer fees and other public charges will be prorated as of the date of sale. The risk of loss or damage to the property passes to the purchaser immediately upon the conclusion of the Substitute Trustee's sale. Terms: A bidder's deposit of ten percent (10%) of the sale price or ten percent price (10%) of the original principal balance of the subject deed of trust, whichever is lower, in the form of cash or certified funds payable to the Substitute Trustee must be present at the time of sale. The balance of the purchase price will be due within 15 days at the office of the Substitute Trustee. Time is of the essence as to the closing date and the payment of the purchase price. If payment of the balance does not occur within fifteen days of the sale date, the deposit will be forfeited. Seller shall not be responsible for any costs incurred by the purchaser in connection with their purchase or settlement, including, without limitation, state and local recording fees, title insurance or research, or any other costs of purchaser's acquisition. Trustee shall have no duty to obtain possession for purchaser. All risks of casualty pass to successful bidder at conclusion of bidding. The property and the improvements thereon will be sold "AS IS" and without representation or warranties of any kind. The sale is subject to all liens, encumbrances, conditions, easements and restrictions, if any, superior to the mentioned deed of trust and lawfully affecting the property. Sale is subject to post-sale confirmation that the borrower did not file for protection under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code prior to the sale, as well as to post-sale confirmation and audit of the status of the loan with the loan servicer including, but not limited to, determination of whether the borrower(s) entered into any repayment agreement, reinstated or paid off the loan prior to the sale. In any such event, the sale shall be null and void, and the Purchaser's sole remedy, in law or equity, shall be the return of the Purchaser's deposit without interest. Additional terms to be announced at the sale. Pursuant to the Federal Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, we advise you that this firm is a debt collector and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. The Substitute Trustee is Surety Trustees, LLC, 722 E. Market Street, Suite 203, Leesburg, VA 20176. For information contact: Abby Moynihan, McCabe, Weisberg & Conway, attorney for Substitute Trustee at 301-490-3361 or [www.mwc-law.com](http://www.mwc-law.com).

### TRUSTEE'S SALE OF 389 SUNNY ROAD, MAX MEADOWS, VIRGINIA 24360 COUNTY OF WYTHE

**THIS PROPERTY WILL BE SOLD SUBJECT TO A 120 DAY RIGHT OF REDEMPTION BY THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE .**  
In execution of a certain deed of trust dated 11/04/02, in the original principal amount of 178,000.00 recorded in the County of Wythe, Virginia, as Instrument No. 020005115, as amended by an instrument appointing the undersigned as Substitute Trustee, default having occurred in the payment of the Note thereby secured and at the request of the holder, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in the front of the building housing the Circuit Court of the COUNTY OF WYTHE, VA located at 225 S. Fourth Street, Wytheville, Virginia, 24382 on **January 21, 2015, at 2:00 pm**, the property described in said deed of trust, located at the above address, with improvements thereon and more particularly described as follows: TRACT 1: LOT 36, CONTAINING 8.95 ACRES, SHOWN ON PLAT RECORDED IN INSTRUMENT NO. 98002636. TRACT 2: LOT 35A, CONTAINING 3.81 ACRES, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED IN PLAT BOOK 10, PAGE 100 (SLIDE 376), RECORDED IN WYTHE COUNTY. TERMS OF SALE: Neither the Substitute Trustee nor the holder of the note secured by the deed of trust will deliver possession of the property to the successful bidder. The purchaser at the sale will be required to pay all closing costs. Real estate taxes, water/sewer fees and other public charges will be prorated as of the date of sale. The risk of loss or damage to the property passes to the purchaser immediately upon the conclusion of the Substitute Trustee's sale. Terms: A bidder's deposit of ten percent (10%) of the sale price or ten percent price (10%) of the original principal balance of the subject deed of trust, whichever is lower, in the form of cash or certified funds payable to the Substitute Trustee must be present at the time of sale. The balance of the purchase price will be due within 15 days at the office of the Substitute Trustee. Time is of the essence as to the closing date and the payment of the purchase price. If payment of the balance does not occur within fifteen days of the sale date, the deposit will be forfeited. Seller shall not be responsible for any costs incurred by the purchaser in connection with their purchase or settlement, including, without limitation, state and local recording fees, title insurance or research, or any other costs of purchaser's acquisition. Trustee shall have no duty to obtain possession for purchaser. All risks of casualty pass to successful bidder at conclusion of bidding. The property and the improvements thereon will be sold "AS IS" and without representation or warranties of any kind. The sale is subject to all liens, encumbrances, conditions, easements and restrictions, if any, superior to the mentioned deed of trust and lawfully affecting the property. Sale is subject to post-sale confirmation that the borrower did not file for protection under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code prior to the sale, as well as to post-sale confirmation and audit of the status of the loan with the loan servicer including, but not limited to, determination of whether the borrower(s) entered into any repayment agreement, reinstated or paid off the loan prior to the sale. In any such event, the sale shall be null and void, and the Purchaser's sole remedy, in law or equity, shall be the return of the Purchaser's deposit without interest. Additional terms to be announced at the sale. Pursuant to the Federal Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, we advise you that this firm is a debt collector and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. The Substitute Trustee is Surety Trustees, LLC, 722 E. Market Street, Suite 203, Leesburg, VA 20176. For information contact: Abby Moynihan, McCabe, Weisberg & Conway, attorney for Substitute Trustee at 301-490-3361 or [www.mwc-law.com](http://www.mwc-law.com).



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**TOWN OF ABINGDON, VIRGINIA  
INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM**

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**TO:** MR. GREGORY W. KELLY, TOWN MANAGER  
**FROM:** MATTHEW JOHNSON, DIRECTOR OF PLANNING/ZONING ADMINISTRATOR   
**SUBJECT:** PUBLIC HEARING – PROPOSED SUBDIVISION OF PROPERTY. TAX MAP NO. 002 (2) 9.  
**DATE:** 12/31/2014  
**CC:** MS. CECILE ROSENBAUM, ASST. TOWN MANAGER

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A public hearing was held on Monday, 22 December 2014 at the December Planning Commission meeting in regard to the proposed subdivision of property from Amy Michelle Castle and Violet Cecilia Castle Rierson to the Town of Abingdon for part or portion of Tax Map No. 002 (2) 9, located on Whites Mill Road and Clark Street, in the Town of Abingdon.

The proposal was presented to the Planning Commission and on a motion of Mr. Kelly, second by Councilman Humphreys, the request to approve the subdivision to this property is recommended for approval by the Town Council.

The vote was as follows:

Mr. Bundy - Not present  
Mr. Austin - Aye  
Mr. Craig - Not present  
Ms. Costello - Aye  
Mr. Shazor - Not present  
Councilman Humphreys - Aye  
Mr. Kelly - Aye

MJ/jc

*This Deed is exempt from recordation fees pursuant to Code of Virginia, Ann., 1950, as amended, §48.1-811D*

**DEED OF GIFT  
BY AND BETWEEN  
AMY MICHELLE CASTLE and VIOLET CECILIA CASTLE RIERSON, DONORS  
AND  
THE TOWN OF ABINGDON, VIRGINIA, DONEE**

This **DEED OF GIFT** made and entered into this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014, by and between **AMY MICHELLE CASTLE and VIOLET CECILIA CASTLE RIERSON** (hereinafter "Donors") whose address is 356 Clark Street, Abingdon, Virginia 24212 and **TOWN OF ABINGDON, VIRGINIA**, a Municipal Corporation, incorporated pursuant to the Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended, whose address is P. O. Box 789, Abingdon, Virginia 24212 (hereinafter "Donee").

**WITNESSETH:**

That for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) cash in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by the Donor, the Donor hereby gives, grants, conveys with **SPECIAL WARRANTY OF TITLE** unto Donee, the following described real estate (hereinafter "Property"), with improvements thereon and appurtenances thereunto pertaining, to-wit:

*That one certain lot or parcel of land, consisting of 7,065.58 sq. ft. or 0.162 AC.,±, together with all improvements thereupon and all appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate, lying and being in the Harrison Magisterial District of Washington County, Virginia in the Town of Abingdon, Virginia and more particularly described in deed recorded as Instrument No. 000025895 and described on a plat made by Addison Surveyors and signed by L.R. Addison, L.S., dated November 10, 2014, entitled "PLAT SHOWING THE DIVISION OF THE PROPERTY OF AMY MICHELLE CASTLE TO BE CONVEYED TO THE TOWN OF ABINGDON, VIRGINIA". Property Address: 341 and 341 and 356 Clark Street and 533 Whites Mill Road, Abingdon, Virginia, 24210.*

*BEING a portion of the property described in the Quitclaim Deed dated May 15, 2002 from Sarah Rachel Reynolds, Grantor to Amy Michelle Castle and Violet Cecilia (Castle) Rierson, Grantee, of record as Instrument No. 000025895 in the Office of the Circuit Court Clerk of Washington County, Virginia.*

This conveyance is made subject to all easements, conditions, restrictions, rights of way and zoning regulations, including but not limited to flood plain regulations, of record, which may affect the Property herein conveyed.

The 2014 Washington County, Virginia real estate taxes shall be prorated as of the date of closing.

WITNESS the following signatures on this the day and year first above written.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Amy Michelle Castle**

Commonwealth of Virginia  
County of Washington; to-wit:

The foregoing Deed of Gift was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of December, 2014 by Amy Michelle Castle.

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Registration No.: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Violet Cecilia Castle Rierson**

State of \_\_\_\_\_  
County/City of \_\_\_\_\_; to-wit:

The foregoing Deed of Gift was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of December, 2014 by Violet Cecilia Castle Rierson.

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Registration No.: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

**THIS DEED PREPARED BY:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Deborah C. Icenhour, Esq.  
Town of Abingdon, Virginia  
133 West Main Street  
Abingdon, Virginia 24210  
(276) 492-2149  
dicenhour@abi ngdon-va.gov

TOWN OF ABINGDON  
**TOURISM ADVISORY COMMISSION**  
 CURRENT MEMBERS & ENTITY REPRESENTED  
 APPOINTMENT & EXPIRATION DATES  
 3-YEAR TERMS

Staff Contact: Kevin Costello, Executive Director for Tourism  
 Phone Number: 276-676-2282  
 Updated: December 1, 2014

| Name                             | Entity Represented                     | Address                                           | Phone #                              | Appointment Date                                       | Term Expiration Date                                     | Eligible for Another Term |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Christine Webb</b>            | Barter Theatre                         | 133 West Main Street<br>Abingdon, VA<br>24210     | 276-628-2281                         | December 7, 2009                                       | (3 year term)<br>December 7, 2015<br>(Reappt Jan. 2013)  | No                        |
| <b>Kim Stewart</b>               | VA Higher Ed Center                    | P.O. Box 1987<br>Abingdon,<br>Virginia 24212      | 276-613-4380                         | February 1, 2010<br>(Reappt 8/13)                      | (3 year term)<br>August 5, 2016                          | No                        |
| <b>Cathy Lowe</b>                | Council Member                         | P O Box 1165<br>Abingdon, VA<br>24212-1165        | 276-628.4342                         | January 7, 2013                                        | (3 year term)<br>January 7, 2016                         | Yes                       |
| <b>Rick Humphreys, Alternate</b> | Council Member                         | 148 Crestview Drive<br>Abingdon, VA<br>24210      | 276.608.3465                         | January 7, 2013                                        | (3 year term)<br>January 7, 2016                         | Yes                       |
| <b>James Cowan</b>               | Summerfield Inn, B&B                   | 101 Valley Street, NW<br>Abingdon, VA<br>24210    | 276-628-9505                         | November 3, 2008                                       | (3 year term)<br>November 3, 2014<br>(Reappt. Nov. 2011) | No                        |
| <b>Janet Woolwine</b>            | A Likely Yarn and Renaissance Projects | 185 Crestview Drive<br>Abingdon VA<br>24210       | 276-628-8433                         | November 4, 2013 to fill unexpired term of Vickye Hall | (3 year term)<br>June 2, 2014                            | Yes                       |
| <b>Susanne Lay Ex-Officio</b>    | Chamber of Commerce                    | 179 East Main Street<br>Abingdon, VA<br>24210     | 276-628-8141                         |                                                        |                                                          | Continual                 |
| <b>Joel Jerkins</b>              | J&J Entertainment Group                | 115 Charwood Drive<br>Abingdon, VA<br>24210       | 276-525-4999                         | August 2, 2014                                         | (3 year term)<br>August 1, 2017                          | Yes                       |
| <b>Carson Jackson</b>            | Greer Jewelers                         | 19265 Triple Crown Drive<br>Abingdon, VA<br>24211 | 276-628-7468 (H)<br>276-628-3672 (W) | February 7, 2011                                       | (3 year term)<br>February 1, 2017 (Reappt 2/14)          | No                        |

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|---------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|-----|
| <b>Marcy Miller</b> | William King Museum                                                       | 415 Academy Drive<br>Abingdon, VA<br>24210           | 276-628-5005                 | February 7, 2011                                                            | (3 year term)<br>February 1, 2017<br>(Reappt 2/14) | No  |
| <b>Chris Lowe</b>   | Martha Washington Inn                                                     | 150 W Main Street<br>Abingdon, VA<br>24210           | 276-619-5260                 | December 2, 2013                                                            | (3 year term)<br>December 2, 2016                  | Yes |
| <b>Donna Price</b>  | Holston Mtn. Artisans                                                     | 24722 Walden Road<br>Abingdon, VA<br>24210           | 276-628-6234<br>276-628-7721 | May 2, 2011                                                                 | (3 year term)<br>May 1, 2017<br>(Reappt 2/14)      | No  |
| <b>Martha Keys</b>  | Retired/<br>President of<br>Historical<br>Society of<br>Washington<br>Co. | P O Box 2184<br>Abingdon, VA<br>24212                | 276-628-2987                 | November 4, 2013 to fill unexpired term of Polly Mallory (5.2.14 expired)   | (3 year term)<br>May 2, 2017                       | Yes |
| <b>Becky Nave</b>   | Virginia Housing and Community Development                                | 468 E Main Street Suite 300B<br>Abingdon VA<br>24210 | 276-492-2400                 | November 7, 2011<br>(Replaced Todd Christiansen)<br>Appointed November 2014 | (3 year term)<br>November, 2017                    | Yes |
| <b>Susan Yates</b>  | Depot Artists Association (The Arts Depot)                                | 314 Depot Square<br>Abingdon VA<br>24210             | 276-628-9191                 | December 5, 2011<br>(reappt Dec 2014)                                       | (3 year term)<br>December, 2017                    | No  |
| <b>Susan Howard</b> | Advance Abingdon                                                          |                                                      |                              |                                                                             |                                                    |     |



*TAC Application  
Bed & Breakfast*

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**\*\*\*PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE\*\*\***

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name Janice Cowan Date December 15, 2014

Address 101 Valley Street NW City/State Abingdon, VA Zip 24210

Do you live inside the Town limits of Abingdon? YES  NO

Telephone: Home 628-5905 Work 628-5905  
Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

**PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT** Summerfield Inn, Bed and Breakfast

Address 101 Valley Street NW

Description of job duties: Owner, Innkeeper

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND** Please list including names of all schools and years attended.

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**BOARD PREFERENCE**

Are you currently serving on a board or commission of the Town of Abingdon? Yes  No

If so, which Board(s) or Commission(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

When do(es) your present term(s) expire? (mm/yy) \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you ever served on any boards or commissions in the past either here or in other localities? Yes  No   
If so, what were they and when did you serve?

Virginia Highlands Festival (Arts & Crafts) 2000 to Present

Jubilee House Retreat Center - 2003-2009; Committee Chair - 2005-2009

Please list the name(s) of the board(s) to which you are applying or seeking reappointment to (see attached list and board and commission description): The Tourism Advisory Committee

Why do you wish to serve the Town in this capacity? Do you have an area of interest or background that you believe would be a beneficial service in this capacity? If so, what is it and how would it be helpful?

As a small business owner dealing with the lodging industry for more than sixteen years and serving on the Virginia Highlands Festival since 2000, I have considerable insight and experience in the tourism industry as well as the importance of Festival vendors and tourist. Prior to becoming an innkeeper, I was employed by the U.S. Government as a Business Analyst and contracting officer. As a Virginia Bed & Breakfast Association member since 1998, I have participated in annual and regional meetings pertaining to our industry including tourism, marketing, advertising and Internet presence. As a resident of the Abingdon Historic District and a Bed and Breakfast owner, I am aware of the importance of planned tourism and business growth. I believe I can provide relevant input to the tourism committee.

*To the best of my ability, all information on this application is truthful.*

SIGNATURE

Janise Cowan

**TOWN OF ABINGDON**  
**FAIRVIEW COMMITTEE**  
**CURRENT MEMBERS**  
**ADDRESSES & PHONE NUMBERS**  
**APPOINTMENT DATES & EXPIRATION DATES**

Staff Contact: Garrett Jackson, Director of Planning  
 Phone Number: 276-628-3167

UPDATED: October 8, 2013

| <b>Name</b>                            | <b>Address</b>                                     | <b>Phone #</b> | <b>Appointment Date</b> | <b>Term Expiration Date</b>       | <b>Eligible for Another Term</b> |
|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <b>Lois Humphreys</b>                  | 490 N. Court Street<br>Abingdon, VA 24210          | 276-628-5040   | August 11               | (two year term)<br>August 2014    | No                               |
| <b>Don Hagy</b>                        | 20293 Millbrook Drive<br>Abingdon, VA 24211        | 276-676-2541   | August 11               | (two year term)<br>August 2015    | No                               |
| <b>Vicky Hall</b>                      | 215 Williams Street<br>Abingdon VA 24210           | 276-628-3357   | August 11               | (two year term)<br>August 2014    | No                               |
| <b>Deb Icenhour</b>                    | P.O. Box 789 Abingdon<br>VA 24212                  | 276-628-3167   | August 11               | Town<br>Representative            | N/A                              |
| <b>Sean Taylor</b>                     | P.O. Box 789 Abingdon<br>VA 24212                  | 276-628-3167   | August 11               | Town<br>Representative            | N/A                              |
| <b>Jim and Judy Moore (Ex-Officio)</b> | 133 College Street<br>Abingdon VA 24210            | 276-628-4382   | August 11               |                                   | N/A                              |
| <b>Rick Humphreys (Council Member)</b> | 148 Crestview Drive<br>Abingdon, VA 24210          | 276-628-7184   | Mar 2011                | (two year term)<br>Mar 2015       | N/A                              |
| <b>James Hagy</b>                      | 1174 Willow Road Drive<br>Abingdon, VA 24210       | 276-206-5299   | May 2011                | (two year term)<br>May 2015       | Yes                              |
| <b>Ron Stevenson</b>                   | 14437 Prices Bridge Road<br>Glade Spring, VA 24340 | 276-429-5977   | August, 2013            | (three year term)<br>August, 2016 | Yes                              |
| <b>Carol McCroskey</b>                 | 16116 Jasper Creek Road<br>Bristol, VA 24202       | 276-669-0732   | August, 2013            | (three year term)<br>August, 2016 | Yes                              |
| <b>Mac Johnson</b>                     |                                                    |                | August, 2013            | (three year term)<br>August, 2016 | Yes                              |
| <b>Vacant</b>                          |                                                    |                |                         |                                   |                                  |

*Fairview Appl.*



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**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name Brendia M. Morrison Date December 5, 2014

Address 17355 Brumley Gap Rd. City/State Abingdon, VA Zip VA

Do you live inside the Town limits of Abingdon? YES  NO

Telephone: Home 276-628-8545 Work 423-652-6314  
Cell 276-608-5338 Fax \_\_\_\_\_

PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT King University

Address 1350 King College Road, Bristol, TN 37620

Description of job duties: Assistant Professor - School of Business & Economics

I teach management and marketing courses to traditional and GPS students.

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND** Please list including names of all schools and years attended.

King University - Marketing Concentration 2013

ETSU - Public Mgmt (Economic Development) Concentration 2011/2012

ETSU - MBA 2009/2010

Virginia Intermont - BS Mgmt & Leadership 2004/2005

VHCC - AAS 2004

**BOARD PREFERENCE**

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If so, what were they and when did you serve?

LEAD Bristol Steering Committee - Bristol Chamber of Commerce - 2011/present

YWCA Board Member - 2011/2012

Please list the name(s) of the board(s) to which you are applying or seeking reappointment to (see attached list and board and commission description):

Fairview Committee

Why do you wish to serve the Town in this capacity? Do you have an area of interest or background that you believe would be a beneficial service in this capacity? If so, what is it and how would it be helpful?

I am currently a member and working with the Old Glade Antique Tractor Association which is devoted to preserving the past for the future by educating others on past farming machinery, techniques, and agricultural aspects. I am interested in preserving and educating others about our cultural heritage in Southwest Virginia. My business and educational background includes, management, marketing, and research on tourism in Abingdon and economic development. I believe my past, as well as current, work and educational experience would be beneficial to the Fairview Committee and the devoted efforts to preserve the past and sustain growth and economic development for the future.

*To the best of my ability, all information on this application is truthful.*

SIGNATURE Brendia M. Morrison

*Fairview Appl.*



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**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Name Emmitt F. Yearry Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address 171 E. MAIN ST - Abingdon City/State VA Zip 24210

Do you live inside the Town limits of Abingdon? YES  NO

Telephone: Home 276-628-~~9007~~<sup>6535</sup> Work 628-9107  
Cell 608-8107 Fax 276-1998

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PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT Yearry & Associates

Address 161 E. MAIN ST.

Description of job duties: attorney

**EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND Please list including names of all schools and years attended.**

- Clinch Valley College - 1959-61
- U. of Virginia - 1961-63
- Washington & Lee University - 1963-66

**BOARD PREFERENCE**

Are you currently serving on a board or commission of the Town of Abingdon? Yes \_\_\_ No

If so, which Board(s) or Commission(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

When do(es) your present term(s) expire? (mm/yy) N/A

Town of Abingdon  
Board and Commission Application

Have you ever served on any boards or commissions in the past either here or in other localities? Yes  No   
If so, what were they and when did you serve?

VA High lands Airport Commis - 11 yrs  
VA Aviation Bd. - 1/972

Please list the name(s) of the board(s) to which you are applying or seeking reappointment to (see attached list and board and commission description):

Why do you wish to serve the Town in this capacity? Do you have an area of interest or background that you believe would be a beneficial service in this capacity? If so, what is it and how would it be helpful?

Have been involvrd in some restoration  
restoration work in historical ~~structures~~  
Buildings

To the best of my ability, all information on this application is truthful.

SIGNATURE 