Town of Blowing Rock ABC Board PO Box 413 Blowing Rock, NC 28605 Phone (828) 295-7513 Bob Miller, Chairman David Greene, Member Susie Greene, Member Edith Nations, Manager

The members of the Blowing Rock ABC Board held their meeting on August 20, 2015. Mary Howell, Alcohol Abuse Educator; and Scott Fogleman, Town Manager, was also present. Chair Bob Miller called the monthly meeting to order at 3:00 p.m. All members were then given the opportunity to excuse themselves from any business items that posed possible conflicts. None were reported.

The minutes of the prior meeting were approved as presented by a unanimous vote.

The Manager gave her report on sales that ended on July 31, 2015. Sales were \$175,740.64. This was an increase from \$174,665.80 in July 2014.

Old Business:

- 1) Mary Howell was a guest speaker. She explained to the Board the tenets of her alcohol education program.
- 2) The signs for the ABC store have been completed and placed at both store entrances off of Highway 321.
- 3) The Town Manager has asked DOT about the possibility of a left hand turn into the store off of Highway 321 North.

New Business:

- 1) The grants requests for 2015-2016 have been submitted. The Board tabled discussion and consideration of these grants until a monetary figure is presented by the auditors to be dispersed.
- 2) The Board voted and agreed to have a fountain installed in the pond.
- 3) The Manager discussed the possible use of our pond to feed into Village Inn's pond. More information needs to be gathered before a decision will be made.
- 4) The auditors are working on the end of the fiscal year reports.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned. The next meeting will be on September 17, 2015 at 3:00 p.m. at the Blowing Rock ABC Store.

Edith Nations Manager