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MINUTES Town of Blowing Rock Town Council Special Meeting- August 30, 2017

The Town of Blowing Rock Town Council held a special meeting on Tuesday, August 30, 2017 at 5:30 p.m. The meeting took place at Town Hall located at 1036 Main Street, Blowing Rock. Present were Mayor J.B. Lawrence, Mayor Pro-Tem Albert Yount, Council Members Jim Steele, Sue Sweeting, Doug Matheson and Ray Pickett. Others in attendance were Town Manager Ed Evans, Parks & Recreation Director Jennifer Brown and Town Clerk Hilari Hubner, who recorded the minutes.

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Lawrence called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

Town Manager Ed Evans advised that the Town of Blowing Rock received a \$50,000 Revitalization and Economic Development Grant from the State to be used for a project that meets the required guidelines. Manager Evans presented Council with eight project options for discussion.

After discussing the options Council Member Sweeting made a motion to use the money for the reconstruction of the retaining wall behind Town Hall, pavers in the picnic shelter, pavers under the open-air picnic tables, and to sod the bare ground behind the library, seconded by Mayor Pro-tem Yount. Aye: Council Members Pickett, Matheson, Sweeting, and Mayor Pro-Tem Yount. Nay: Council Member Steele. Motion passed.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 6:20 p.m.

| MAYOR | | ATTEST |
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| | J.B. Lawrence | Hilari Hubner, Town Clerk |