

Blowing Rock ABC Board

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Susie Greene, Chairman Sylvia Tarleton, Member Jerry Starnes, Member Edith Nations, Manager

The members of the Blowing Rock ABC Board held their meeting on March 21, 2019. Chair, Susie Greene called the meeting to order at 3:00 p.m. The other 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 Finance Officer gave her report on sales that ended on February 28, 2019. Sales were \$111,403.72. This was an increase from \$104,087.99 in February 2018.

Old Business:

1) Nathan's Guttering will be hired to replace the gutters.

2) Longevity Electric will be hired to replace bulbs in the showroom.

3) Susie Greene and Sylvia Tarleton presented Blowing Rock Town Officials and North Carolina legislators Ballard and Russell at a special meeting with the financial impact the Blowing Rock ABC Store has on the Town of Blowing Rock as well as the State of North Carolina.

New Business:

1) The Board would like to welcome newly appointed member Jerry Starnes.

2) Susie Greene prepared a resolution opposing privatization of North Carolina ABC stores as well as opposing the merger of county ABC stores. This resolution was sent to Blowing Rock elected officials as well as North Carolina legislators.

3) The Board approved to purchase 1000 crack n peel stickers with the 2017-2018 financial information.

4) The Manager and the Finance Officer attended the General Manager meeting in Asheville.

5) The Manager hired Robin Kerrigan for the part time clerk position.

- 6) The Manager prepared a draft for the 2019-2020 budget. The Board discussed the draft and made a few minor changes.
- 7) The Board asked that Wren's Nest Landscaping do the spring clean-up.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned. The next meeting will be on April 18, 2019 at 3:00 p.m. at the Blowing Rock ABC Store.

Edith Nations