

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )  
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COUNTY OF HORRY )

**Horry County Board of Architectural Review  
and Historical Preservation  
August 21, 2018**

The Horry County Board of Architectural Review met on Wednesday, August 21, 2018, in Multi-Purpose Room B of the Horry County Government and Justice Center at 1301 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue in Conway, SC. The following Board members were present: Jamie Thompkins, Joel Carter, Wink Prince, David Stoudenmire, and Bill Strydesky. Staff present: Lou Conklin and Susi Miller. Board members not present: Becky Billingsley, Christy Douglas, and Sam Dusenbury.

In accordance with the SCFOIA, notices of the public meeting were sent to the press (and other interested persons and organizations requesting notification) providing the agenda, date, time, and place of the meeting.

- I. Call to Order** – Vice Chairman, Jamie Thompkins called the meeting to order at approximately 2:35 p.m.
- II. Invocation** – Jamie Thompkins delivered the Invocation and led the Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Approval of Minutes** – June 19, 2018 – Wink Prince made a motion to approve as presented and David Stoudenmire seconded. The motion to approve carried unanimously.
- IV. Public Input** – There was no public input.
- V. New Business** – Nomination and Election of Officers – Lou Conklin gave an overview. Bill Strydesky nominated Jamie Thompkins to serve as the Chairman. There were no other nominations. The votes were unanimous. David Stoudenmire nominated Wink Prince to serve as the Vice Chairman. There were no other nominations. The votes were unanimous.

**VI. Old Business**

- A. Historical Markers** – Lou Conklin gave an overview and she stated that the date for the installation of the marker at Charlies place has been set for September 28, 2018. The marker will be installed by the City of Myrtle Beach at the opening of their annual Jazz Festival. Jamie Thompkins suggested that Joel Carter deliver the presentation since this project has been close to his heart.

Jamie Thompkins stated that he has met with the Horry County Historical Society and he will provide a list of locations that have been researched. He discussed the possibility of partnering with the HC Historical Society for the Historical Marker project and the BAR will have the final decision of the marker recipients. .

- B. Legacy Business** - Lou Conklin gave an overview and she stated that the next recognition event will be August 22, 2018 at 2:00 p.m. at the Pine Lakes Country Club in Myrtle Beach. The board discussed future recognitions and decided that the next event will be in Loris, recognizing Blanton Supply, Brown’s Restaurant and Ford’s Fuel Service. The board discussed presenting plaques to the businesses being

recognized. Bill Strydesky made a motion to give plaques going forward and Wink Prince seconded. The motion carried unanimously.

- C. Survey for Public Input to the Preservation Plan – Lou Conklin gave an overview and stated that the survey will be on Survey Monkey and will also be distributed to the HC Museum, HC Historical Society and North Myrtle Beach Museum. There will be some printed surveys for the board members to share and distribute and Charles Perry will do some news coverage. Any other ideas, please submit them to Lou Conklin.

## **VII. Board Discussion**

- A. High School Video Contest – Lou Conklin gave an overview and stated that submissions have been declining over the years. Jamie Thompkins stated that he will reach out to local high schools.
- B. Monthly Budget – Lou Conklin gave an overview and stated that going forward she will be presenting the budget at each meeting, as stated in the bylaws.

Jamie Thompkins addressed some concerns with the Cemetery Project. One of the issues was regarding a special meeting that was held in 2009 to correct the misspelling of “Pawley Swamp” in the Historical Register but was never completed. In 2010 Campground Willow Springs Cemetery had a letter returned due to a bad address. Others that were either “tabled” or “deferred” are Folly Cemetery, tabled in 2008, Parker Cemetery, deferred in 2008, and High Point Cemetery.

## **VIII. Next Meeting – September 18th, 2018, 2:30 PM**

- IX. **Adjourn** – Wink Prince made a motion to adjourn and the motion was seconded. The motion carried unanimously and the meeting was adjourned at 4:15 p.m.