## TOWN OF YADKINVILLE APPEARANCE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES **JANUARY 7, 2014**

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Valerie Zachary: Chair Jerry Carlton Jim Drum Chip Thomas Monta Oliver

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT:

Dawn Fordham Patrick Long

STAFF PRESENT:

Town Manager: Christopher Ong

CALL TO ORDER

The January 7 meeting of the Yadkinville Appearance Committee was called to order at approximately 1:02 p.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The meeting minutes of October 24, 2013 were approved unanimously.

## OLD BUSINESS

Façade Improvement Grant: Mr. Ong reported that since the last meeting, Margaret Brown had gone ahead and had the work completed on the new awning for Idlewild Realty on Elm Street. Mr. Ong reported that the grant was closed out and passed pictures around of the completed façade. Mr. Jim Drum asked about the pricing differences discussed at the last meeting. Mr. Ong reported that the Town was only able to fund the original approved amount of \$277.12 and Ms. Brown paid for the difference out of pocket. Mr. Ong reported that the Town has not received any recent applications for the façade improvement grant. The Committee discussed making handouts and bringing it up at the next Downtown Business Association meeting.

The Committee discussed the placement of a "Yadkinville", sign and some plantings on the northwest corner of the County Courthouse. Mr. Jerry Carlton suggested contacting Ag Extension Agent Colleen Church about the master gardener program as they may be looking for a project to undertake.

Mr. Jim Drum made a motion to invite Duke Power representative Jimmy Flythe to a future meeting to discuss the utility poles downtown. Mrs. Monta Oliver seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

With no further business to discuss, Mrs. Oliver made a motion to adjourn. Mr. Drum seconded the motion and it passed unanimously. The Yadkin Appearance Committee adjourned at approximately 2:05 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Town Manager

Chair Valerie Zachary