

BUSINESS COMMITTEE MINUTES
Meeting 4/15/2013 7:00pm

Members Present or Absent

-----Kerry Ann Dane --P----- Amelia Toney

-P---- Tim Bradford --P---- Sammy Truett

--p---- Bert Krassin ----- Lee Zulanch

-----Joe Cotter Was a quorum present? Yes

Minutes of Meeting held n/organizational meeting approved by acclamation

Motion to: Motion made by Amelia Toney : Design Overlay Improvement Grant to be sent to the Council
for consideration at the budget retreat Second by Bert Krassin Voting in Favor: All Motion Carried

Notes of Discussion: Members of the committee discuss the Design Overlay Improvement Grant and how these grants would be beneficial to getting new business to Surfside Beach as well as helping the eligible business owners and landlords to improve the appearance of their buildings. Chairman Truett stated how these grants have helped other towns such as Sumter, Conway and Lexington and how is important that the Council get this information before budget retreat. Members commented that if the grants are implemented the improved buildings could be recognized by the town such as an award or with news release by the town. All the business members were very excited by the grants and know that these grants will improve the business community.

Also there was a discussion concerning how to welcome new businesses into our town; as well, the need to have more meetings with the business owners in town in order to improve the relationship with the town and business owners.

Bert Krassin has been contacted by several service companies in town complaining about receiving many parking tickets. Several suggestions were made without any real resolutions. Bert Krassin was nominated to go in front of the council to express the concerns of the service companies.

The last subject was the Surfside Pier and how the pier could be promoted in order to bring business to the town. All members want to continue this discussion at a later date.

Motion made by Bert Krassin to adjourn at 8:25pm Second by Amelia Toney All voted in Favor

Submitted By: Amelia Toney _____

Received by Town Clerk _____

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