

MINUTES
TELLICO PLAINS REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING
TELLICO PLAINS COMMUNITY CENTER
MONDAY, APRIL 14, 2014
6:00 P.M.

Members Present

Patrick Hawkins, Mayor
Larry Harris
Mitch Millsaps, Chairman

Members Absent

Mike Atkins
Russ Parks

Others Present

Greg Altum, Press
Laura Smith, Planner

CALL TO ORDER AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chairman, Mitch Millsaps called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. The minutes of the March 10, 2014 meeting were unanimously approved on a motion by Larry Harris seconded by Mayor Hawkins.

NEW BUSINESS

DISCUSSION, SIGNS

The planning commission discussed placing signs on the “scenic byway” and “scenic highway.” After discussions with TDOT’s, Nathan Vatter, it appears that placing a “Historic Tellico Plains” sign downtown on the highway is allowed. Planner, Laura Smith stated that she had spoken with TDOT’s; Wayne James and she understand that signs were not permitted on the scenic byways. After much discussion, it was agreed that Ms. Smith would call Mr. James for more information and report back to the planning commission.

DISCUSSION, ANNUAL REPORT FOR 2014-2015

Ms. Smith stated that historically an annual report was prepared for the upcoming year. She asked the planning commission about projects or goals they would like to include in the report. The planning commission agreed to include continuing the discussion regarding signs, and possibly designating a historic area in town.

ADJOURN

The meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m.