

Town of Richlands
Section House Advisory Board
Meeting Minutes
August 20, 2024

Attendance: Lynna Mitchell (chair), Greg Horn, Rod Cury, Eleanor Armes, Sandra Culler

I. Call to order

The meeting convened at 5:10pm.

II. Minutes

Since no quorum was present, approval of the 7/29/24 meeting was postponed.

III. Appreciation meal for town police officers and workers

Lynna announced that in appreciation for their work on painting the front of the house, town police officers and workers will be provided with a meal on Friday, 8/30 at noon courtesy of the board. Rod will arrange the meal with Clint Neal of Your Grate Escape. The menu will consist of lasagna and salad at a base cost of \$188.49 for 20 people. The Board will provide delivery, utensils and other supplies.

IV. Historic Ghost Walking Tour

Lynna announced that she and Rod will be meeting tomorrow with Keshia Cole and Jason May to discuss plans for our participation in the Historic Ghost Walking Tour, which is being planned for October in conjunction with town Halloween activities.

V. Story Corps

Rod and Lynna proposed that as part of the town's Veteran's Day activities we participate in Story Corps, a National Public Radio sponsored project that allows people to record and archive their personal stories with the National Archive. We could provide and promote a space where veterans could record their reflections through a phone app and share them with Story Corps.

VI. Christmas tree

Rod reported that he has reserved a 20-foot Christmas tree in North Carolina for the house through Earl Keen. Lynna suggested that we solicit sponsors to help with the cost. She also indicated that she would like to "spice up" our Christmas event this year. Sandra suggested that the small room needs cleaning, and we agreed to set a work date next meeting to clean up both the small room and the outer buildings.

VII. House painting

Lynna suggested we solicit Lowe's "Hometown Heroes" program for possible help finishing the house painting/restoration project.

Next meeting date—Tuesday, 9/12, at 5:00pm at the Section House

Adjournment—5:50pm

Minutes prepared by Greg Horn
August 27, 2024