



PLAN PARK IMPROVEMENTS-Grover Town Board, above, are making improvements to Brice Harry Memorial Park. Above, studying the plans, are Sandra Ellis, clerk Debora Philbeck, Mayor Bill McCarter, Ronald Queen and Don Rich.

Grover Needs Policeman

Grover Town Board is still looking for a policeman, although an officer was hired to report for work July 3.

"We had the position filled but the young man decided to go to Lincolnton instead," said Mayor Bill McCarter Monday night as the board set July 24 to interview another applicant for the job.

Two other new employees are on the job. Debora G. Philbeck is the new Town Clerk and Hoyt Brooks is maintenance worker.

At the July 24 meeting the board will draw up more stringent ordinances governing in-town trailers and trailer parks. Town Attorney Andy Neisler was asked to beef-up the town mobile home ordinance, amending it to stipulate that a mobile home can't be placed on the same tract of land with a permanent dwelling and a lot can't be sub-divided for two lots.

The board was responding to two citizen requests for placement of trailers. Commissioner Sandra Ellis said detailed diagrams of the requests should be brought to the next meeting of the board for further study. The board denied request by one mobile home owner who wants to pay his water tap fee on a month-

ly basis. The town charges a \$350 water tap fee and a \$50 sewer tap fee to new customers to hook on to the town water and sewer lines.

Commissioner Ronald Queen will take bids for fencing and heavy duty gates for Brice Harry Memorial Park. Queen said that four-wheel drive vehicles are ruining the grass. "Grover spent \$15,000 in improvements at the Park, said Queen, who said that four feet high fence is needed around the facility. "Even the truck loads of dirt I hauled in the Park are gone," he said. The Board will receive the bids at the July 24 meeting.

McCarter said the 12-acre Grover Park was recently inspected and passed with flying colors. "We have the green light on this project," he said.

The Board accepted the low bid of \$13,740 from Steel & Tank Service of Fort Mill, S. C. for repairs and painting of the town water tank. The tank has not been painted since it was installed in 1962, said McCarter, who noted that the work will include sandblasting and painting inside and out.

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Kings Mountain High school and attended Cleveland Community College and Gaston College where he completed the courses of instruction in Police Science and Criminal Investigations. He is a member of Macedonia Baptist Church, a member of the Cleveland County Law Enforcement Association and former member of the Kings Mountain Rescue Squad and Kings Mountain Volunteer Fire Department.

"I have demonstrated over the years my dedication and hard work for the betterment of the community," he said. White, along with retired Fire Chief Gene Tignor, co-founded the Kings Mountain Historical Museum on Cleveland Avenue in 1975 and helped reestablish the Christmas parade in 1975 which has since been an annual event sponsored by Kings Mountain Fire Department.

In a filing statement, White said that "I feel the knowledge I acquired during the John Moss administration gives me great insight into the handling of city business."

A Kings Mountain native, Sanders has worked at Spectrum 18 years. He is a member of First Wesleyan Church and is active in the Kings Mountain Optimist Club and City Recreation Committee. He and his wife, Barbara Jane Moss Sanders, recently celebrated their 27th wedding anniversary. They have four children: Lisa Moore, Rachel Sanders, Forrest Sanders and Timothy Sanders, all of Kings Mountain, and five grandchildren.

Houston, veteran member of the Kings Mountain Council, has served 14 years, including three two-year

terms and two four-year terms. "I feel we have a progressive government and want to see projects completed that I have had a part in," he said. Houston serves on the Utility committee and also on the personnel committee which recently updated city personnel policies he initiated when he was chairman of the personnel policy in 1976. A retired Major in the U. S. Army who founded the North Carolina National Guard Unit in Kings Mountain in 1948, he is also a retired employee of Kings Mountain Drug Company and Cornwell Drug Company. He was recipient of the Bronze Star Medal twice and was on active duty in 1941-46 in the European Theater of Operations with the 302nd Infantry Regiment as part of the 94th Infantry Division. He won four campaign stars in North France, Rhineland, Ardenes/Alsace and Central Europe. He is a 1936 graduate of Kings Mountain High School. His son, Dr. Sam H. Houston Jr., is superintendent of Mooresville City Schools. Houston and wife, Dot, reside at 201 South Deal Street. He is active in First Presbyterian Church, a Mason, a member of the Kiwanis Club and American Legion Post 155.

A Kings Mountain native, Camp is retired from military duty in both the Korean and Vietnam Conflicts. Son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Camp of Kings Mountain, he and his wife, Doris Morrison Camp, reside at 403 N. Cansler St. He is a member of the Nazarene Church. The Camps are parents of five children: Tony Camp of Dallas, Mike Camp of Gastonia, Ann Bolin, Robbie Johnson and Kelly Goforth, all of Kings Mountain. The family includes 11 grandchildren.

The filing period closes on Aug. 4 at noon at the home of Elections Board Chairman Becky Cook, Meadowbrook Road. Filing fee is \$36.

Scouts To ID Houses In City

As an Eagle Scout service project, Lindsey Suber and other Boy Scouts in Troop 92 will begin a cooperative effort with the Kings Mountain Aging Program next week to ensure that homes of senior citizens are properly numbered.

Suber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rob Suber, asked permission from City Council Tuesday to begin the project which is in line with the city's plans to adopt the "911" county-wide emergency system which requires that all houses be properly identified with correct addresses or numbers.

Boy Scouts will be available to paint house numbers on curbs for senior citizens to allow quick identification of the house for police, fire and medical services.

City Council endorsed the project.

Aging Director Monty Thornburg said that several Eagle Scout candidates will be leading the project.

Suber said the project could be completed in two visits to each senior citizen's home-for painting the background and for painting the house numbers. The house numbers would be painted on curbs in front of each house or in a conspicuous place.

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Donald Rich Files For Grover Board

Donald Rich paid his \$5 filing fee Monday in Grover and announced he is a candidate for reelection to Grover Town Board.

Three seats are up for grabs this election year and filing opened Friday. Grover citizens will elect three town commissioners on Nov. 7 at the polls. Candidate filing ends Aug. 4 at noon.

The four year-term of Jim Howell on the board is also expiring. Voters will choose a third commissioner to succeed the late Grady Ross, whose term also expired this year.

Other board members, whose terms are not up this year, are Mayor Bill McCarter, Mayor Pro Tem Ronald Queen and Sandra Ellis.

Dr. Crowley To Join Grover Practice

Dr. Richard V. Crowley has joined Dr. Joseph H. Talley in the practice of general medicine at Grover Medical Clinic, 328 Laurel Avenue, Grover.

Dr. Crowley, of Kings Mountain, was formerly asso-

ciated with Kings Mountain Family Practice, 711 West Mountain Street, in the practice of general medicine. The Crowley family will continue to reside in Kings Mountain.

Hospital Lab Is Accredited

The Laboratory at Cleveland Memorial Hospital Inc., Shelby, has been awarded a two-year accreditation by the Commission on Laboratory Accreditation of the College of American Pathologists, based on results of a recent on-site inspection.

The inspection was conducted

by a CAP team consisting of a pathologist and three laboratory technologists. The team examined the procedures and quality control records of the laboratory for the preceding two years, as well as the

qualifications of the staff, the adequacy of facilities, the equipment, laboratory safety policy, and laboratory management to determine how well the laboratory is serving the patients and physicians.

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with all requirements to notify the owners to repair or demolish the structure and, to date, none has been done.

In other actions, Council adopted resolution confirming assessment rolls for Hawthorne Road, amended resolutions confirming the assessment roll to decrease the levy of assessments on both Oakland Street and Heritage Court. The amounts were reduced after city staffers compared the cost per lineal foot using standard specifications. Hawthorne residents will be billed for \$5,038.60, Oakland residents will be billed for \$7,666.17 and Hermitage Court residents will be billed for \$5,605.56 which represents 50% of the cost of curb and gutter and improvements.

The Board amended the zoning map to rezone from NB to R-10 property of Betty and Otha Campbell and referred to the Planning and Zoning Board request for rezoning from Kathleen Bridges, who wants to construct a restaurant on her property east of York Road.

Council approved the final plat for Mountain Manor Subdivision which is being developed by Henry Whitesides.

City Manager George Wood displayed the new Codes of Ordinances. A copy is available to the public in the City Clerk's office and at Mauney Memorial Library. Municipal Code Corporation, Tallahassee, Fla., was hired by the city about 18 months ago to update the code book which provides a penalty for the violation for certain ordinances and for the repeal of certain ordinances. Since zoning and sub-division ordinances are being reviewed and are amended frequently, a complete list is not included in the Code Book but can be obtained in the Clerk's office.

Mayor Pro Tem Norma Bridges presided in the absence of Mayor Kyle Smith, who recently underwent an appendectomy and is recuperating at home.

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