

TOWN OF ABINGDON
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW (BAR)
CALLED MEETING

26 November, 2002 – 7:00 P.M.

A called meeting of the Board of Architectural Review was held on Thursday, 26 November 2002, at 7:00 P.M in the Municipal Building, downstairs Meeting Room.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Charles R. Day, Chairman.

(1) Roll Call

Members Present: Mr. Charles R. Day, Chairman
Ms. Betsy White
Mr. Thomas C. Phillips
Ms. Doris Shuman
Mr. Andrew Hargroves

Comprising a quorum of the Board

Members Absent: None

Administrative Staff: Mr. Albert C. Bradley, Director of Planning

Visitors: Mr. Sam Hurt

(2) Certificate of Appropriateness —Town of Abingdon, (Virginia Creeper Trail display engine), near 300 Green Springs Road, Abingdon, Virginia 24210; application for Certificate of Appropriateness for approval of landscaping and construction of walkways around display locomotive.

Mr. Bradley stated that he had just been made aware that this project was underway with volunteer labor by the Virginia Creeper Trail Club and others. The project consisted of a gravel pathway that encircles the locomotive engine underneath the roof covering the engine. There would be removable stairways at each side of the locomotive engine for the purpose of conducting tours and making the engine more accessible to people. Mr. Day stated that he considered it well within the rights of the Board to review this project. On motion of Mr. Phillips, seconded by Mr. Hargroves, it was resolved to approve the landscaping and gravel pathway project as requested.

The Board of Architectural Review then began the third of a series of discussions and study of the proposed amendments to Article 8, the Old and Historic Zoning District. The Board covered the proposed Sections 8-5-2, sections 8-6, 8-7, 8-8, and 8-9 in their entirety. The Board of Architectural Review adjourned at 9:30 P. M. to reconvene at 7:00 P. M. on 10 December 2002 after the regular meeting on 3 December for the purpose of continuing the discussion of the proposed amendments.



Albert C. Bradley, Secretary