**Walton County Beekeepers Association Meeting Minutes**

**Date: Tuesday, July 17, 2018**

**Location: Center Hill Baptist Church**

**Time: 7-9 p.m.**

**Purpose: Annual Summer Salad Social**

**Attendees: Members 20 New Member 1 Guests 3**

Susan Boss, President, called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Larry Compton opened the meeting with prayer.

This meeting was our annual Summer Salad Social along with honey tasting.

**Old Business**

There was no Treasurer’s Report.

Linda Rivers, Secretary, read the Minutes from our June 19, 2018 meeting.

A Motion was proposed, seconded, and approved as read for the June Minutes.

**Current News**

* Ann Langley designed and issued new name tags for each member. The tags will help keep better track of membership ‘dues’ date.
* Susan Boss reminded the membership that our annual Board of Directors election will be coming up in August. Please submit your bids for President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, and two members-at-Large.
* A Walton County Code Enforcement Officer visited a member’s apiary and asked him to move his hives. This was due to a neighbor’s complaint that bees were in their swimming pool. Open discussion followed relating to how best to handle and prevent such an issue in the future including more educational programs.

**Future Business**

Our August 21, 2018 meeting will enable all members to cast their votes for the upcoming election of officers to serve on the Board of Directors for 12 months.

The meeting was adjourned at 9 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Rivers, Secretary