

**Beatty Town Advisory Board  
100 A Avenue South  
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**Minutes  
12/19/2016**

**THE BEATTY TOWN ADVISORY BOARD MET IN REGULAR SESSION AT 6:00PM IN THE BEATTY COMMUNITY CENTER.  
THE BEATTY TOWN ADVISORY BOARD HEREAFTER WILL BE REFERRED TO AS THE (BTAB)  
THE BEATTY TOWN ADVISORY BOARD MEMBERS HEREAFTER WILL BE REFERRED TO AS THEIR RESPECTIVE INITIALS.**

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**Dick Gardner (DG) – Chair  
Kelly Carroll (KC) – Vice Chair  
Erika Gerling (EG) – Treasurer  
Randy Reed (RR) - Member  
Crystal Taylor (CT) – Member - Absent**

**1 Pledge of Allegiance**

Meeting called to order 6:30pm

**2 GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT (Three-minute time limit per person.) Action will not be taken on the matters considered during this period until specifically included on an agenda as an action item.**

None

**3 Approval of the Agenda for the BTAB meeting of December 19, 2016**

*Staff pulled item 5 Emergency items*

**4 For Possible Action – Approval of the Meeting Minutes dated November 28, 2016.**

*RR – Motion to approve the minutes dated November 28, 2016 in context only; Second EG; 4-0*

DG – Stated for the record CT texted and she cannot make it.

**5 For Possible Action – Emergency Items**

*Item pulled*

**6 Board Member's Comments (This item limited to announcements or topics/issues proposed for future workshops/agendas)**

KC – None; DG - None

EG – Stated at the County Commissioners meeting tomorrow they have several of our items on their agenda. They have the new truck for the Fire Department and for some reason the letter that we submitted regarding the NTTR withdrawal is also on their agenda, it says letter submitted by Beatty Town Advisory Board, so I don't know what that is about. They are going to appoint some members to the Library Board. They want to be a partner, and ask for an extension to submit their comments (NTTR withdrawal) even though the comment period ended. I'm going to try to attend that meeting tomorrow so that if there are any questions I can represent the Board and of course, I will only, as far as the NTTR thing goes say what we have said, that we oppose the expansion for the reasons stated in our letter.

DG – Clarified wasn't that letter that they are talking about up North, outside of Fallon?

Carrie Radomski; Town Secretary – Stated the one that they want the extension on is ours, for the NTTR (Nevada Testing and Training Range).

DG – Stated I misunderstood that, okay.

EG – Stated its kind of weird that they would have our letter to discuss or decide anything on their agenda because in the past we have never had to go through them to submit a comment for anything. That's our comments, we just do that. We did that with the Southern EIS for the BLM. So, I didn't get that but I'm going to go tomorrow so that somebody will be there to answer and represent.

RR – Stated Friday night the Fire Department held Santa Night, we had a pretty good turnout for that. Saturday night we did the Town pot luck dinner and it was an okay turnout it was about half of what we had last year but everybody seemed to have a really good time.

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### 7 **Consent Agenda Items – These are items that Staff recommends for approval. The Board reserves the right to move any consent agenda item to the regular segment of the agenda should issues arise that need to be addressed.**

- a. For Possible Action – Discussion of any item from the Consent Agenda Items that needs review before a decision is made.
- b. For Possible Action – Approval of Town Vouchers  
*RR – Motion to approve the Town vouchers in the amount of \$2,556.52; Second EG; 4-0*

### 8 **Reports**

- i. **Beatty Chamber** – None
- ii. **Beatty Habitat Committee** – None
- iii. **Beatty Library** – None
- iv. **Beatty Medical Clinic** – None
- v. **Beatty Museum** – None
- vi. **Beatty Senior Center** – Marty Campbell – Stated the first thing, I want to do is thank the individuals that donated to the boxes that were made up today, that we are going to be giving out to the Seniors tomorrow at our Senior Christmas Dinner. So you might want to pass the word around that's going to be tomorrow at 11:30. Special thanks to Genie and John Lisle, and the Space Station. We made up 40 boxes so we should have enough for everybody.  
  
As far as income goes, BINGO, last Thursday brought in \$100.00. So we are trying to get more people involved in BINGO and hopefully we will continue to do so.  
  
RR – Stated last week we had our Health Inspector show up and we scored really high on our inspection, so that was good. They (Nye County Sr. Nutrition Staff) are planning on interviewing for the Site Manger sometime in January.
- vii. **Beatty Town Square** – DG – Stated after the first of the year... (activity should start again)
- viii. **Beatty Volunteer Fire/Ambulance** – None
- ix. **Commissioners** – None
- x. **Desert Hills Cemetery** – None
- xi. **Nye County Emergency Services** – None
- xii. **Nye County Sheriff's Department** – None
- xiii. **Ordinances** – None
- xiv. **Other** –

**Beatty Economic Development, Inc (BEDC)** – Albert Verrilli – Stated that he just completed a class through the University of Nevada, it's an extracurricular kind of thing, it's about 501c3's, non-profit organizations and of course that's what BEDC is, a non-profit organization, and there's a lot of advantages; tax exemptions and other things. I knew there were a number of other things that could be done with that kind of status with the IRS and the State, and this class I took about compliance and rules was surprisingly informative to me. It was given by the CEO of the local chapter of the Las Vegas Red Cross and this guy was so knowledgeable and so forthcoming with anything you wanted to ask. In the course of reviewing some of the questions and making sure that we are following the legal compliance issues in the corporation, I had occasion to look up BEDC and a number of other 501c3's in and about Beatty and they could all use a tune-up. BEDC is right up there with everybody. There are also a lot of opportunities if we really utilized some of the things that are out there, some of the grant funding, possibilities, the ability to buy software and computers perhaps at discounts and that kind of thing. It was (the class) four weeks, four hour courses. It's intrigued me and I'll probably take another or other courses along the same line. There are a lot of compliance issues that I think probably people who have, run or manage 501c3's in and about Beatty I hope they are tuned into them.

EG – Suggested Marty get together with Albert to discuss what issues might face the Senior Center.

Mr. Verrilli – Stated I'm not an expert but, what I really have is the hope that if I learn more about this, at some point I would like to have somebody come up and maybe bring a version of the presentation up here if there was enough interest from people who are responsible parties for 501c3's in town. Maybe we could put it together and I could get some instructors to come up and hit the highlights. There was a lot of good information.

**8 Reports - Continued**

**Beatty General Improvement District (BGID) - None**

**Beatty Water & Sanitation District (BWSD) – None**

**Boy Scouts – None**

**Beatty Health & Welfare – None**

**Other Community or Civic Organization – None**

**xv. Secretary**

Carrie Radomski; Town Secretary – Reported monies collected by the Town Office for administrative services for November 2016 which are sent to the Treasurer for deposit to the Town Accounts; Notary \$27.50, Copy \$0.10, Fax \$9.00, Table & Chair Rental \$5.00; for a total of \$41.60

The VFW Post is doing a Christmas dinner on Sunday the 25<sup>th</sup> at 2pm to whenever, everyone is welcome. You can bring your favorite dish to share.

The VFW cookbook is available for purchase at the Post, they are \$12.00

Studio 401 Arts, a new business, had their grand opening last week and they are doing classes. There should be a January schedule coming out.

**xvi. Treasurer**

EG – Reported 42% of the year elapsed as of November 30, 2016.

Department	Expenditure	Balance	
Admin	\$79,951.78	\$360,495.22	18% of the budget used
Translators	\$1,633.45	\$3,366.55	33% of the budget used
BVFD	\$70,487.49	\$152,512.51	32% of the budget used
Cemetery	\$1,038.37	\$8,961.63	10% of the budget used
Com Cnt Serv & Supplies	\$9,049.39	\$190,950.61	5% of the budget used
Chamber	\$12,968.24	\$29,914.76	30% of the budget used
Museum	\$14,063.53	\$28,819.47	33% of the budget used
Town Tourism	\$118,249.00	\$118,249.00	0% of the budget used
Sheriff Pub. Safety	\$0	\$99,951.00	0% of the budget used
Fire Pub. Safety	\$0	\$99,954.00	0% of the budget used
Capital Projects	\$4,500.00	\$513,072.00	0% of the budget used
Special Capital	\$0	\$202,548.00	0% of the budget used
Room Tax Capital	\$53,682.93	\$63,872.07	46% of the budget used

EG – Stated room tax capital project expenditures on the Town Square and everybody is at or below their total budgets.

**9 General Business**

**a. For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation and decision to relay this request to the Nye County Commissioners to adopt the (Dark Sky) ordinance throughout the entire County. – Rupert Bragg-Smith**

Rupert Bragg-Smith – Greeted the Board and audience good evening and wished them Happy Holidays.

After I saw that last time that I was here and I just don't want someone else to have to go through the trauma that I had to go through, and I don't think a dark sky ordinance throughout the County is a bad thing. There's no negative side to it at all, it just coincides with the excessive noise ordinance. It's just an ordinance, it doesn't, it shouldn't, Nye County applied it and attached it to building permits and special use permits and to me it has no relationship at all.

DG – Stated I just have one question Rupert, the way that this item is written; discussion, deliberation and decision to relay this request, are you saying that if we approve this, that your saying here that the Town Board wants a dark sky ordinance and...

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated I'm sure every citizen, would not want someone, including yourself, to put a light on a pole on their property that shines into your backyard and your home. And you go up and say something and they say well, it's too bad there's no ordinance, sue me.

DG – Stated whether what I want, or what I don't want is not the issue here. I don't, I just don't like the way, it says here, the way I'm reading this, is that if we approve this, we're relaying the request to the County Commissioners saying that the Town Board supports it. But, we said at the last meeting that that wasn't the case. We didn't support it.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Inquired why not may I ask? What is the possible negative to it?

EG – Stated we don't know until we try to write an ordinance.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated it's a dark sky ordinance, it's already written, and it's already applicable in Pahump. You just relate it throughout the County.

DG – Stated I don't see how that...

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated you know what, okay. Just do whatever you want to do. I don't really care anymore. You know, it's in the hands of my Attorney now and I've asked you to write a letter and..

KC – Stated no you have not.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated you said you would write a letter, and I said please.

KC – Stated no Sir. I said what we could do was that we could write a letter and send it to Family Dollar Corporate..

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated that would be great.

KC – Went on; and that was what you were supposed to put on this agenda. The only thing different from this agenda and the previous agenda was just rewording and you know it.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated maybe I do but those lights continue every night, and I won't do it, I can't live with it anymore. It's making me angry; don't you want to figure that out? Everyone understands it but you people. Dick Gardner openly said, in the last meeting and he flat lied, that that light does not go across the road.

DG – Stated I did not.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Shouted yes you did.

DG – Stated I said the shadow line does not go across the road.

Mr. Bragg Smith – Shouted the shadow line is beyond my property to the South. Marty (Campbell) and I went.

KC – Asked Mr. Bragg-Smith to calm down.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Shouted I'm not going to calm down.

KC – Stated don't yell at me. When you are up there you are going to address this board and myself..

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated aw, excuse me but I'm tired of the fact that you're so negative you don't even see a positive, you won't see anything.

EG – Stated you're not listening to what we are saying.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated I'm absolutely listening, I'm not stupid. The fact is that you do not want to help a citizen of this town, a tax payer, and I pay more taxes than the Family Dollar.

EG – Stated Mr. Blagg-Smith,

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Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated Bragg, with an R.

EG – Stated okay Mr. Bragg-Smith, I'd like you to just take a breath and stop for a moment because we...

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated alright, I will. One of the things that I cannot tolerate is someone to lie, and the threshold of that light crosses my property. Marty Campbell came by that night that you stated it and you clearly see the silhouette of the shadow on my Kenworth. So, you're wrong and I've invited you to come down and I asked Carrie, can you get someone to come down and see me and we can look at these lights. But no one bothers.

EG – Stated one thing we're not going to tolerate is you yelling and screaming at this Board. We're volunteers and we're not going to tolerate you calling us a liar.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated well, you know what? You reap what you sew.

EG – Stated if you would like us to read your words back to you and what you agreed to do, then we will. We just approved these minutes. This is what you said. I tried to say this is what we are going to do, and I said do you understand and KC said he understands, he already said...

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated I get fired up because everyone looks the other way because it's not in their backyard.

EG – Stated I'm just going to read my comments and then I'm done.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Repeated, you're done?

EG – Stated no, I'm going to read my statement after you get finished, KC will comment, I'll comment and the rest of the Board but you should not be yelling and screaming at us like that.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated I'm not yelling and screaming, I'm raising my voice because I want to be heard, because no one seems to be listening.

KC – Stated just because you get louder...

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated you know what? Excuse me Kelly (KC) but you know I'm not your average little guy that conforms with everything that you want to do. I'm facing a real traumatization here and you people could care less and Dick Gardner openly lies and said that that light does not come across my property and it does. I'm formally asking him and you people to come down at seven o'clock at night and see the lights. No, well then that's it.

KC – Stated we're looking at two different lights then because I did and it split the road.

Marty Campbell – Stated I went down and it did go all the way across.

KC – Stated then they've got different settings on their lights.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated no they don't it's the same every night.

Mr. Campbell – Went on, I went down the same night as the last meeting. Right after the meeting I went down and on the side of his truck right there you could see my shadow perfectly.

EG – Stated okay and that meeting got done at 8:25pm.

Mr. Campbell – Stated alright, and I went down right after the meeting.

EG – Stated I have some comments but maybe some people from the audience. I'll let my Chairman..

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated if you came down and sat with me I would be calm as can be but I've been asking, and asking, and asking and all I get is a negative response. We can't do this or this isn't formatted correctly.

EG – Stated you haven't listened to what we've been saying.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated I am listening to you but you know what..

DG – Stated lets kick back a minute here. While we are talking about this we did get a comment from one of the businesses in town and Carrie's got the letter, we'll let her read it.

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Carrie Radomski; Town Secretary – Read email letter dated December 14<sup>th</sup>;

Hi Carrie,

I am not sure exactly what all this dark sky ordinance from Rupert is all about, but he seems to be complaining about lighting from the family dollar.

I have a couple of issues with his complaint but am going out of town for several days so maybe you could ask, why someone with a commercial property, who has used beautification money to improve, which is for commercial property, and does not seem to be operating any business whatsoever, can even have this issue. Commercial property can have commercial lighting for safety as well as crime prevention and passing ordinances that limit lighting along a main thoroughfare hwy 95 (especially where there is street lighting anyway) could pose safety issues (trips/falls, etc) as well as offering dark spaces for all kinds of criminal activities.

I agree in principal about limiting our light pollution and enjoying the beauty of the night skies, however this should be limited to mostly residential areas and not along the main thoroughfare of our town.

Respectfully Karl Johnston (KC's Outpost)

PS. You may use this e-mail in any way you see fit, to be read at meeting or forwarded.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Asked may I respond to that? First of all it's not on the main thoroughfare; it's pointed at my home. First of all it's not a commercial building because there's no zoning there and second of all you chastised me for not having a business there and when I announced that I was going to open a saloon and road house, I got 86'd from the Sourdough, I went to talk with Fred (Happy Burro) about it, how it would impact him and although he wasn't like "no" he wasn't very happy about it because that place would negatively impact a lot of people in this town.

DG – Stated but you have a commercial building.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated it's not a commercial building.

DG – Stated you filled out a form to this Board for beautification.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated well, I'll give you the money back.

DG – Went on because that was for strictly commercial.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated Joni Eastley asked me to fill out that form. It was a commercial building but it didn't say that it had to be a commercial enterprise, in fact a lot of people live, the Sourdough they live above it, people down the other side of the road they have a mercantile type of building they live upstairs. Is there something wrong with this? The problem is now is that even if I wanted to have a roadhouse saloon and have outdoor seating it's gone, because of the lights; it will not attract any business. So you can do what you want. I've already met with my attorney, we'll take it from there. I've invited you down to come and see the lights and talk to me about it and none of you people will even bother. Why because you don't like my tone.

EG – Stated you know what Rupert? I really take offense to that because last meeting we told you what you could do to resolve this through us and that's not what you did.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated maybe I'm just too upset. I'm really, really upset about this. I've gone to the Doctor about it. Yeah, oh my god, those lights are terrible. Read up about them, read about the negative impact of LED lights and the diodes given off.

EG – Stated I've read them.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated yes of course you did and it's all beautiful, it's all good. It's not all good. So now I'm allowed to put a flood light on my building and shine it right at the Family Dollar and upset their doors and all of that because I'm allowed to because there's no dark sky ordinance. When someone sticks a light outside, and it's one of these LED lights, and it's outside your home, you'll wish the heck you had this ordinance. Good night.

EG – Stated can I say something reasonable?

DG – Stated go ahead.

EG – Stated Rupert, if you would like to stay and listen to the reasonable options that we have, that we gave you the last time, right? We, Kelly asked me when I said do you understand and you said yeah I understand. What we asked you to do was to put an item on our agenda so that we would be able to send a letter to Family Dollar or call Family Dollar and have a discussion with them about how to resolve the issue but that's not the agenda item that we got. So let me say a couple of things okay. If we were to enact some type of ordinance, no current businesses are going to be impacted by that ordinance...

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Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated I know that.

EG – Went on okay, so that's not going to solve your problem.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated no it is. My attorney will. Thank you.

EG – Stated us enacting an ordinance is not going to solve the issue with the Family Dollar because of that ordinance. If you have a commercial business you have to follow some commercial building codes, the international whatever they are, there's how many people can be in the building, the fire inspector, all of those types of things. Okay, as far as this ordinance goes, we've tried really hard as an Advisory Board to avoid being under County wide ordinances, they paint every town in the County with the same brush; Duckwater and Pahrump. Those things don't work because those ordinances and laws are written to address issues in Pahrump. So they don't fit the rest of us in the County. So we've tried to avoid being under County wide ordinances. Also, our suggestion to you, I think it's been three weeks, three weeks ago, I have it right here, I can read it to you. Our suggestion was for you to ask us to put an item on our agenda to send a letter to Family Dollar to address the lighting issue, but you didn't follow that advice. You've put us in the same position as we were in the last time you came before us. Your request, also, your request, your agenda item is only that we relay your request to the Board of County Commissioners. I don't have a problem with sending your request on to them, but I'm not going to send your request to them without comments from this Board on whether we are supporting or not supporting your request.

Mr. Bragg- Smith – Stated so what you're saying is that you really don't want a dark sky ordinance because it might implicate other ordinances or rules that would be...

EG – Stated that is not what I said.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated well, in actual fact you did because what you are saying is that they paint you with the same brush, we're going to have ordinances, we're going to have building codes and whatever. The issue is that I took what was said to heart. Today...

EG – Stated you didn't Mr. Bragg-Smith because you didn't do what we said could be a solution to the problem, you didn't do it.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated well, I was trying to explain that if you'd let me finish without interrupting me, I'd appreciate it. Today I met with Danny Rogers; he agrees that those lights are absolutely ridiculous. He also pointed out that if you go due North of the Valley Electric building, there's a fellow there that has a single wide or a double wide that is at right angles to the road and he could see the lights up in the Valley Electric building and he called them and they immediately changed them and put them on, and Danny said look these lights are bad and they will... what are you shaking your head for?

EG – Stated because you are saying exactly what we asked you to do...

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated but I had to research.

EG – Went on the last time you were here and you didn't do it.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated a person has to research.

EG – Stated so you think you're frustrated, do you not know how frustrated...

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated welcome to the club.

EG- Went on, I am right now because you didn't do the one thing that we could have done to help solve your problem.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated well, it's not going to happen overnight, so I had to research. I've been to California; I've taken photographs of Wal-Mart's and whatever. I've seen the types of light that they have, I've seen the types of shades they have, and I've seen the height of those lights. So what is wrong with doing some research before you write a letter that doesn't work? And saying okay so we got this letter, so what do you want us to do? Well now they're trying to figure out what we need to do. They're not going to go see Kelly, and then it'll happen. If you want to really get frustrated and go crazy, go sit on my porch overnight. Thank you

Albert Verrilli – Asked Mr. Bragg-Smith if he would entertain a question?

Mr. Bragg- Smith – Replied absolutely.

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Mr. Verrilli – Asked have you tried to do anything to mitigate the light on your own?

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated yes.

Mr. Verrilli – Went on, as far as shading or tinting...

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated yes, I've written...

Mr. Verrilli – Went on, it's a two part question. Have you tried to have any kind of discourse with Family Dollar?

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated yes I have. I've wrote three letters to Family Dollar and I forwarded them to Joni Eastley and those letters are in the archives with the County.

Mr. Verrilli – Asked did Family Dollar respond?

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated no. Only the fact that I mentioned, that this is what they could do and I also said that the Town and the County gave me Five Thousand Dollars to re-beautify my buildings and make it look more historic, and I would pass that money on to them personally, and they wrote me back and said I forwarded your letter to our attorney and if you contact us again we will put a restraining order upon you. So, you're dealing with a corporate, multi-billion dollar giant that could care less about the Town of Beatty and the people that it blinds.

EG – Stated well, if the way you dealt with me is the way you dealt with them I'm not surprised.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated a letter is a letter, you know. I don't get too frustrated in a letter. I'm sorry that I'm autistic, I'm sorry that I have a disability, okay, I'm sorry that I... well you can shake your head all you want. Do you want me to go out in a wheelchair before you actually see what I'm going through? The point is, and what really bothers me, if I may make, is that you people didn't sit down with the State or County and say you know what we really need a grocery store here not a store that sells ravioli. So not only that you invite them in...

EG – Stated you have no idea what we do, so stop.

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated no. The point is, is that we needed a grocery store here not a Family Dollar and we needed a business that actually was family or personally owned so they could understand Beatty and work with it.

EG – Stated we have some that are family and personally owned so....

Mr. Bragg-Smith – Stated I know and they're compliant because they understand the people and they want the business.

DG – Asked if anybody in the audience has anything to say?

There were none.

DG – Stated we've gone on long enough, I would entertain a motion.

*DG – Stated hearing no motion this item dies for lack of motion.*

Albert Verrilli – Stated I was here when the whole ordinance thing was discussed before and clearly the feeling of, we had a huge audience at that point, and we wanted to exempt ourselves from these kind of county wide....

DG – Stated that was brought up at the last meeting.

Mr. Verrilli – Went on, and that was a representative of a section of Beatty that we rarely get to see here because it was filled. The other thing is, the first thing when I read this in the email, is the way this thing is agendized is improper in my mind. In another way it was asking the Town Advisory Board to request something for the County as a whole. Well, that would be a bit presumptuous for a Town Board to do.

DG – Stated we've covered all of that.

EG – Stated thank you.

Mr. Verrilli – Stated I wasn't here, but you seemed to be seeking some input from the audience and I for one was delighted and I think your positions are well thought out.

EG – Stated I am really grateful for that comment because this didn't even have to happen if that one thing that we suggested was done.



**9a Continued**

DG – Stated let’s move on.

**b. For Possible Action – Discussion, deliberation and decision to approve the use of the Beatty Sheriff Public Safety Sales Tax to assist in funding an additional Deputy position for the Central Command Area which includes Beatty, Amargosa and Sarcobatus Flats. – Beatty Town Office on behalf of Sheriff Wehrly**

Carrie Radomski; Town Secretary – Stated I was contacted by Sheriff Wehrly and she asked that I put this item on the agenda, so I did. I have not received any backup or any additional information for the plan. I really don’t have much, most of the background that’s in here is about the sales tax itself, but I have no specifics of the plan at this time.

DG – Stated let’s table this until the first meeting in January.

EG – Stated let’s table it until we hear from her.

DG – Stated let’s put it on the first meeting in January unless we don’t hear from her.

Ms. Radomski – Clarified I’ll wait to put it back on until we hear from the Sheriff?

DG – Stated yes.

**10 General Public Comment**

Fred Summers; Happy Burro Chili & Beer – Stated as one of Santa’s helpers I want to thank everybody in town that did a fantastic job to help Santa this year. To go back a couple, I am all for all production in Beatty. I am very upset that the Sourdough is closed, I would very much like for Rupert to open up that place as a steak house and in talking to the Family Dollar, and they have to have handicapped lights on until they close. I checked with them and on a company computer the lights are turned off at a proper time. That is something that they can’t turn, they can’t for some reason set their timing for their particular building it has to go through their main office and they have to adjust the timing there. It would be nice if somebody would talk in a polite manner and possibly they could turn the knob wherever they turn it where the computer is.

I got nailed when I was opening up my place because I didn’t have handicapped bathrooms, and now me and the Stagecoach are the only ones that got them.

Thank you and Merry Christmas.

**11 Adjournment**

*KC– Motion to adjourn 7:14pm; Second RR; 4-0*