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**MINUTES OF A PUBLIC HEARING  
OF THE JACKSON COUNTY  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
HELD ON  
MARCH 7, 2011**

The Jackson County Board of Commissioners held a Public Hearing on March 7, 2011 at 1:30 p.m., Justice & Administration Building, Room A201, 401 Grindstaff Cove Road, Sylva, North Carolina.

Present: Jack Debnam, Chairman	Chuck Wooten, Interim County Mgr.
Doug Cody, Vice Chair	Evelyn B. Baker, Clerk to Board
Joe Cowan, Commissioner	J. K. Coward, County Attorney
Mark Jones, Commissioner	
Charles Elders, Commissioner	

Chairman Debnam called the public hearing to order and stated the purpose was to receive public input on a proposed Adult Establishments Ordinance.

Gerald Green, Planning Director, gave a brief overview of the proposed Ordinance. The Ordinance was prepared at the request of the Sheriff and the planning board recommends adoption. The county cannot prohibit adult establishments, but can require certain standards, regulations, licenses, fees, location, inspections, etc. for the operation thereof. The Planning Director has reviewed the Ordinance with the Sheriff. The county attorney has reviewed it with the Planning Director and County Manager.

**Public Comments:** No written comments were submitted and no public comments were made

There being no public comments, Chairman Debnam moved that the public hearing be adjourned. Commissioner Jones seconded the Motion. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Attest:

Approved:

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Evelyn B. Baker, Clerk

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W. J. Debnam, Chairman