

RULES AND LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE
Minutes for Nov. 15, 2011
3rd Floor Bedford County Courthouse at 5:00 PM

Present: Jimmy Woodson, Ed Castleman, Jimmy Patterson, and Chairman, Biff Farrar

Others Present: County Commissioners, Billy King, Jeff Yoes, Tony Smith, Mark Thomas, Janice Brothers, Linda Yockey, John Brown and Denise Graham; Animal Control Director, Brenda Goodrich; Times Gazette Reporter, John Carney; Director of Finance, Robert Daniel; and Executive Assistant to County Mayor, Anita Epperson.

1. **Call the meeting to order** – Chairman, Biff Farrar
2. **Roll Call** – 1 absent

Absent- Tony Barrett
3. **Prayer** – Commissioner Patterson
4. **Approval of the Oct. 18, 2011, Rules and Legislative Committee minutes** – Motion made to approve, (Castleman, Woodson) unanimous.
5. **Consideration of placing the approval of the Nov. 8, 2011 Commission minutes on the Dec. 13, 2011 Commission Agenda** – Motion made to approve without recommendation, (Woodson, Castleman) unanimous.
6. **Consideration of placing the notary applicants on the Dec. 13, 2011 Commission agenda as requested by County Clerk Kathy Prater** – Motion made to approve, (Castleman, Patterson) unanimous.
7. **OLD BUSINESS – A. Consideration of planning commission– Director wished to pass an amendment to the Bedford County Zoning Resolutions concerning Type I and Type II home occupations. Modifications had been requested by committee members and modifications were made. A motion was made to accept these modifications in the planning commission and Send to the Rules and Legislative Committee September 20 with a favorable recommendation. Deferred last month for everyone to get a better understanding.** –Motion made to approve and send to the full Commission (Patterson, Barrett) unanimous. Item was placed on the Nov.8, 2011 County Commission Agenda. Item was deferred in Commission for a public meeting to be held.Motion made for item to be placed on Dec. 13, 2011 Commission Agenda with a recommendation and a Public Hearing to be held. (Woodson, Castleman) unanimous.
8. **NEW BUSINESS**
9. **ANNOUNCEMENTS** – None
10. **ADJOURN:** 5:05 PM (Woodson, Farrar) unanimous.