

Council Notes-April 14, 2011

For questions or additional information, contact the Town Hall at 886-2177 or council members at signalmountaintn.gov.

- The Tennessee American Water Company has increased its rates 14.97%. For those inside the town, the minimum water bill per quarter will be \$66.19. Those outside the town will pay \$85.31.
- At its regular meeting on April 7th, the Planning Commission voted unanimously to recommend that the council consider increasing the number of horses allowed in the residential estate zone to one horse per acre by special permit when the horses are to be used for a riding academy.
- The Design Review Commission met in a special workshop session on April 7th to continue its revision of the sign ordinance. A first draft will be completed at its regular meeting on April 12th followed by a public input meeting in May.
- Citizens are reminded that all commercial door-to-door solicitors must display a town-issued photo-identification badge. This badge indicates that they have undergone a background check and are licensed to solicit legally. If no badge is evident, the solicitation is illegal and should be reported to the police immediately.
- The Hamilton County Parks and Recreation Department will host a public meeting for citizens to learn more about plans for the new concession/restroom facility at the baseball/softball complex. The “Shackleford Ridge Park Community Meeting” will be held Wednesday, April 13th from 5:30 to 6:30pm.
- The Signal Mountain Library will host an evening with awarding-winning author Josephine Humphrey’s on Wednesday, April 13th, at 6:30pm. The program is open to the public. For information, contact Librarian Karin Glendenning at 886-7323.
- The Tree Board has an opening for a new member. If interested, contact Noah Long at 886-3820 or download a board application from the town website and drop it off at Town Hall.