SPECIAL MEETING

PRESENT: Mayor Susan W. Kluttz, Presiding; Mayor Pro Tem Maggie A. Blackwell and Councilmen William Brian Miller and Paul B. Woodson, Jr.; and City Clerk Myra B. Heard.

ABSENT: Councilmen William (Pete) Kennedy, City Manager David W. Treme and City Attorney F. Rivers Lawther.

Mayor Kluttz and members of City Council attended a statewide press conference held by the North Carolina Department of Cultural Resources at the Salisbury Depot, located at 215 Depot Street. The press conference began at 2:00 p.m. Deputy State Historic Preservation Officer Peter Sandbeck spoke about the importance of historic preservation and its use as an economic development tool. Mayor Kluttz welcomed North Carolina Department of Cultural Resources Secretary Linda Carlisle who announced that Salisbury had been awarded a 2010 Historic Preservation Fund grant in the amount of $15,000. The grant is to be used to assist in the creation of a citywide historic preservation plan. Secretary Carlisle noted that there were nine recipients of the 2010 Historic Preservation Fund grants throughout the State.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:30 p.m.

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Susan W. Kluttz, Mayor

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Myra B. Heard, City Clerk