

Your Cameron Connection

August 2024

Steering Committee Work Continues

The committee whose findings will ultimately guide revisions to Cameron’s Land Use Plan and town zoning worked to absorb a fire hose of information on July 15. Members heard presentations from Alisa Davis of North Carolina Wildlife and Conservation, Brian Patnode of Moore County Public Utilities, Nick Levy from the Historic Preservation Commission, and Ken Orié and Tucker McKenzie of the civil and environmental engineering firm Withers & Ravenel.

Committee members learned about the current water and sewer resources of Moore County from Mr. Patnode. Ms. Davis recommended integrating a conservation plan with the Land Use Plan. Mr. Levy explained the challenges of enforcing historic preservation ordinances, while Mr. Orié laid out the timelines and resources for choosing— and paying for—infrastructure improvements.



Dewberry Café: Worth the Wait



The long-awaited opening of the Dewberry Café took place June 19 and the restaurant in the lower level of the Old Hardware Vintage Depot has been busy ever since. Open Wednesday through Sunday, it serves breakfast 8-11 a.m. and lunch 11 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Takeout is also available.

Beautification Committee Announces Award



The home of Michael Williamson and Tray Willett, here decked out for the Fourth of July, received the most recent award from the Beautification Committee.

Reminder: *If you plan to do anything outside of your home (for instance, placing a new outbuilding or structure on your property), please check with Town HaF whether the change requires a permit.*

Mark Your Calendar.....

At Town Hall:

August

- 6 - Historic Preservation Commission 5:30 pm
- 13 - Planning Board 6:30 pm
- 26 - first day of school
- 27 - Town Board 7 pm

September

- 2 - Labor Day, Town Hall closed
- 13 - Planning Board, 6:30 pm
- 11 - Patriot's Day
- 24 - Town Board, 7 pm

Mandatory water use restrictions have been lifted as of July 26.



Cameron Dedicates Welcoming Mural

Chris Dalton (above), the Sanford artist who created a colorful and evocative mural on the western side of the former Farmer's Cooperative Exchange building on Carthage street, received a framed photo of the mural and a blown-glass dewberry at the mural's dedication on July 11. Mayor Jane Ethridge (at left) introduced Phil Werz, Director of the Convention and Visitor's Bureau whose grant funded the mural. Werz told the dozens of residents assembled for the dedication that the mural is just one of the indications that Cameron is on the way up.

