



HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION MINUTES

**Reedsburg, WI
March 13, 2023**

Alder Craig Braunschweig called the meeting of the Historic Preservation Commission to order on Monday, March 13, 2023, at 5:00 PM at Reedsburg City Hall.

Present: Monica Liegel, Joan Martin, Lee Gnatzig, Orris Smith, Glen Slaats, Nancy Manion

Absent:

Staff: Brian Duvalle

Approval of Minutes

Motion by Martin, seconded by Manion to approve the 2/13/23 minutes.

Motion approved

Consider recent grant approvals: HPC website and city-wide historical survey

The survey grant is currently on step 3 of the list sent by Jason Tish from the WHS.

The Humanities grant is a match, so \$2000 will have to be matched in funds or in-kind. HPC will consider next month.

Consider recommendation for naming of former movie theater site – 115 N Webb

Discussion held on recommending adding 'Mackey' to the name such as Mackey's Market Park. The site is intended for a farmers market, and the HPC believes a downtown location is a logical spot to have a Mackey name. Gnatzig and Manion will submit a letter to Parks Committee with background info and the recommendation.

Motion by Liegel, seconded by Slaats to approve submitting a 'Mackey' naming recommendation letter after review by Braunschweig & Duvalle.

Motion approved

Consider History/Cemetery Tour

The tour will be led by Jodi Beyer from Headstones & Blooms. The tentative date is May 27, but the HPC discussed moving later into the summer such as July to provide more time. Funds from the ticket sales would go to HPC.

Consider local art in public spaces

Slaats discussed adding a flood-level marker using an example from Virginia.

Present unveiling of Agnes Moorehead mural outside Reedsburg Rec Center

Motion by Smith, seconded by Slaats to adjourn at 5:57 PM.

Motion approved

Respectfully submitted,

Brian Duvalle
Planner/Building Inspector