



HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION MINUTES

Reedsburg, WI
June 10, 2024

Chair Glen Slaats called the meeting of the Historic Preservation Commission to order at 4:30 PM in Reedsburg City Hall.

Present: Alder Jake Kummer, Monica Liegel, Nancy Manion, Orris Smith, Beth Voigt

Absent: Joan Martin

Staff: Brian Duvalle

Approval of Minutes

Motion by Smith, seconded by Manion to approve the May 13, 2024, minutes as amended.

Motion approved

Consider payment for annual domain renewal for HPC website

Motion by Liegel, seconded by Smith to approve the annual payment.

Motion approved

Review and approve Historical Survey Report

Motion by Liegel, seconded by Voight to approve the Historical Survey Report.

Motion approved

Discuss creation of a local addendum to the Historic Survey Report

Discussion held on a response from Jason Tish of the WHS. He stated that they have accepted the report as is and is now considered the official copy. Therefore if the HPC would like to see any changes, an addendum would have to be added rather than request them from Legacy Architecture.

Discuss how to address local issues with the historical survey report.

Discussion held on several questionable items such as why certain places were included and others not.

Discuss methods for commission members to follow up on recommended recognition of historic districts – residential and commercial – and assign responsibilities.

Discussion held on forming a subcommittee, walking tour, and talking to property owners. Slaats and Voight volunteered for the tour.

Discuss ideas for better awareness of local historic buildings.

Further discussion held on the walking tours such as how often and whether to coincide with another public event.

Update on projects under consideration – Devor memorial; Mackey recognition; etc.

The Devor bench is in place and just needs the side pedestals to be finished. Slaats received a bid of \$60 to bind the survey report.

Set date for next meeting.

Motion by Liegel to meet in July. Motion died from lack of a second.

Motion by Voight, seconded by Manion to approve meeting next for August 12.

Motion approved



Motion by Voigt, seconded by Smith to adjourn at 5:21 PM.

Motion approved

Respectfully submitted,

Brian Duvalle
Planner/Building Inspector