

HISTORICAL COMMISSION
Minutes

January 11, 2021 @ 1:00 p.m.

A regular meeting of the Historical Commission was held Monday January 11, 2021 in the Trenton Historical Museum.

The meeting was called to order at 1:15 p.m.

Members Commissioners Chuhran, Frost, Hudzinski, Wagar

Members absent: Murdock, Torrice

Excused absence: Murdock, Torrice

Others present: none

Approve minutes: Moved by Wagar, supported by Frost to approve the minutes of November 9, 2020 and December 14, 2020

Motion carried

Communications: none

DPW report

a. Sidewalk – drawing dropped off to Steve Mocerri on December 22nd. Frost said that she had been instructed to take it to Engineering

Motion carried

b. Bicycle rack – ask Admin Asst. to submit work order

Co-Chairman's Report –Linda Murdock

No report

Recording Secretary Report – Richard Hudzinski

No report

Corresponding Secretary – Brandon Torrice

No report

Old Business:

- a. Phone service – Chuhran -contacted IT and it is on the to-do list. Expected by end of January
- b. Display cabinets – Wagar -nothing to report
- c. Electrician – Wagar called DPW have not heard back
- d. Logo design (Moore House sign): Torrice and Wagar nothing to report
- e. Trenton Trib proposed announcement this month: nothing this month
- f. Mentoring program for volunteers: set duties for them first, then talk to the High School
- g. Loan form: Chuhran – has incoming and outgoing forms to look at. Put what commission wants on computer.

New Business:

- a. Re-open goal date: August 15, 2021
- b. Program for yard usage June 1-August 31 – sock puppets? Discussed other ideas
- c. Proposed exhibits: permanent, temporary – will discuss
- d. Recruitment challenge – put word out
- e. Security measures: cameras, lighting, Covid precautions – light on pole in backyard. Pole was replaced and light is on the ground. Request cameras, hand sanitizer and wipes. Masks must be worn and attention to social distancing
- f. Review collection policy plan: March 8, 2021. Members to look through on their own time for additions, subtractions. Oral history has never been addressed. Generate new ideas for changes in incoming and outgoing artifacts
- g. Liaison to Rec Department: Chuhran – zoom meeting next Wednesday for Trailtown initiative
- h. Work schedule: 1st. 3rd Mondays 1-3:30
- i. Request internet service for museum
- j. Christmas tree ornament collected – for next year hang on porch tree for people (kids) to take home an ornament after visit.

Adjournment: Moved by Wagar, supported by Hudzinski to adjourn meeting at 2:50 p.m.

Next Meeting: February 8, 2020 at 1:00 - location Commissions Room

Respectfully submitted,
By Richard Hudzinski