

CITY OF COTTONWOOD HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION COUNCIL CHAMBERS

826 N. Main St.

Cottonwood, Arizona 86326

MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, February 22, 2023 6:00 P.M.

I. CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Collins called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

1. Roll Call

Historic Preservation Commission Members Present:

Commissioner Stephens Commissioner Former Vice Chairman Detjen Chairman Collins

Historic Preservation Commission Members Absent

Commissioner Garrison

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Staff Members Present:

Rudy Rodriguez, Deputy City Manager Kristina Hayden, Community Development City Planner Clover Pinion, Assistant City Planner, Recorder

2. Approval of Minutes: January 25, 2023 Meeting

Motion: To approve minutes

Made by: Stephens Second: Detjen

Approved Unanimously

II. INFORMATIONAL REPORTS AND UPDATES:

Planner Hayden informed the commission that they administratively issued a Certificate of Appropriateness for the Luther White House at 1428 E. Cochise for their gate repair.

III. CALL TO THE PUBLIC: None

IV. SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS:

Chairman Collins and Planner Hayden presented Landmark Plaques to Steve and Denise Schley for the Ford house on 922 N. 2nd street and the Mattie C. Howard house on 914 N. 2nd Street. A Landmark Plaque was also presented to Elaine Bremner for the U.V.X. Smelter Machine Shop on 500 E. Cherry Street. A group photo was taken of the recipients, HPC Commission and Planner Hayden.

V. OLD BUSINESS: None

VI. NEW BUSINESS: None



VII. DISCUSSION ITEMS:

1. Landmarking Update

Chairman Collins stated that they would be walking a couple streets on March 11th. They will be asking for input on how we can update our current Landmarking application to make it less cumbersome. Once suggestions are collected Planner Hayden will make the updates and present at the HPC meeting in March for discussion and approval.

2. Historic Property Tour Update

Planner Hayden presented a PowerPoint that included a calendar with target dates, the official date of the tour Saturday, November 11th, and the responsibilities of the committee lead and its members. She asked for volunteers and Commissioner Stephens agreed to be a member. The deadline to form the committee is Tuesday, February 28, 2023. Planner Hayden informed the Commission that if a committee is not formed then the property tour will likely not take place this year.

3. Historic Residential Property Inventory

Planner Hayden gave an update on what is needed for the survey to be completed by the hard deadline of September 30, 2023. Two volunteers will be needed in order to complete the work required in the 6-8-week time frame that was given by Vincent Murray, the facilitator of our survey. The three tasks that need to be completed are photographing properties, research, and data entry. Chairman Collins stated that he will work on target dates so that the project can be completed a couple months before the deadline so as not to interfere with the Home Tour.

VIII. SUGGESTED TOPICS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS: None

IX. ADJOURNMENT:

Motion: To adjourn the meeting. Made by: Commissioner Stephens Second: Commissioner Former

Time: 6:24 p.m.