

Gunnison County Historic Preservation Commission

Online Zoom Meeting – January 19, 2022

Members Present: Kathleen Curry, David Russell, Jody Reeser, Shelley Popke, LeeAnn Mick

Others Present: Grace Shulte, Spencer Barber, Mike Pelletier

Jody opened the meeting and the minutes were discussed. LeeAnn (2nd Jody) made a motion to approve the November 17, 2021 meeting minutes. It was approved unanimously.

The group discussed the Downtown signage project. Jody said she will work on the City Hall sign next now that the Somerset application is finished.

Jody described the status of the HPC resolution changes. The next step is to work on combining the existing resolution amendments so that the current version can be more easily tracked. Kathleen asked Jody to check on a confusing email she got in early December regarding the number of members to the HPC.

Jody asked Mike to remove the student commissioner agenda item in the future, since those positions are filled. Also, Mike was asked to add Grace and Spencer to the Microsoft Teams HPC account.

Jody said she got the Somerset grant application submitted a couple days early. The group discussed the need to be sensitive to the current community issues as the HPC is a County commission. Jody said Heather is planning on helping with administering the grant and Shelley said she would also be happy to help.

Grace introduced herself to the group and described her future plans and interest in the HPC.

Spencer said that for Heather's history class, he will be conducting an oral history with a 95 year old woman that lives in Somerset.

Kathleen asked the group about the potential of designating the Crookston School, specifically since the structure is in very rough condition. The group said there is potential and that a good first step would be to put together an Outreach Sheet for the owners. It was noted that Mrs Flick taught there.

The group encouraged members to attend the upcoming Savings Places Conference.

Meeting adjourned at 6:00.