

SANDPOINT HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION MEETING

October 15, 2019

12:00 p.m. at Tango Café, Sandpoint Center
414 Church Street, Sandpoint, ID

COMMISSION MEMBERS PRESENT: Steve Garvan, Heather Upton, Sue Graves, Linda Hutten

COUNCIL/COMMISSION MEMBERS ABSENT: Jacquie Albright, Carrie Logan

COUNCIL/STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT: Associate Planner Ryan Shea (minutes)

MEMBERS OF PUBLIC PRESENT: Katie Eglan Cox

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

MATTERS FROM THE PUBLIC REGARDING ITEMS NOT ON AGENDA: None.

OLD BUSINESS:

Agenda Item A: Exploring Digital Opportunities

Upton gave an update on the walking tour on Historypin.org and said it was up and active and will send out a link of the tour to the Commission. Hutten suggested sending out a press release when this tour is active. Graves said that a formal thank you signed by the Commission would be appropriate.

Agenda Item B: Walking Tour Booklet

Graves said she recently went out and collected money from the donation boxes. Garvan shared that he restocked a number of stops with booklets, including a stop in Nelson, BC. The Commission continued to discuss distribution.

Agenda Item C: HPC Membership

Garvan spoke about membership and filling the needs of the Commission and recommending Eglan Cox. The Commission agreed she would be a good fit. The Commission spoke about adding another member that resides in town. Garvan recommended that the Commissioners think about potential candidates that are in town. Upton suggested looking at the code that requires most of the Commissioners to be within the city. Upton suggested inviting Bill Aitken to the Commission.

Eglan Cox said she's interested but she's out of town often and is afraid to commit due to her schedule. If someone has already applied, then she recommends pursuing that person. Eglan Cox would like to be kept in the loop about potential opportunities in the future.

Agenda Item D: 2020 CLG Grant – ACTION ITEM

Shea told the Commission that there are two potential conferences to attend using the CLG grant: the Idaho Heritage Conference in Boise and the NAPC Forum in Tacoma in 2020. Hutten said she could attend either conference but would prefer the NAPC Forum. Graves said she is not committed to either meeting. Garvan made a motion that for 2020 CLG grant considerations the Commission apply for 3 spots at NAPC Forum and 2 at the Boise Conference. Graves seconded. ***Motion passes unanimously.***

NEW BUSINESS: None.

OTHER MATTERS FROM STAFF/COMMISSION:

The Commission spoke about the bell that was taken down from the music conservatory. Upton shared that the bell went missing sometime in the 50s and has been unsuccessful in her search for it.

The Commission asked if staff could endeavor to follow up with the submitted application for committee membership. Shea said he would.

The Commission agreed that it would be appropriate to thank Cindy Peer for her years of service on the Commission.

Meeting adjourned at 12:50 pm.