MINUTES

HISTORIC RESOURCES COMMISSION MAY 21, 2008

The Historic Resources Commission met on Wednesday, May 21, 2008 at 4:00pm at 1 Historic Courthouse Square, Room 026.

Committee members present were: Chairman Judy Abrell, Roger Snyder, Jim Stockman, Dries Jansma.

Committee members absent were: Vice-Chair Susan Sneeringer, Imogene Miller and Donald Wilson.

Henderson County staff in attendance were: Research and Budget Analyst Amy Brantley.

CALL TO ORDER/WELCOME

Judy Abrell called the meeting to order and welcomed all in attendance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Judy Abrell noted one change to the January 23, 2008 minutes, noting that Susan Sneeringer had called the meeting to order. *Dries Jansma made the motion to approve the minutes of the January 23, 2008 meeting as amended. Jim Stockman seconded the motion. All voted in favor and the motion carried.*

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Dries Jansma discussed the properties he had reviewed as part of his survey. There are still a number of properties for which he is trying to determine the current status. There was brief discussion about what type of renovations, such as the addition of vinyl siding, would make properties ineligible for further consideration for designation.

Judy Abrell stated that now that the Commission has been in operation for a year, it can now do a local designation. There was discussion about the best way to proceed on the properties deemed eligible for further consideration. One possibility was to send a postcard out to the property owner explaining the Commission, and asking them to contact a Commission member if they were interested in designation.

There was some additional discussion about several log cabins located in the Seven Falls development and whether they could be moved, the need to add the parcel number to the survey sheet, and the fact that some Commission members were finding that a number of the structures on their lists were no longer in existence.

IMPORTANT DATES

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be Wednesday, June 18, 2008.

DATE APPROVED: