

HISTORIC RESOURCES COMMISSION

Meeting Minutes

October 23, 2023

The Historic Resources Commission (HRC) met on Monday, October 23rd, 2023, at 1:30 P.M. in the EMS Training Room at 100 N. King Street, Hendersonville, N.C. and via Microsoft Teams.

ATTENDEES

Kathie Doole, Chair
Reid Barwick, Vice Chair
Sean Smith
Knox Crowell
Mandy Gibson
Autumn Radcliff (Staff)
Liz Hanson (Staff)

ABSENT

Christy Thompson
Bette Carter

CALL TO ORDER/WELCOME

Commission Chair Kathie Doole called the meeting to order at 1:31 P.M.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no Public Comment for this meeting.

REVIEW MARCH MEETING MINUTES

The September meeting minutes were provided to the commission prior to the meeting for their review. Staff mentioned an update to the meeting agenda. Commission member Mandy Gibson motioned to approve the September meeting minutes. Vice Chair Reid Barwick seconded the motion. Motion carried.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Hendersonville HPC & Certificate of Appropriateness: Liz Hanson shared information on the city of Hendersonville's Historic Resources Commission meeting that she and several other County HRC members attended. The meeting focused on the discussion and decision on three different Certificates of Appropriateness for historic properties within the City of Hendersonville. The Commission reviewed two different COA cases from the meeting and discussed the decision-making process for approval and denial of COA's.

Historic Henderson County Summer Camps: Liz Hanson provided a presentation on historic summer camps within Henderson County. Ms. Hanson shared information on the summer camp, Camp Mondamin, located in Zirconia. The Commission discussed Camp Mondamin and a number of other summer camps that have been in operation for many years as well. The Commission also discussed the possibility of reaching out to summer camps regarding a potential historic program. The Commission discussed several potential resources for more information on historic summer camps in Henderson County and several members made plans to reach out to several different camp directors regarding their history.

UPDATES

Staff informed the commission that the Historic Resources Commission webpage on the Henderson County website has been updated and also contains information about the two County Historic Local Landmarks, St. Paul's Episcopal Church and the Samuel J. Childs House.

Staff also distributed brochures, previously discussed by the Commission, that contain information about the HRC and the Historic Local Landmarks program.

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, November 27th, at 1:30 PM in the King Street Meeting Room.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 2:15 PM.