

MINUTES
HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION

Historic Preservation Commission held a meeting on Thursday, September 29, 2011 at 4:00 P.M. in the Third Floor Conference Room, City Hall. Chairperson Scott Lewandoske chaired the meeting.

Present: Scott Lewandoske, Nancy Moudry, Rob Ecker & Jon Dolson

Excused: Ald. Carlson, Roger Lahm & Susan Hundley

Staff: Chad Pelishek

Scott Lewandoske called the meeting to order at 4:00 P.M.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Introduction of Commission members and guests.

No introduction of guests was held.

Public Input

Not held.

Approval of minutes from the May 12, 2011 meeting.

Jon Dolson moved, Rob Ecker seconded to approve the minutes. Motion carried.

Update and possible action on next group of buildings and letters sent out.

Chad Pelishek updated the Commission that the last round of letters included 150 letters and two applications were received. In order to begin the landmarking process, we need at least 4-5 interested parties.

The Commission discussed having in-home Meet and Greet sessions. Nancy Moudry stated that she would be interested in inviting her neighbors around Vollrath block. Ms. Moudry will report back to the Commission at their next meeting.

Discussion and possible action on suggestions for options for educating homeowners on the importance of Historic Preservation. Email from Rick Bernstein of the WI State Historical Society received on August 18. Email included a 14-page handout, "Local Incentives for Historic Preservation"

Copies of the handout were provided to members of the Commission. This will be reviewed at the next meeting to see what pertains to Sheboygan.

Discussion on new City website and Historic Preservation page.

Chad Pelishek explained that the City launched a new website a few months ago. One of the pages under History and Info is Local Landmarking. This page includes all the forms and brochures and describes the landmarking objective. The website is www.ci.sheboygan.wi.us

Discussion regarding house fire at 514 S. 14th Street in August.

Chairperson Lewandoske indicated that this property had a fire a month or so ago and that Chad Pelishek provided owner information. Chairperson Lewandoske was going to reach out to the owner to see if he had interested in land marking the property. It is currently a rental unit. In the past it was a jail and it still has bars on the windows.

Other topics by committee members to discuss at next meeting.

Next Meeting: October 20, 2011 at 4:00 P.M.

Being no further business, Jon Dolson moved, Susan Hundley seconded to adjourn at 4:55 P.M. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted

Chad Pelishek
Recording Secretary