

HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION FEBRUARY 17, 2022 MEETING MINUTES

MEMBERS PRESENT: Jack Giddens, Carrol Ann Coleman, Cecila Bird, Georgene Brazer, Jennifer Sheahan

STAFF PRESENT: Amanda Styer

GUEST PRESENT: None

1. Jack Giddens called the meeting to order at 3:03 pm.

2. Approval/disapproval of the October 21, 2021 HPC meeting minutes.

Carrol Ann Coleman made a motion to approve the minutes of the October 21, 2021 meeting; motion seconded by Jack Giddens and carried by all.

3. Update on 2022 CLG Grant Application

Zoning Administrator, Amanda Styer, explained the grant was applied for in order to designate The Bottom and Blueberry as residential historic districts and create design guidelines for the districts. She explained the state will announce in May if we got the grant or not.

4. Discussion on Richmond Heights Cemetery

The board discussed having an interpretive sign installed at the cemetery and also a sign naming the cemetery would be nice. Cecilia Bird felt Fig Trees behind the fence that was put up by the property owner would look nice.

There was a discussion about SCAD possibly helping with proper restoration of the brick enclosure and the grave markers. Jennifer Sheahan, who works at SCAD, stated she would discuss it with the appropriate department at SCAD if she can be sent the address and plat.

5. Discussion on Historic Preservation Month

The board discussed possibly recording people with This Place Matters hand-held sign this year and sharing on social media. Amanda Styer asked board members to bring ideas for any possible events the HPC could put on during the month of May and stated she would find out what the Historical Society is planning and how the HPC could help.

6. Other Business

None

7. Motion to Adjourn

Cecilia Bird made a motion to adjourn, motion seconded by Georgene Brazer and carried by all. With nothing further, the meeting closed at 3:43 pm.