



NOVI HISTORICAL COMMISSION MINUTES

Wednesday, MARCH 20, 2019 7pm

Novi Library History Room

Call to Order: 7:02pm

Attendance: Kathy Crawford, Dhara Sanghavi, Kelly Kasper, Rachel Manela, Kim Nice,

Introductions of guests: Betty Lang (Library Liaison), Sue Grifor

Approval of Agenda: All Approved

Approval of Minutes- FEBRUARY 2019: All Approved

Treasurer's report -Kim

Budget: \$14,000

Expenditures: \$3,666.73

Money Left: \$10,333

Communications:

Renew Michigan Historical Society Membership: \$35 All Approved

Library Liaison Report, Betty Lang

Archival supplies were donated

Display photos were found, great for our display board

NOTE: History Room hours:

April 1, 12-2 Dhara April 15, 6-8 Kim

May 6, 12-2 Tom May 20, 6-8 Dhara

Might consider Office Hours for June and July

History Conference-Sterling Heights March 22-23

Kim, Kathy, Tammy-Lee, and Betty are planning on attending

Discussion items:

Historical sights Brochure, Dhara/Tom

Pushing this to Next April and May

Thinking about a Kid Version for the future

Commission By-Laws, Rae/Dhara

Currently being looked at by City attorneys

Ongoing process...

Request from Legacy Park Director-Joseph Beyer

Request for 25-50 books sent to him. We agreed to charge him \$15 per book + S&H

Cemetery Grants question-Jeff Muck

Michigan Humanities Council?



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1954 Fire Truck (Gilbert VanSickle)

Possibly 5th Avenue Ballroom

Spring Palooza 5/17, 6-8:30 (table/set up)

Tammy-Lee

Theme: Sock Hop, Drive In Movie, 50s 60s Theme

Buy cardboard cars from Don's on Grand River

Cornelius Austin Marker/walk-through

Kathy Crawford told the City Planner, Barb McBeth that the Commission would be interested in a walk through, and taking pictures. Should be sometime in May.

First go through, then think about the marker

BACK BURNER PROJECTS

Wreaths across America

For Next Winter. We need to contact scouts, and a business to provide wreaths for this.
45 Veterans

Kelly Kasper will take the charge on this Project

We would take an ad out in Novi Today thanking the sponsors

Novi Rd. Cemetery Sign- Removal and update Marker

Business Cards

Kim is looking into prices. Approved ordering if price is comparable what the city pays for cards

Novi Today Ad

Want to do a ½ page ad -\$600

Need to make a decision by May/June Meeting for the September Issue

HISTORICAL COMMISSION PROGRAMS FOR FALL-2019: please put on your calendar

2/28 Farmington Junction 7pm re-cap

About 30 people

It went really well, people will really like.

3/21 WWI Hello Girls 7pm

4/25 Walled Lake Amusement Park 7pm

5/2 David Barr Presentation 7pm



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Old Business:

Storage Unit

Liability, Moving to Corrigan

DISPLAY CABINET DOWNSTAIRS Volunteer Sue Grifor, Cabinet MANAGER

NEW BUSINESS/Other Business

None

NOTE: Next MEETING: Wednesday, APRIL 17 -7pm

Adjourn: 8:33pm