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Landmark Preservation Commission Regular Session Council Briefing Room- City Hall 101 W. Abram Street

Thursday, October 12, 2017 6:15 p.m.

Commissioners Present

Michelle Canton, Chair Geraldine Mills Valerie Galloway Geoff Scheid Barbara Reber Dorothy Rencurrel **Absent**

Cheryl Donaldson Le Juene Montgomery Lisa Allen **Staff**

Sarah Stubblefield Estela Bush

I. Call to Order – Ms. Stubblefield called the meeting to order at 6:19 p.m.

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Announcements

Ms. Stubblefield announced our new Commissioner Mr. Geoff Scheid appointed at the 09/26/17 City Council by Roxanne Thalman.

IV. Approval of Minutes

Commissioner Reber moved to approve the August 10, 2017 minutes. Seconded by Commissioner Rencurrel, the minutes were approved by a vote of 6-0-0.

V. Demolition Permits

7100 Calender Road

The applicant submitted a demolition permit application to demolish the structures at this address along with 5 additional structure sheds etc. for a possible new subdivision development. There was no historical significance sighted.

Commissioner Reber moved to approve the release of 7100 Calender Road to the City. Seconded by Commissioner Galloway, the motion was approved by a vote of 6-0-0.

VI. Work Plan Items

- 1. Historic Tour Subcommittee Update No Update.
- 2. Local Marker Program No Update.

Ms. Stubblefield informed Commissioners Scheid about the Local Marker Program.

- 3. Historic Cemeteries on Arkansas Lane Update
 Commissioner Mills informed the Commissioners that she would be attending a
 meeting on Friday morning with the cemetery committee. She also announced that
 the City of Arlington had allocated \$30,000 for the cemetery project in the FY18
 budget. Commissioner Mills also has additional meetings scheduled with
 community leaders for additional support.
- 4. New Commissioner Appointment/Reappointments
 Ms. Stubblefield informed the Commissioners that Mr. Geoff Scheid was the only
 one and now the Commission is fully staffed.
- 5. LPC Orientation & Training October/November Ms. Stubblefield gave the Commissioners a set of dates that she is available for orientation. The Commissioners present agreed that the orientation could be done on the night they were already scheduled to meet in November.
- Other Priority Historic Resources None

VI. Social Media Outreach

- September Morgan Woodward Feature
 The September article on Morgan Woodward was published by the Office of Communication on the city's website, and social media pages.
- 2. November Social Media Outreach Item
 The Commission decided to highlight the property of Bird's Fort in Viridian.

VII. Historic Preservation Officer Report

Ms. Stubblefield informed the Commissioners that she received the final report this week from the Texas Historic Commission that we can continue to be a Certified Local Government.

Ms. Stubblefield informed the Commissioners that we will finalize the 2018 Calendar in November meeting and for Commissioners to also start thinking about 2018 Work Plan items to finalize by December meeting.

VIII. Public Forum

None

- IX. Future Agenda Items- November 9, 2017 Historic Tree at Berry Elementary
- X. Adjourn

Chair Canton adjourned the meeting at 7:12 p.m.

Michelle Canton, Chair

ATTEST:

Secretary to the Commission
APPROVED this 9th day of November, 2017