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HISTORIC RESOURCES TASK FORCE OCTOBER 7, 1998 -- 4:00 P.M. MICHIE ANNEX CONFERENCE ROOM

AGENDA

1. Approval of September 17, 1998 Minutes
2. Review of Draft Report to City Council
3. Status of Projects
4. Other Business

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**HISTORIC RESOURCES TASK FORCE
SEPTEMBER 17, 1998 -- 4:00 P.M.
MICHIE ANNEX CONFERENCE ROOM**

PRESENT:

Mr. Coy Barefoot
Mr. Fred Heblich
Mr. Daniel Bluestone
Ms. Lynne Ely
Mr. Francis Fife
Ms. Florence Bryant
Mr. Jim Eddins
Ms. Ingrid Smyer-Kelly
Mr. Mark Beliles
Mr. Lionel S. Key, Sr.

OTHERS PRESENT:

Mr. Satyendra Singh Huja

Mr. Barefoot indicated that we have received bids for local historic markers from two sign makers and they are quite different from each other in price. There ought to be five signs. \$2,000 have been committed privately. If everything works out the signs will be installed by the end of the year. The following people will prepare the text for the signs:

Scott House	Lynn Ely
Court House	Mark Beliles
Vinegar Hill	Lynn Ely and Coy Barefoot
Three Notch Rd. Corner	Mark Beliles Coy Barefoot

Mr. Heblich presented the status of the historic booklet. He indicated that he has met with the Historical Society to discuss the nature of this booklet and its distribution. He showed a the Task Force a copy of a similar booklet in Culpeper, which is organized by different tours. He also indicated that he has been in touch with the Virginia National Bank and will be meeting with them in a few days to get a commitment for funding of this booklet. Approximately 10,000 booklets will be printed, of which 2,500 will go to the Bank.

Descriptions will deal with architecture people and events. The subcommittee will be chaired by Mr. Heblich and he will work with Mr. Barefoot and Mr. Beliles. The booklet will have six sections which will be: North Downtown, West Main Street, Downtown and the Mall, University Area, Woolen Mills and Belmont, Regional.

Ms. Ely distributed the Sprint Walk Pamphlet.

Mr. Beliles distributed the Thanksgiving Festival sheet.

Mr. Barefoot and other members discussed the possibility of creating the Wertland local historic district.

Mr. Eddins felt that the Marriott Hotel proposal was not in scale with the historic character of the area.

Ms. Ely shared her concerns about the future of the old Jail. She indicated that there was a discussion of demolishing this building for expansion of the court needs.

Mr. Huja indicated that the Board of Architectural Review is proceeding with the Awards Program for recognition and preservation of historic buildings.

It was agreed that Mr. Barefoot would present the six months report to City Council on October 19, 1998. He will prepare a draft report by the end of the month to be mailed to the task force for the next meeting on October 7, 1998 at 4:00 p.m.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:00 p.m.