

HISTORIC RESOURCE TASK FORCE
Wednesday, December 12, 2001
BASEMENT CONFERENCE ROOM

1. **Approval of November 15, 2001 minutes**
2. **Status of Tour Book**
3. **Local Historic Markers**
4. **Status of 2001 State Historic Markers**
5. **Other Business**

**Historic Resources Task Force
Minutes
November 15, 2001
Michie Annex Conference Room
3:30 p.m.**

Present:

Mark Beliles
Mary Hill Caperton
Rick Britton
Benjamin Ford
Helena Devereux

Others Present:

Satyendra Singh Huja

Mr. Huja first discussed two state historic markers being considered by State Historic Resources Department. One dealing with Georgia O'Keefe and the other dealing with "The Farm." The language of the Georgia O' Keefe marker was acceptable. The State wants to remove the reference to Colonel Tarlton because there were no primary references supporting this residence. Instead they suggested adding in the end "another prominent owner was George R. Michie, cofounder of Michie Publishing Company." They also suggested that in the first sentence "is" should be replaced by "stands." The Task Force felt that there was primary evidence that Colonel Tarlton lived on this site, and Rick Britton will research this site and provide the information to convince the State Historic Resource Department. The Historic Resources Task Force felt that Tarlton was a very important person in Virginia history, and he should be mentioned on the marker as he lived on this site.

There was a discussion of local historic markers for future years. The following listing was agreed upon:

Year 2001

- Vinegar Hill
- University Corner
- Mount Zion Baptist Church

Year 2002

- Town Hall/ Levy Opera House
- Number Nothing/ Litch Storehouse
- Site of Swan Tavern
- Site of Eagle Tavern/ Farish Hotel

Year 2003

- McKee Block
- Old Jailhouse
- Carver Inn

Year 2004

- McGuffey School

- Burley School
- Jefferson School

Year 2005

- Temple Beth Isreal
- First Episcopal Church
- First Christian Church
- First Methodist Church

Year 2006

- Fry Spring's Club
- Paramount Theater
- Charlottesville Library
- Wine Maker's House

Mr. Huja indicated that he has been working with Rick Britton to get a historical and cultural map made for the Downtown area. Mr. Britton indicated that he will have it done by the end of January 2002.

Mr. Britton indicated that maps for the tour book are being updated and he understands from Mr. Garret Smith that the book will be ready by the end of the year.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday the 12th of December at 3:30 p.m.