

MINUTES

CHARLOTTESVILLE HISTORIC RESOURCES COMMITTEE

*Monday November 10, 2014 * 11:00 am – Noon*

*NDS Conference Room * 610 East Market Street*

Members Present

Edwina St. Rose, Co-Chair

Melanie Miller, Co-Chair

Ellen Wagner

Liz Sargent

Mary Hill Caperton

Staff

Mary Joy Scala

Camie Mess

Members Absent

Steven Meeks, Ex-Officio ACHS

Evelyn Mason (extended leave)

Genevieve Keller

Dede Smith

Winston Churchill Gooding

CALL TO ORDER

Melanie Miller called the meeting to order at 11:06 a.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Mary Hill Caperton moved to approve the October 13, 2014 minutes, Edwina St. Rose seconded. The minutes were approved unanimously.

PUBLIC COMMEMORATION

The Corner Marker:

- Waiting for fabrication to be completed

Court Square Markers:

- Waiting for the Corner Marker fabrication before moving forward
- Discussed the placement of the Number Nothing marker since it will not be placed on the building. It will be put in the public right-of-way on a pole. Need to look into rounding the corners so the sharp edges will not hurt a passerby.

Bus Posters:

- On hold until Court Square markers are finished.

Street Signs:

- Melanie Miller has all of the quotes and is moving forward with picking the most cost effective of the four.

Cemeteries:

- Edwina St. Rose's edits were made and another e-mail was sent out with the corrected text.
- There was a specific sentence that is being looked at and re-written in the Oakwood Cemetery marker
- The final edits will be due by next meeting so the fabrication of these markers can begin

African-American Trail:

- Same as last time, Starr Hill and Hydraulic Area are being researched and written up
- The next step is to add these to the website and to combine with a sign plan for Ivy Creek

EDUCATION

Joint Preservation Piedmont-PAPA Event:

- Thus far 65 people have RSVP'd for this event
- Edwina St. Rose and Melanie Miller are going to act as greeters
- It was brought to the attention of staff that one of the local preservation groups, Central Virginia History Researchers (CVHR), was not included in the list that went out on the invitations, it was decided that to rectify this problem the list would be printed out and set on an easel by the event schedule for the day of the event.

SPECIAL PROJECTS

GOALS FOR NEXT MEETING

- Have the Corner Maker completed
- All edits for the three cemetery markers will be completed
- All of the above items can be revisited.

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 12:00 pm