

**HISTORICAL COMMISSION**  
**Minutes**

**May 10, 2021 @ 1:00 p.m.**

A regular meeting of the Historical Commission was held Monday May 10, 2021 in the Commissions Room at Trenton City Hall

The meeting was called to order at 1:28 p.m.

**Members** Commissioners Chuhran, Frost, Wagar, Murdock, Hudzinski

**Members absent:** Torrice, Bewick

**Excused absence:** Torrice, Bewick

**Others present:** none

**Approve minutes:** Moved by Frost, supported by Hudzinski to approve minutes from April meeting as presented

Motion carried

**Financial Report: Jeff Wagar**

Commission has \$664.75 left in budget for FY20 and \$28,000 in donations

**Communications:**

- Michigan Historical Museum renewal for loan of postal unit and plaster bust. It will be signed and returned.
- David Doss from Lincoln Park sent commission a rationing folder and coupons-gass and consolidated Brass 1941 2 door Ford. Will send a thank you

**Recording Secretary Report – Richard Hudzinski**

No report

**Corresponding Secretary – Brandon Torrice**

No report

**Old Business:**

**1. Outdoor Maintenance/Improvement**

- a. DPW report (Hudzinski) no response from Administration or engineering so far
- b. Landscape  
Flower pots – added 3 planters on side of house (\$190.77) and 3 patio blocks (\$15)  
Herb Garden area – plant and maintain by commission
- c. Yardwork help – do it ourselves – garden angels are not available
- d. Security  
Yard light – Steve Mocerri looking into getting options  
Carriage shed alarm – waiting for answer to inquiry re cameras

**2. Indoor Maintenance/Improvement**

- a. Phone service – will call company to see what it takes to get phone turned on with our existing phone number
- b. Display cabinets – Moved by Hudzinski, supported by \_\_\_\_\_ to purchase (3) 3 foot cabinets at (1) 6 foot cabinet at a cost of \$3241.00 along with moving costs of \$114.95.
- c. Security cameras – still looking at options
- d. Flag room wall repair report – City should complete in a couple of weeks

Motion carried

**3. Collection policy updates**

- a. Inward, outward loan forms – to be added to policy
- b. Oral history interview sample forms – distributed for review

**New Business:**

- 1. Quilt report – 2<sup>nd</sup> quilt has been taken to Pat Rush for cleaning and repair  
Frost reports additional evidence of leak since last work day.
- 2. Art work storage dividers – checking on different options for next meeting
- 3. Inventory print out – can't currently access what is in system
- 4. Door for the garage - \$293.00. Wagar to inquire if City can install along with replacing window in door.

**Community Awareness**

- 1. Trenton Trib projected museum opening – August 15, 2021

**Exhibits** – need cabinets to complete

**Programming** – table until next month

**Volunteer report** – appeal for help on Facebook

**Adjournment:** meeting adjourned at 3:40 p.m.

**Next Meeting: June 14, 2021, 2020 at 1:00 - location Commissions Room**

**Work Dates: 5/17, 5/24, 6/7**

Respectfully submitted,

By Richard Hudzinski