Hanover
Ontario, Canada

HANOVER HERITAGE COMMITTEE MINUTES

Thursday, May 19, 2022 | 10:00 am
Conference Call

MEMBERS PRESENT	Al Morrow l Jim Rahn | Bill Switzer | Jason Rahn | Stu Lamont | Steve Fitzsimmons | Joe Schlatman
REGRETS	George Rahn
OTHERS PRESENT	Sherri Walden | Laura Christen

1. **DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST -** None

2. **ADOPTION OF March 17, 2022 MINUTES**

   Moved by Ja. Rahn l Seconded by J. Schlatman

   That the minutes of the March 17, 2022 regular meeting be approved as printed and circulated. **CARRIED**

3. **ITEMS FOR INFORMATION**

   3.1. Cultural Roundtable Update – Sub-committees are planning and implementing Music in the Square and Culture Days. Culture Days will include a 'theatre' theme with the grand re-opening of the Civic Theatre. Event Development Fund applications have been reviewed and approved. The virtual Cultural Exchange event with a focus on events and their volunteer opportunities was held May 17th. Committee supports Driftscape implementation and will use 2022 to develop the content information.

   3.2. Building Recognition Signs 2022 – Order placed for confirmed sign. Committee discussed the second property and confirmed it does meet the guideline. **ACTION**: Ja. Rahn will speak to business to confirm their direction.

4. **ITEMS FOR DIRECTION / DISCUSSION**

   4.1. Building Recognition Signs Guideline – Committee reviewed the guideline content and confirmed that it is to remain as is. The intent of the recognition is the building.

   4.2. Canada Day – Members Ja. Rahn, S. Lamont, B. Switzer and Ji. Rahn will supervise the clocktower and archive room on Fri. July 1, 11 am to 2 pm.

   4.3. Displays – Sept 23 and 24 Civic Theatre photo display – A. Morow will lead. Raceway history – plan for 2023 with J. Schlatman and S. Lamont assisting. There is an opportunity to create a photo display in the former CIP office area and committee will consider.

   4.4. Driftscape App – Story content that can be included in the Driftscape app is to be created. Committee members to consider story topics so that the content can be created. It was noted that the Hanover history books include content that could be used as stories.

Examples of stories include the Knechtel family and their importance to Hanover, Abraham Buck's discovery of Hanover, founding Town members, gun fight at Campbell's Corner, story content for our provincial plaques (Girl Guides), Heritage Square and its' historical design story and notable buildings.

4.5. Display Case – Changeover of display will be completed. Ja. Rahn and B. Switzer to assist A. Morrow.

4.6. Archives Work – Committee will plan to work after the next meeting on June 16th. Other work dates will be communicated by A. Morrow and members will assist.

4.7. Truth & Reconciliation – Should a Town wide awareness initiative be implemented; the Committee would consider how best to seek further information to understand our indigenous connections to our community.

5. NEW BUSINESS

5.1. Donation of glassware from our past was noted and it will be viewed to see what pieces are applicable to accept.

6. NEXT MEETING June 16, 2022 l 10:00am | Archives room

7. ADJOURNMENT
Moved S. Lamont
THAT this meeting be adjourned at 11:05 am. **CARRIED**

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Committee Chair

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Sherri Walden, Director of Parks, Recreation & Culture