

Dickinson Historic Preservation Commission
Meeting Report January 14, 2020

The Dickinson Historic Preservation Commission was called to order by the Chair 4:15 pm at the Dickinson Museum Center, it being noted that a quorum was not present.

Present: Steve Josephson, Commissioner/Chair, City/County Planner, Walter Hadley, Dickinson City Planner, ex officio, Bob Fuhrman, Historic Preservationist/Museum Director, City of Dickinson, ex officio and Steve Manion, archaeologist with the Bureau of Land Management.

Minutes

Due to the lack of a quorum the December 10th minutes were not reviewed or approved.

Update on related initiatives related to or impacting Historic Preservation

- Renaissance Zone activity – Steve reported that the Infinity Real Estate project should receive its certificate of occupancy soon and the Italian restaurant project will be seeking another location. Four other potential Ren. Zone projects are in the discussion stage, Steve will keep us apprised.
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- that work on the Villard Street realty office project is nearly complete. No updates on the Charbonneau project and the Italian restaurant project is awaiting an appraisal.
- Public Square Project – Walter reported there was no new information.
- Façade Improvement Program – no new information.

Old Business

Local Landmarks Plaques – Bob distributed materials related to historic building plaques programs in Milwaukee, Ann Arbor, Tampa and New Haven. Commissioners are asked to review these samples to provide feedback on what Dickinson might put in place.

New Business

Steve Manion was introduced as being interested in serving on the HPC. Bob provided him with a Citizen's Interest Form.

Bob distributed copies of the city's Historic Preservation Ordinance and Steve suggested that the commission review the ordinance for any possibly changes, updates or improvements.

The meeting was informally adjourned at 5:00. This summary submitted by Bob Fuhrman, secretary *pro-tem*.