

Anacortes Historic Preservation Board (AHPB) Meeting Minutes

Wednesday 8 January 2020

ATTENDANCE

Board Members: Mark Nihart, Gunnar Christensen, Bunny Heiner, Carolyn Suryan

Absent: Bob Ross

Staff: Bret Lunsford

MEETING OPENING

Bret opened the meeting at 4:08 pm.

Board voted to approve November minutes with date change. No meeting in December.

No Public Comment

Board elected new officers: Gunnar as Chair, Carolyn as Vice Chair and Mark as Secretary.

OLD BUSINESS

The review of the updated City Ordinance 2530 is still in process.

Planning Department is now using the new demo permit form and has been receiving pictures with permit requests of proposed demo buildings.

The board discussed ways the AHPB might help the Eagles in restoring their building.

The board discussed the Bill Mitchell legacy. Bret explained the current status of the murals.

NEW BUSINESS

Gunnar discussed a request to the City Facility Manager regarding the history of the City Hall building. He answered the request with some history. The board discussed potential projects within the City Hall building to capture its history. Gunnar's recent experience and historical research on the City Hall building was the core of the discussion.

MEETING CLOSE

Meeting Adjourned at 4:51 pm.

Next meeting, Wednesday February 12th 4:00 pm at the Anacortes Museum.