

Minutes of the Williamson County Historical Commission

A regular meeting of the Williamson County Historical Commission was held on March 13, 2014, in the Williamson County Courthouse at 710 Main Street, Georgetown, TX. P.J. Stevens served as Chair and Barbara Glasscock served as secretary.

The Chair called the meeting to order at 4:07 p.m.

Members present: Mildred Davis, Kandy Dipprey, Dan Doss, Clare Easley, Winnann Ewing, Barbara Glasscock, George Meyer, Mickie Ross, Laura Sue Smith, P.J. Stevens, David Voelter, and Wayne Ware.

There were no guests present.

Judie Bordic will be temporarily moved to associate status.

The Chair called for review of the January 2014 minutes. Mickie Ross moved that the minutes be approved. Mildred Davis seconded the motion. Motion passed by unanimous hand vote.

Treasurer's Report:

Mildred Davis presented the treasurer's report. The bank balance as of March 10, 2014 is \$12,086.80. Kandy Dipprey moved that the treasurer's report be approved. Clare Easley seconded the motion. Motion passed by unanimous hand vote.

Mildred received a letter from the National Trust for Historic Preservation for membership renewal. Kandy Dipprey moved that the WCHC renew its membership in the amount of \$30. Clare Easley seconded the motion. Motion passed by unanimous hand vote.

Mildred will also add the beginning and ending balances to the treasurer's report.

Old Business:

Kandy Dipprey has placed many calls to the county concerning a damaged historical marker. She finally talked to Ron Roberts and the marker has been repaired.

Committee Reports:

Markers -

Mickie Ross reported that there were 300 in attendance for the Tex Avery marker dedication that was held in February at the Howard Theater in Taylor. She also attended the Baptist Church dedication the next day.

Mickie is working with a couple of people on markers for next year.

David Voelter talked with Martha Risinger from Killeen concerning a marker for the Smalley Cemetery.

Cemetery –

Wayne Ware reported that things have been going kind of slow on the McNutt Cemetery. The family is now looking at putting a fence around it. The landowners are willing to give a right of way for road access and the cemetery to family members.

Wayne is having problems locating someone responsible for the Gardner Cemetery. There is no one listed as landowner.

There is a piece of property located off CR 239 toward Jarrell that is being purchased by a company who want to excavate it for gravel and limestone. There is a cemetery that is located in that area that needs to be identified.

Oral History –

Due to the status change of Judie Bordic to associate member, Kandy Dipprey has taken over coordinating the oral history interviews that were previously set up.

Membership/Outreach –

Kandy Dipprey had nothing new to report.

Infrastructure –

Dynamic Environmental Associates, Inc. sent correspondence to the Chair revising the site number on a previous request concerning the construction of a communications tower. He will notify them that the WCHC still has no knowledge of any historic resources that might be affected by the project.

New Business:

The Chair has completed and submitted the THC annual report.

Meeting adjourned at 4:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Barbara Glasscock, Secretary.