

**Muscatine County Historic Preservation Commission
OFFICIAL MONTHLY MEETING AGENDA
MODIFIED AGENDA**

**Wednesday, March 9, 2022
At County Administration Building**

Call to Order

Roll Call and Guests

Commissioners: Allgood, Beveridge, Collins, Daufeldt, Koellner, Ochiltree, Pruitt, and Furlong.

Order of Business

- A. Approval of Agenda- Koellner**
- B. Approval of Minutes- February 9, 2022- Daufeldt**
- C. Approval of Financial Reports - Daufeldt**

Old Business

- D. Historic Jail Museum Preservation and Reuse Funding - Pruitt (possible action items)**
 - 1. Mike Nolan – Final drawings on Historic Jail project**
 - 1. Presentation to County Board of Supervisors**
 - 2. Friends of the Old Jail fundraising – pledges and income to CFGM**
 - 3. Other Action items - Marketing promotion - Collins**
- E. Rural Schools and Churches CLG grant-Daufeldt – possible action items**
 - **Copies sold to date**
 - **Marketing and signage of Historic schools and churches update– – Furlong, Daufeldt, Pruitt, Ochiltree and Allgood**
 - 1. Status of Order of 16 signs from Iowa Prison Industries for Pike Township**
 - 2. Correspondence with landowners – Response from landowners for placement – timeline for installation – update**
 - **Presentation at Iowa Summit on use of Historic Bridge funds = Pruitt**
- F. Nichols Area Historic Grants Updates- Pruitt – possible action items**
 - **Nichol’s home – update-**
 - **St. Mary’s Church NHR nomination status with National Park Service**
- G. West Liberty Heritage Foundation – NHR nomination status with National Park Service**
- H. Wilton Historic Neighborhoods – Allgood/ Ochiltree – possible action items**
 - **Buildings or Districts to be nominated in 2022**

I. Historic Fairport Fish Hatchery Master Plan -Stevens, Pruitt, and Bosten - possible action items

- **Signage – 175th year – approved by State of Iowa - - Pruitt (sign order and deliver date) – update**
- **other**

I. Muscatine County Fair Grounds amphitheater – Koellner/Pruitt/

- 1. CLG Approved by Cultural Affairs - Kelsey Morris is Fair contact – Contractor to be selected for structural evaluation –**

J. Friends Groups and financial reporting - action

- Muscatine County Historic Preservation Commission Chair or Secretary/Treasurer or the Muscatine County Budget Administrator authorized to receive and view fund activity and balance for the Muscatine County Historic Preservation Commission Charitable Fund within the Community Foundation of Greater Muscatine.
- Amend the 06-05-2019 Muscatine County Historic Preservation Commission Charitable Fund agreement within the Community Foundation of Greater Muscatine to state distributions from the Fund may be recommended by the Chair or Secretary/Treasurer of the Muscatine County Historic Preservation Commission or the Muscatine County Budget Administrator.

K. Potential 2022 work areas

- 1. Selecting locations for Muscatine County Historic Register and possible signage by townships**
- 2. Location of Grange Halls, od Depots, towns no longer in existence in Muscatine County –**
- 3. Transportation in Muscatine County - Stagecoach routes, railroads, depots, ferry crossings, early highways (Highway 6 and travel cabins), interurban from Davenport to Muscatine, old rail depots and supporting buildings and businesses. old bridges**
- 4. Non-existent business that helped make Muscatine County historic businesses**
 - Fruit and Vegetables Industry**
 - Other businesses which were notable in Muscatine County**
 - Placement on MAGIC other historic locations to include cemeteries**

J. Upcoming Meeting – April 13

K. Open Discussion