

**Muscatine County Historical Preservation Commission
OFFICIAL MONTHLY MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT**

Wednesday, November 11, 2020 at noon

**Environmental Learning Center
Discovery Park**

3300 Cedar St, Muscatine, IA 52761

12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CDT)

Meeting will be in person in conference room

Adhering to CDC guidelines (masks, et. al)

Order of Business

1. Review October 2020 meeting minutes (distributed with agenda) (Daufeldt)
2. Treasurer Report (Allgood)
3. Introduction of new members – Becky Furlong and Pam Collins
4. Meeting reviews by members since last meeting other than covered below (All)
5. Update on Status, discussion and possible action of Historic Jail Museum/Archive potential grants and fund-raising – awaiting funding by State – end of October. (Update – discussion with Lisa Wertzbaugher, grant writer)
6. Update Field Services Grant completed for Historic neighborhoods in West Liberty and Wilton — No meetings occurred this month. Koellner discussion with Leah Rogers report. Possible action may be required.
7. Discussion of CLG Grant for County Schools and Churches.
 - a. Status of volunteer’s field review of townships by Leah Rogers. Townships remaining for field review. (Daufeldt, Pruitt)
 - b. Report from Commissioners on intensive survey of churches and schools from historic documents in the townships. (All)
8. Any Status change on NRHP for Nichols Historic Commercial District decision with National Park Service– Letter sent by National Park Service to Jennifer Price/Pruitt/City of Nichols. (Pruitt)
 - a. Update on Field Services Report on Nichols Saint Mary's Church. Amount of contract, contractor, timeline for contract and required action by Commissioners. (Pruitt) Further Action required.
 - b. Additional buildings for consideration in Nichols
 - c. Plaque for Nichols District, presentation to council, newspaper (Index, Journal, et. al) – time and location plus commissioners for presentation (Pruitt)
 - d. (What is possibility of a PowerPoint on the various buildings on Ijem with some history for future presentations?)

9. Update of discussion on historic building(s) and grounds at Fairport State Fish Hatchery including discussions with DNR. Pruitt/Stevens
 - a. Possible Friends group. – Status of implementation? (Stevens, Pruitt)
 - b. Other information on progress of pump house report by Iowa Cultural Affairs.
 - c. Will the total site be eligible for National Historic Register?
 - d. Progress of gazebo and historic info at Fish Hatchery? (Pruitt)
 10. HRDP Grants – Spring – (Board member and Wertzbaugher) - ongoing
 11. Update County website with all Historic locations in County – map and website. (Daufeldt)
 12. Iowa's Rural Revitalization grant round now open: Deadline Feb. 1, 2021 (Pruitt, Wertzbaugher) – Action possible
 13. CLG - US-6 and Mohawk Avenue, Moscow, IA 52720 - Trileaf #672201 – Action required
2. Training – Preserve Iowa Summit – Handout materials provided – (Lynn Pruitt, Trainer) – 40 minutes required
3. Upcoming meetings
 - a. Nichols city leaders on location of plaque for NHR
 - b. Fund raising committee for Historic Jail
 - c. City of West Liberty leaders for potential historic districts and preparation of CLG
 - d. Commissioners/surveyors complete travel to Country Schools and Churches with Leah Rogers for details on site.
 - e. Meetings with IDNR/McCarley on Fish Hatchery project.
3. Open Discussion
 4. Confirm next meeting date and location – December 9 – Early Learning Center