



BOARD NOTES



Arts and Culture Commission
Regular Meeting
August 5, 2021; 7:05PM

Notes were taken by Julie Sailus
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Looking to committee to fill gaps

1. Call to order

2. Roll call

Absent: Dusty Conley, Dwydell Garrett, Josh Gardner

Present: Timothy Price, Lynn Blasey, Colleen Burke, Julie Sailus, Mara, Faina

3. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

Discussion of the removal of the Pledge of Allegiance from the meeting agenda. Will be discussed next meeting. Input from Mara that Boards in other areas do NOT say it.

4. Announcements by Public Officials

5. Public Comment (two minutes limited to Arts and Culture Commission and Beautification issues)-
No Public Comment

6. Approval on Agenda

Motion- Tim

Second- Lynn

7. Approval of Minutes from the last meeting

Motion - Tim

Second - Lynn

SECTION I: AGENDA ITEMS – For Discussion/Action/Information

A• HACC Motor City and Ferndale Pride program recap (Lynn, Tim & Dusty) – Pride subcommittee

B• HACC newsletter (see GFAC's for example) + membership (future) - Tim

C. Historical Commission spearheading a variety of activities for Hamtramck's centennial in 2022

Proposed 2022 100th City Anniversary Celebration

(Tentative list)

- School essay/video contest – “What Hamtramck mean to me.”
- Develop a 100th anniversary logo.
- Conduct a 100th Celebrate Hamtramck Parade on Labor Day to replace the Polish Day parade, which has moved to Warren...
- Scavenger hunt across the city with a historical theme.
- Art contest – Prepare an artistic representation that captures the spirit of Hamtramck.
- Make “Celebrate Hamtramck” the theme of the 2022 city festival.
- Hamtramck Birthday Party – Similar to the 80th birthday party held in 2002 in Zussman Park. All residents age 80 and older invited as honored guests.
- SAR (Sons of the American Revolution) and DAR (Daughters of the American Revolution) dedication of memorials at grave of Col. Hamtramck on Memorial Day.
- Summer concert at Zussman Park dedicated to Hamtramck.
- Diversity Day – a special event at Veterans Memorial Park or Keyworth Stadium to highlight Hamtramck’s great diversity. Could include a fashion show, arts presentation, music, dancing.

AT THE HAMTRAMCK HISTORICAL MUSEUM

- Podcast series - monthly series on how Hamtramck came to be the city it is today. This will be done at the Historical Museum.
- Presentation of Hamtramck history Classes at the Hamtramck Historical Museum. This will especially be geared toward new, immigrant residents, although open to all. It will be free.
- Memory wall at Hamtramck Historical Museum. Send in your favorite memories and photo to be paced on display at the museum
- Celebrating great Hamtramckans and/or history of Hamtramck display and presentation at the Hamtramck Historical Museum. Or this could be a two-part series, one part each month.



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- D. HACC website update – Tim
Work in Progress
Call to the community for photos as an idea?
Scavenger Hunt via Social Media
- E. Update on a potential 'Getting To Know You Series' (event/festival) – Colleen
First Poet acquired, National Award Winning
People to join the subcommittee needed, Mara's intern Gabby
Looking for a Polish Performer/Poet
Talk to Konrad about Grant Work
Keep track of Subcommittees of the past to connect new projects back
- F. Documenting street arts in Hamtramck – Lynn, Dusty & Tim, with Hamtramck's murals and where we stand on preserving public art
Next Month
- G• Pope Park & statue - Julie
Mason company came to look at current updates and plan for future
Providing a quote to Julie and will review with Pope Park Committee
- H• Social Media –
- I. HCI Quarterly Meeting Update
Tim to Attend for Dusty
- J. Facebook and Go FundMed-
General Operating Captial Fundraiser
FB and GO FUND ME Fundraising for Committee?
- K. EMU's Quick Build – Tim & Jessica
JOS CAMPAU location chosen
Holbrook to Hamtramck Drive
- L. Hamtramck Labor Day Festival Subcommittee Update and organize for HACC
CANOE
Currently housed at LYNSS 2255 Faber
Building ever Monday
Need Screws to replenish
Design should be light weight
Need team mates to push
Call for Action
- HACC to try and combine with Historical Commission for a larger footprint and less need for volunteers at the table
Printed materials will be needed
Information on boards needing members
Updates on the committee
connect to community
PONCHOS
- M. Sarah Garrett Park update (Lynn)
RAIN DATE
Temporary Monument on site
- N. Confirm Thursday, 02 Septembert 2021 A&C Meeting



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SECTION II: OTHER ITEMS

1. Chairman's Report

Mention of Bus Trip from Disco Walls to connect Flint Art experiences
Campaign Signs buttons and pins available for BLASEY
Participating in Ferndale Pride - Lynn needs date
Summer Youth Program- Mara

2. Members' Report

ADJOURNMENT

Tim

2nd Lynn

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