

St. Mary's County, Maryland
HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION
MINUTES
March 22, 2018

Present:	Carol Moody, Chair Anibal Delgado, Member Eve Love, Member Kent Randell, Member Sean Wickers, Member	Absent:	Rob Gibbs Teresa Wilson
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Call to Order: The scheduled meeting of the HPC was called to order at 4 p.m.

Roll Call and confirmation of quorum: Confirmed that Quorum was present.

Recognition of Guests: Kathleen Easley, Acting Deputy Director of Land Use and Growth Management.

Approval of Agenda: Motion by Ms. Love, seconded by Mr. Randell to approve the Agenda. Motion passed unanimously.

Approval of Minutes: Motion by Mr. Randell, seconded by Mr. Delgado to approve the February 22, 2018 Minutes. Motion passed unanimously.

Reports:

- a) Report from Staff
Ms. Brady's replacement is anticipated to start on 7 April. Ms. Brady will use the time to train the replacement in job requirements.
- b) Report from Cemetery Committee – None

Old Business:

- a. Hen Coop Cemetery Cleanup – Carol Moody reported that participants were only allowed to clip vegetation.
- b. Ms. Love requested for the Commission members to receive a copy of the letter sent to the Maryland Legislature in support of a proposed bill to insure family access to local cemeteries and to require local governments to note on deeds if a cemetery is located on a parcel, and the sale of burial grounds.

New Business:

- a) Selection of Historic Preservation Award Nominations. Ceremony on May 15, 2018 in the Commissioner's Meeting Room. The following nominations were submitted: Lower Notley Hall (restoration by Jack and Cindy Pratt); Medstar Hospital (History of Hospital Display); Ms. Noreen Norton for organizing Hen Coop Cemetery cleanup; and Don Cropp for renovation of the Drayden African American

Schoolhouse. Mr. Randell made a motion that all nominations be accepted. Mr. Delgado seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Announcements:

Lexington Park ARTS Park Cherry Blossom Festival, Sunday, April 8 noon to 4
Sotterley – Resurrection Manor and Why It was Lost – April 18, 2018 – Time 6:00 pm
(registration required)
Coalition to Protect Maryland Burial Sites – Towson – May 5, 2018 from 9 am to 3:30 pm
(registration required)

Items from the Floor:

Eve Love confirmed that the May meeting will be held at her house for Gracie’s retirement.

Maryland Day Activities: Saturday, March 24th, Historic St. Mary’s City; Sunday, March 25th
Drayden School House; Monday March 26th St. Clements Island

April 28 2018 So Maryland Celtic Festival

Adjournment: Motion by Eve Love, seconded by Anibel Delgado to adjourn the meeting.
Motion passed unanimously and the meeting was adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

Submitted By:

Signed by:

Eve Love

Carol Moody, Chair

Date: Approved on April 26, 2018