



Cowlitz County Historic Preservation Commission

Virtual Meeting conducted via Go-To-Meeting

Meeting Summary

Thursday, January 13, 2022

10:00 am: ROLL CALL: Chair Joel Rupley called the meeting to order.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

Deputy Chair – Harvey Williamson
Erin Thoeny
Vacant Position

Bill Watson
Chair – Joel Rupley
Dr. David Rice

COMMISSIONERS ABSENT:

none

STAFF PRESENT: George Winn – Senior Policy & Outreach Planner, Paul Galli – County Surveyor, Jason Lugo – Associate Policy and Outreach Planner

CHANGES TO AGENDA: none

APPROVAL OF MEETING SUMMARIES: The November 2021 meeting summary was approved. A quorum was not available to hold a December 2021 meeting.

SHORT ANNOUNCEMENTS/UPDATES:

- Jonelle McCoy of the Washington Main Street Program discussed upcoming trainings, Commended the Commission on the 'Affiliate' Status, and discussed initiatives applicable to Cowlitz County.
- Board of County Commissioners is accepting applications for Vacant, At-Large, Non-Professional, Position
- The former Reynolds Aluminum plant will be demolished. Commission discussed memorializing the historical impact of the facility.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

- None

AGENDA ITEMS:

Discussion: Historic Property Inventory Sub-Committee

- Discussed work to date. Commissioners discussed the need for more time prior to releasing press release. No-Action taken.

Discussion: 2021-2022 Cowlitz Trails Grant Project

- Discussed content and approach for Cowlitz Trails Project
- Discussed project timeline and deliverables
- Discussed means to collaborate with FT Vancouver, including virtual or in-person events

ADJOURNMENT: Chair Joel Rupley adjourned the meeting

The next Historic Preservation Commission meeting is scheduled for **February 10, 2022 from 10AM to 11:00AM.**