

HAMBURG HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION MINUTES

November 22, 2021

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm. This meeting was held in person at the Municipal Building located at 16 Walkkill Avenue, Hamburg, New Jersey 07419.

Chairman Barr invited all in attendance to participate in the flag salute.

Statement of Certification: This meeting is in compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act, Public Law 1975, Chapter 231, Sections 4 and 13, as advertised by Annual Notice.

Roll Call: Dan Barr, Thomas Graham, John Haig, Charles McMickle and Art Walton. Absent: Emily Banta. Councilwoman Joyce Oehler and Wayne McCabe were in attendance.

Meeting Minutes of July 26, 2021: A motion was made by McMickle, second by Graham to approve the minutes of July 26, 2021 with all others in favor.

Bills/Vouchers:

A. New Jersey Herald - \$15.60

A motion is made by Graham, second by Haig to approve the invoice from the New Jersey Herald for payment with all others in favor.

Correspondence:

There is no correspondence.

Chairman's Agenda:

Chairman Barr proposes to start a process for honoring homeowners and business owners for their efforts keeping up their historic residences or places of business. Property and business owners would be nominated and plaques would be awarded annually to acknowledge them.

McCabe suggests May would be an appropriate month to present the plaques since it is National Historic Preservation month.

New/Unfinished Business:

A. NJ DEP Grant in Aid Application FY2022

Application deadline: January 21, 2022

Chairman Barr indicates that since there is no money in the budget for preparing the application, there is no point in applying for a grant at this time.

A motion is made at 7:15 p.m. by Barr, second by Haig with all others in favor to open to the public.

Mayor Marino indicates that the Borough is working on a museum.

Mayor Marino adds that the governing body could discuss funding for the grant application during an upcoming budget meeting. Chairman Barr indicates he would rather hold off until next year.

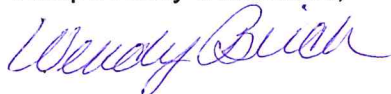
Chairman Barr discusses a revision to the ordinance to reflect that the Borough no longer has a historical society.

Graham briefly discusses the Wheatsworth Mill property and the designation.

A motion is made at 7:15 p.m. by McMickle, second by Haig with all other in favor to close to the public.

A motion is made by McMickle, second by Barr at 7:28 p.m. to adjourn the meeting with all in favor.

Respectfully submitted,



Wendy Brick, Secretary
Hamburg Historic Preservation Commission