

Historic Preservation Commission

Meeting Minutes

Town of Greenville, Indiana

Town Hall

January 17, 2017 @ 6:30 p.m.

ATTENDEES: Andy Lemon – Ad-hoc member
Matt Uhl
Monica Schamel

OLD BUSINESS

1) **Approval of Bylaws**

Councilman Andy Lemon called the meeting to order with the first order of business being to approve the bylaws. Discussion regarding edits of the bylaws were conducted electronically by email. The bylaws were accepted as is with a motion by Monica Schamel to approve and a second by Matt Uhl. The motion passed 2-0. Ad-hoc members are non-voting members.

2) **Discussion, Review, and Approval of Historic Preservation Plan**

Councilman Andy Lemon mentioned that he sent a copy of the Historic Preservation Plan to Laura Renwick with Indiana Landmarks for review and input. Ms. Renwick made several comments within the document and made some suggestions to make the tasks more manageable. Matt Uhl made a motion to accept the Plan as is while incorporating Ms. Renwick's suggestions. Monica Schamel seconded. The motion passed 2-0.

3) **Presentation of the Plan to the Town Council**

Councilman Lemon stated that the Plan will need to be presented to the Town Council at the next meeting. Matt Uhl volunteered. The next Town Council meeting is February 13th at 7:00p.m.

4) **Communications with PPG**

Councilman Lemon stated that he sent a communication to Katie Kirkpatrick of PPG to engage them regarding their Colorful Communities initiative and Greenville's relationship to PPG's founder, John B. Ford. Ms. Kirkpatrick responded that PPG recently changed their policy regarding the Colorful Communities initiative and that they are only accepting nominations from internal employees.

NEW BUSINESS

1) **Election of Officers**

Councilman Lemon nominated Matt Uhl for Chair of the Commission and Monica Schamel for Vice Chair. A motion was made by Monica Schamel to accept the nominations as is with a second from Matt Uhl. The motion passed 2-0.

2) **Additional Members (*Expansion of the Commission to residents outside of Floyd County*)**

Councilman Lemon stated that he would draft an ordinance to amend the current Historic Preservation Ordinance which will allow for people who are employed within Floyd County to also apply for the Historic Preservation Commission.

NEXT MEETING – March 21st at 6:30 p.m. at Town Hall