CITY OF BELVIDERE HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION MINUTES

July 24, 2018 5:30 pm City Council Chambers 401 Whitney Boulevard

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Staff Present:

Becky Tobin

Filitsa Platopoulos Alexandra Omiotek Gina DelRose, Community Development Planner

Members Absent

David Kummerow, Chair Lisa Kummerow, Vice Chair Anna Pivoras Kris Bryan

There was no quorum present so only general discussion was held.

MINUTES: None.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

NEW BUSINESS: None.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Work Plan

2019 Awards Program: No update

<u>Promotional/Fundraising Events:</u> Sandie handed out a flyer for the Boone County Historical Museum and Ida Public Library's Cemetery Tour being held on September 15, 2018.

Gina DelRose stated that the Park District is interested in having the Baltic Mill participate in the Progressive Dinner Tour.

Gina DelRose stated that she would reach out to the Commissioners to see what weekend in September works best for everyone.

Gina DelRose stated that she will reach out to the owners of the Post Office building

Becky Tobin suggested reaching out to the owners of the Ramsay House and Herbert Home.

Due to having two events in September, discussion regarding postponing the October Stained Glass Window Tour was held.

<u>Leath Warehouse Update:</u> Becky Tobin stated that the City's interns are working on grant applications for the building.

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<u>Maintenance Small Grant:</u> Gina DelRose stated that she has spoken to 2 homeowners that plan on applying next year.

<u>10 Year Plan:</u> Gina DelRose stated that the City's intern sent out a letter to potential landmark properties and several have responded with interest. Gina DelRose stated that she also believes the new building inspector would be willing to support historic preservation.

Becky Tobin stated that another grant cycle is probably approaching soon.

Expenditures: No updates

Friends of Preservation: No updates

OTHER BUSINESS:

Images of American Belvidere and Boone County

Royalties: No updates
Book Sales: No updates

DISCUSSION:

Newsletter- No updates

Name Tags- Gina DelRose showed possible logo images and said she would continue working on getting the nametags ordered.

Becky Tobin stated that she would prefer the nametags to say "Commissioner" instead of a name so that they can be reused.

COMMUNICATIONS/PLANNING REPORTS:

<u>Staff Report:</u> Gina DelRose stated that the owner of 527 Pearl Street submitted an application for Local Landmark status.

NEXT MEETING DATE: August 28, 2018

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 5:55 pm.

Recorded by

Gina DelRose

Community Development Planner