



MURRAY CITY HISTORY ADVISORY BOARD

MEETING MINUTES

February 26, 2025

03:30 PM

296 E. Murray Park Ave

HISTORY, RESOURCE, EDUCATION

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR JANUARY 15, 2025

Members: Roxanne Cowley, Arilyn Jensen, Margaret Horton, Dana Dmitrich, David Christensen, Laurie Densley

Attendees: Wendy Parsons Baker

Excused: Wendy Richhart

City Staff: Lori Edmunds, Rowan Coates

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Laurie called for a motion to approve the minutes for January 15. Roxanne motioned to approve the minutes and Roxanne seconded the motion. All were in favor and the minutes passed unanimously.

CITIZEN COMMENT(S)

Those wishing to have their comments read into the record may send an email by 5:00 p.m. the day prior to the meeting date to ledmunds@murray.utah.gov. Comments are limited to three minutes or less (approximately 300 words for emails) and must include your name and address.

There were not citizen comments.

BOARD REPORT(S)

There were no board reports.

STAFF REPORT(S)

i. Theater update, Lori

Katie reported that the concrete on the stage floor has been poured so the rooms under the stage had been started. She said the chair campaign is just about ready to release and explained the preservation charge was a small fee added to each ticket sold to insure funding for repairs etc. of the theater. She thought the theater will be open in the fall and there are plans for soft opening in July. She also said that the July musical, "Honk" will be performed there.

The board asked where the Candy Cane on the front of the theater was, and Lori explained that the construction company has rights to what is in the building when they are given the keys, and she did not know where it was.

ii. Museum updates

* Grand opening - May 2, 2025

* Arbor Day exhibit - Rowan

* Rotary clock - Lori

Rowan updated the board on our Cemetery tours in May, 6 of the 8 slots are filled and we are looking for volunteer storytellers.

Lori gave an update on our Grand Opening event. Mayor Hales will say a few words and cut the ribbon on the front porch. The opening will be worked in shifts since it will be from 10-7. We will have cookies in the dining room, and we will be giving tours through the museum.

BUSINESS ITEM(S)

i. **Semi quincentennial, 250 Year anniversary of the United States of America**

There was no business to discuss.

Laurie motioned to adjourn the meeting, and Arilyn seconded. All voted in favor.

ADJOURNMENT

The next scheduled meeting will be held on **Wednesday, March 26, 2025, at 3:30 p.m. MST located at Murray City Parks Office, 296 E. Murray Park Avenue, Murray, Utah.**

The Parks and Recreation Office will use its best efforts to accommodate the disabled. Special accommodations for the hearing or visually impaired will be made upon request and directed to the Parks and Recreation office 264-2614 at least three working days prior to the meeting.

Committee members may participate in the meeting via telephonic communication. If a Committee member does participate via telephonic communication, the Committee member will be on speakerphone. The speakerphone will be amplified so that the other Committee members and all other persons present will be able to hear all discussions.

At least 24 hours prior to the meeting, a copy of the foregoing notice was sent to the City Recorder to post in conspicuous view in the front foyer of the Murray City Center, Murray, Utah. A copy of this notice was also posted on Murray City's internet website www.murray.utah.gov and the state noticing website at <http://pmn.utah.gov>.

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