



Pleasant Grove Historic Preservation Commission Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date and Time: Thursday, September 17, 2026, 7 PM

Meeting Place: Old Town Hall (105 South 100 East)

Opening Motions

Excused: Laurel Cunningham, Suzanne Seegmiller, Teri Maneha

Motion to begin meeting:

Second: Amy Wadley

Motion to approve August meeting minutes: Amy Wadley

Second: Nancy Webster

Monthly Subcommittee Check-in Reports

Conduct subcommittee monthly check-in reports from subcommittee heads:

Preservation (Chris Schow)	<p>Give updates on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pins project: Examples of the rodeo (movable piece), carnival (movable piece), and Strawberry Days were passed around to get an idea of what the pins would be like. It was discussed that the launch time could be during Strawberry Days. The budget for the pins would need to be roughly \$3000. Chris has a cost breakdown and all the numbers. Hopefully donations can be found to help with costs. The idea of putting historic markers around that tie to a pin. Chris will send an email with all the details, and he will be reaching out to Lisa Young.• America's Most Endangered Historic Places: An advocacy for historic preservations. Application must be in by October 1st.• Ordinance proposal to Daniel Cardenas: Chris is still working on ordinance to send to Daniel.
Community Outreach (Amy Wadley)	<p>Outline status of the October "Strange but True Stories from PG History" fall lecture.</p> <p>--October 26th at 6:30. Jetta Halliday and Carla Huntsman will tell a couple stories. Laurel will start advertising.</p> <p>--Christmas Dec 7th. In the brainstorming phase at this point.</p>
Archives (Sharalyn Howcroft)	<p>--Several yearbooks were donated to us.</p>
History & Publications (Laurel Cunningham)	<p>Laurel is writing "Strange but True Stories from PG History" scripts for storytellers for our fall lecture.</p> <p>"They Came to Battle Creek" book rolled out at Heritage Festival, and we sold 9 copies (now for sale at city hall).</p>

Attendance September 17th 2026:

1. Amy Wadley
2. Grace Monson
3. Chris Schow
4. Eleesha Tucker
5. Denise Trickler
6. Sharalyn Howcroft
7. Nancy Webster
8. Jeanne Holdaway
9. Katrina Gifford