

## IDAHO FALLS HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION

Regular Meeting, May 7, 2009

Noon

Annex Conference Room

City Hall Annex Building

**Attending:** Roxane Mitro, Chair; Graham Whipple; Julie Braun; Hereschell Mynarcik; Shirley Chastain; Nancy Boland. Renee Magee, staff.

The meeting convened at Noon. Braun moved and Whipple seconded to approve the minutes of March 12, April 10, and April 30 as written. The motion passed.

**May 16 Tour:** Mynarcik led the discussion on the May 16 tour. Arrangements had been made for refreshments at O. E. Bell prior to the tour and at his home afterwards. Great Harvest is donating the refreshments at O. E. Bell. Water will be available at Kate Curley Park as well as a porta-potty. Vintage cars will be on display at O. E. Bell. Sanborn maps of the neighborhood will be on display in the lobby as well as brochures and reference books on historic preservation and rehabilitation. Flyers completed by Deb Petty have been distributed. A brochure on Daniel J. Sweeney, contractor, will be distributed as part of the tour material. The tour can be led by Reggie Fuller, Graham Whipple, Julie Braun, and Renee Magee if more than fifty people attend the tour. Chastain will have notecards with the painting of the G. G. Wright home done by Marjorie Clearwater available.

**Notebook:** Magee distributed a three ring binder with the city ordinance creating the Commission, excerpts from the Idaho open meeting law and historic preservation statutes, and copies of the nominations for Ridge Avenue Historic District, 11<sup>th</sup> Street Historic District, and Holy Rosary Catholic Church as well as the facade grant application process. A copy of the nomination of the Idaho Falls Municipal Airport was not available.

**Self-assessment:** Magee asked the Commission to consider their work program for next fiscal year as well as their priorities. The Commission has discussed enactment of the downtown design guidelines, a mid-century modern calendar and nomination, a nomination for Tautphaus Park as a cultural landscape, land use regulations or a local district for the numbered streets, and a nomination for the lettered streets. The discussion was tabled until the June meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 1:10 p.m.

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Renee Magee, Recording Secretary