

Minutes of the Kanab City Heritage and Historic Preservation Board

April 3, 2023, 5:30 pm

Kanab City Office, 26 N 100 E, Kanab UT 84741

Kyler Ludwig (Kanab City Manager) began by explaining the Heritage Board is no longer subject to Public Meeting laws. Our meetings can be informal; no quorum is required; recommendations can be made; minutes can be less formal. The minutes will be posted only on the city website.

Susan (Vice Chair) called the meeting to order. Present were: Susan Honey, Joyce Bush, John McClellan, Nyle Willis, John McClellan, Emily Bentley (Kanab City Museums Director), Kyler Ludwig (Kanab City Manager), Kerry Glover (Kanab City Council Liaison). Guests were: Judy Habbeshaw, Teresa Trujillo, Kathy Brock

Motion to approve the corrected February 6 minutes was made by Susan and seconded by John. Motion passed.

During the public comment session, Judy Habbeshaw asked whether the minutes and agenda are going to be posted. Kyler explained the agenda and minutes will both be posted on the city website.

John asked for an update on the Museum. Emily said "progress is happening."

Susan gave an update on the monument honoring the all-women town board. The monument proposal was approved by both the city council and planning and zoning. A proposal for a matching grant has been submitted to Mormon National Pioneer Heritage Area. Other possibilities for funding were discussed. We need to secure additional funding sooner rather than later. Next there was a discussion on what should be on the plaque. After a brain-storming session, Emily offered to draft a document to be sent to all board members for comments. Susan asked Kyler who picks the bids? Is it going to be based on costs or skills? He replied that quality could be factored into the design. Recommendations could come from the board.

In other business Emily announced that May is Archeology Preservation Month. There will be a community book club discussion of Wisdom Sits in Places by Keith Basso on May 4. A suggested future project is updating the Kanab Fort sign.

Next meeting will be Monday, June 5, at 5:30 pm. Joyce made a motion, seconded by John that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried.