Hailey Arts and Historic Preservation Commission

Meeting Minutes * August 1, 2013

Attendance:

Commissioners: R.L. Rowsey, Jim Keating, Linda Packer, Joan Davies, Angela Hicks

City of Hailey: Micah Austin, Kristine Hilt

8:05Am  Meeting called to order by Commissioner Rowsey.

- Of the $2,900.00 – we have spent $ 520.00 leaving $2,380.00 remaining with Sept.30, 2013 the end of the fiscal year.

Approval of July, 2013 meeting minutes- correction on page 2 Farmers Market “log” should be **lot**. Motion by Linda Packer to approve minutes as corrected. Second by Jim Keating. All agreed- July minutes approved as corrected.

RL- Day of Chalk wrap up: Addition of puppet show was great. Promotion of stand alone events to encourage young mom’s with kids- co-chair event next year.

Linda- There were not as many children in attendance this year as last year. Advertising was not out in a timely manner. Next year- earlier with fliers.

Jim- By adding the activity within the camps- might have 5 x the kids. Such as Art camp or 3 or 4 other camps in Hailey.

Make it a family event.

One complaint about DOC from a business owner on the block. Felt that the barriers position deterred business. The general attitude is a comradely of businesses. A suggestion might be to offer a special that day in some regard.

Feature 3 x 3 squares in 6 or 7 places? Bike path, Rodeo grounds, community campus front side to give an idea of what Day of Chalk is about. And to promote DOC.

Recycle Art Project

Plaque for Timeless Portal is done.

Bike Rack Plaques- Brass, aluminum, stainless steel- different text.

Idea- Bike parts construct (Bouillon Square?) Anchor unclaimed bikes to post as sculpture.

Dialog along bike path- recycled bike parts.

Additional things to consider for sculpture- ski, fly fishing, recognize and celebrate recreational activities. Cost mitigation is huge. There are vintage bikes in old barn- disassemble- re piece. Infrastructure for receiving these things.

Inexpensive project. Contest. Build things into. Photo share. “Make it Hailey”.

Pump track hosting Bob Weiderrick’s bike sculpture.

Linda mentioned a bike sculpture in Clear Lake, Iowa- at the Ballroom. Sculpture 10-15 feet high of a bicycle made out of other bicycles and bicycle parts. It is a permanent piece of art.

Opportunity for family photos with their bikes- and then a display of family photos.

Recreation-Transportation- Art

Public benches on Main Street. Benches made out of old skis?

Using recycle stuff to make benches or other usable art. Add something to the bus huts?
Jim Keating – stronger link to budgeting out of public works. Decision city triggered- what could we make instead of just viewing catalog- use same amount and integrate art. ( 2 benches- price of one.) Lower cost- re appropriate funds- Jack Mackie idea.

Tail gates off pick up trucks- benches? End of vehicle- bench.

Organizational will.

What are your immediate needs? 1 % to next level. Base budget. 5 x 5 Plan- practical use art.

- **Table 5 x 5 Plan discussion to next meeting.**

Welcome Center Doors

Received email from Bill Amaya. Joan Davies will follow up with Bill Amaya.

Hang OPEN sign by door(s). Vertical sign on posts. Additional signage in place.

Electronic sign- 7 day experiment. LED sign to advertise events in city.

60% positive responses....40% negative responses.

Comments: Good advertising and information forum, no animation, flashy, ugly, monument- sign like at YMCA, One color only- color different that those on traffic signal in proximity. We could add welcome center open hours- to top of LED sign.

30 % of the sign area is electronic sign. How fast for the electronic sign to move. Would be nice to have thermostat and display temperature- time. Earthy materials around electronic sign. Similar materials to Timeless Portal Sculpture. Similar aesthetic.

Banner- more info. Public Info- non commercial. Advertise special events. Chamber would control board content.
Create a rhythm- LED sign, Welcome Sign, Timeless Portal.....

Mosaic Project:

Angela will create a questionnaire/survey for Mosaic participants to gather feedback:

Man hours, sustainability, will they continue to be involved at this level? Was it worthwhile, sense of fulfillment? Talents used? Sense of community among artists at all levels- all ages? What was it like to be part of a collaborative art process? What resources are needed – or were lacking? What is needed for project to go larger? What kind of leadership is needed? Define leadership. Appropriate leadership to drive it into the next phase.

Artistic Vision- Coordination- Implementation.

How much time- future phase- what will it look like? Resources? Ideas and suggestions. How would you like to see this continue?

Where will mosaic pieces live? Documentation of process (Angela has many photos) Summer of Mosaic.

- **Historic Preservation Item should be added to each month’s agenda**

Site visit- ASAP Welcome to Hailey sign. Informal site visit. (planned for following day Friday August 2, 2013 @ 10:00 AM)

$2,900. Left in fiscal year – does not include Bob Weiderrick donations from aluminum cans. Recommend to spend what we can- does not roll over.

Linda- Bob Weiderrick has question- what are we doing with money from can donation collection? Purpose for that money going into budget.

Catholic Church- Intern AHJ Constructural Consultants. Building is 100 years old. 750 pound bell. 10 foot span of 2 x 8’s.
Idaho Heritage Trust. Architect Fred Walters did structural assessment of barn. Good guts- prime candidate. Make a grant for roof repair. 60 years worth of stuff to be cleaned up out of barn. Trails signs for last 40 years. Thoughtful storage.

Future of Aquatic Center. Integrate barn into space- teen center-community meeting place.

Rob Lonning Rachael Wolfe- history signage – archive.

Episcopal Church Thrift Shop- church sensitive about being locked in;

Joan Davies: Baptist Church, Catholic Church Bell tower, Fox Barn

Fred Walters hired by Idaho Heritage Trust –

Baptist Church- foundation of rocks- seal lead paint.

Grant by City Historical Registry- hire person to do research.

Bob Weiderrick skateboard bench – memorial for Joe Weidderick to be installed on August 9, 2013. Pad for bench is in. Tree planted –tree committee- City of Hailey. Maintain in perpetuity.

9:50AM Linda Packer – Motion to Adjourn. Second by Angela Hicks. All agreed – Meeting adjourned.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Angela S. Hicks