

Historic Preservation Commission

July 25, 2011

Meeting called to order by Thomson at 6:05 p.m. Present: Helen Thomson, Joe Hoenecke, Arline Hoenecke, Sherry Livingstone; also present: Kathy Grace

Public participation: Kathy reported that the State Local History and Historic Preservation conference is being held Sept. 21-22 in Stevens Point. Helen and Kathy will be attending.

Election of chair- Sherry Livingstone made a motion to nominate Helen Thomson as chair for the coming year, second by Joe Hoenecke. Passed unanimously.

Bridge – The petitions have been collected. 921 signatures were collected with 48 of these being duplicates so 873 unique names. Additional petitions were handed in at the meeting to bring the unique signatures to 880.

Copies of the petition will be sent to the Secretary of Transportation, the Governor, Federal Highway Administration, Rob Wagner (WiDot NE Region), Wisconsin Trust for Historic Preservation, State Historic Preservation Office, National Trust for Historic Preservation, Mike Ellis, Michelle Litjens, Tom Petri, Ron Johnson, Herb Kohl, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation. Reid Ribble and the US Coast Guard were added to the list. Also will be sending a packet to Jaci asking her to copy and distribute to board members.

Draft accompanying letter was revised. Will include postpaid post card with petitions so we know that they were received.

Motion was made by Arline and seconded by Sherry to have the copies made at CMYK and charged to the preservation commission.

Questioned status of historic report done by Great Lakes Archeological Research Center. Can we get a copy? Sherry will check with Rob Wagner.

Also wondered if an environmental impact study has been done yet.

Next meeting date not set.

Motion to adjourn by Sherry, second by Arline, meeting adjourned at 7:15 pm.