



***Keizer Points of Interest Committee (KPIC)
Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, October 21, 2008 at 5:30 p.m.
Keizer City Hall***

Call to Order ~ In the absence of the Chair and Vice Chair, Terri Hoag called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

Attendance was taken as follows:

Present:

Bob Stai
Terri Hoag
Joan Pauley
Arlette Johnson

Absent:

JoAnne Beilke, Chair
Ken Whittler, Vice Chair
Barbara Clement
Jim Taylor

Approval of Minutes ~ Joan Pauley moved for approval of the September 2008 Minutes. Bob Stai seconded. Motion passed as follows: Stai, Hoag and Pauley in favor with Johnson abstaining and Clement, Beilke and Whittler absent.

Appearance of Interested Citizens: Mark Caillier attended the meeting but did not wish to speak.

Discussion of Oral History Interview Questions ~ Committee members discussed possible interview questions but determined that they would be subjective. They agreed upon general questions regarding family, occupation, challenges in the area and politics with the following possibilities:

- How long have you or your family lived in the area?
- What big event do you remember?
- What changes have you seen?

Committee members agreed to develop a list of possible people to interview. Jim Taylor agreed to contact Ken Parchall regarding having the media class at McNary High School take on the technical recording aspect of this project as a class project. Arlette Johnson volunteered to request permission from retirement homes to interview residents and to do the interviews. Joan Pauley volunteered to assist as well. All committee members agreed to develop a list of general questions for interviews. Mark Caillier urged committee members to check with the Chemeketa media classes for assistance as well.

Old Business/New Business ~ Committee Reports

- Charge Recognition Plaque ~ Jim Taylor reported that he had not been able to get together with Richard Walsh who wishes to be part of this project. He will continue with this effort.
- Art Walk ~ *No report.*
- Oral History ~ *Previously discussed.*
- Wallace House ~ *No report.*
- Marie Dorian ~ Bob Stai reported that Barbara was pursuing grant opportunities for this project.
- Museum Partnership ~ Terri Hoag noted that she has not done anything further because Evelyn and Sue have been too busy. A plan has not been developed. The museum is looking for additional volunteers as well.
- Geo-caching ~ Terri Hoag reported that JoAnne had not contacted Schreiner's yet, but the Heritage Center has agreed to allow a geocache at their site. Bob Stai explained the contents of the caches he has placed adding that he had obtained permission from the Keizer Parks Division for placement in various city parks. He noted that this project is done in partnership with the Chamber who paid for the website membership, but a small budget will be necessary to maintain items in the caches. Additionally, he noted that the project needs a volunteer to maintain the caches, check the logs and to start new caches. Committee discussed writing a notice requesting the assistance of a volunteer to be posted on the City website. Bob Stai agreed to write this.
- Heritage Trees ~ Joan Pauley reported that she is waiting to hear from Jerry McGee on the one tree. Terri Hoag made a correction to the September minutes noting that "Dawson" should have been "Drawson" and that Drawson does not have a tree, but is aware of some in the City that would be candidates for the designation of "heritage tree". She noted that she has tried unsuccessfully to contact him. Members discussed various possible trees that could receive this designation.
- Other Business ~ **None**

Adjournment ~ Meeting adjourned at 6:10 p.m.

Next Meeting: 5:30, November 18, 2008, City Hall

Minutes approved:

11-18-08