



***Thomas Dove Keizer Statue Task Force
Meeting Minutes
Wednesday, September 19, 2008 at 2:00 p.m.
Keizer City Hall***

Chair Jerry McGee called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

Committee attendance:

Present:

Jerry McGee, Chair
Jacque Moir, Vice Chair
Mark Caillier (via phone)
Joan Pauley
Jim Taylor

Absent:

Ken Whitler
Bob Stai
Terri Hoag
Barbara Clement
One Position Vacant

Staff:

Kevin Watson, Assistant to the City Manager
Tom Wood, Project Manager
Dick Huberger, Construction Superintendent

Appearance of Interested Citizens: None

Statue Base: Artist Gareth Curtiss reviewed seven designs he had developed for the base of the statue pointing out various options such as using exterior block to match the exterior of the Civic Center, encasing the base in granite, cast concrete and sheathing. Discussion then took place regarding structural soundness, weight, aesthetics, ground treatment around the statue, graffiti, costs, positioning and use of local concrete contractors. Following this discussion, members agreed that they preferred Option D with polished granite sides.

Discussion then took place regarding the timeline, approvals, planning the dedication program, verbiage of the plaques, documentation of authenticity and the exact placement of the statue in the plaza. Following this discussion, members agreed that it should be moved slightly west and marked the exact location on the plans of the front plaza.

Mr. Curtiss summarized the timeline:

October –	Committee to approve maquette in Keizer
December/January –	Artist to present bust to committee and interested citizens
March –	Full sculpture finished in clay. Committee to view and comment in Olympia.

Adjournment ~ Meeting adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

Next Meeting ~ To be Determined

Minutes approved:

10-9-08