

Keizer Points of Interest Committee Meeting Minutes
September 7, 2005

Present: Jerry McGee, Jim Taylor, Teri Hoag, Barbara Clement, Vickie Hilgemann

Absent: June Abbot, Robin Barney

Agenda:

1. No minutes available for August 2005.
2. Resignation from board member, Mike Dyer creates an opening . Jerry recommended that members encourage interested citizens in applying by the end of the month.
3. Projects:
 - a. Wallace House—Vickie and Jerry made a presentation to the Keizer City Council asking for renaming the park, a proclamation that the Wallace House did exist in the location of River's Edge Park. Vickie will ask the Parks Board to initiate the proclamation to be taken to the city council. Jim Taylor will coordinate this with the council. Vickie will also follow up with a call to Darlene Hooley's office to seek support.
 - b. Signs: Jerry has ordered a second sign for the Keizer School site, and will order a sign for the Schriener Iris Gardens. We will have to investigate the appropriate placement for this site.
 - c. Marie Dorian Burial Site: Barbara Clement will research the possible burial site of Indian Marie Dorian slightly outside the Keizer city limits. She will bring information to us at our next meeting.
 - d. Donation Land Claims: Robin is pricing out a bronze monument to be placed at River Road and Chemewa Road. We will continue to think about the design. Bob Zelinski has an original DLC marker that we will ask to see for our design.
 - e. Terri will begin research on the home of John Blake and the suggestion that a calvary unit of horses was stationed at a site near this home. She will bring the information to the next meeting.
4. Vickie gave a report from the River Road Renaissance Committee about the potential to have markers for the historical places in the city. Jerry is going to write up brief descriptions for the five sites that could be marked on River Road.
5. Barbara will talk to the Keizer Art Association for recommendation on potential local sculptors and bronze artists to query about make statuary for historical monuments. Barbara will contact Judy Pitts a local bronze artist, about costs for such statuary.
6. Next meeting October 5, 2005.