

Fort Madison Historical Preservation Commission

Minutes

June 12, 2017

Meeting was called to order at 5:36 by Andrews

Absent Dianna Holmes excused

Mark Lair

An addition to the agenda was requested.

Marie moved to approve the agenda as amended; seconded by Phyllis;
unanimous

Marie moved to accept the minutes for the May meeting; Phyllis seconded;
unanimous

Financial Report: \$300 had been budgeted for "Downtown Posters". The bill came in for \$250.

Marie moved to accept financial report; Dan seconded; unanimous

Correspondence

Paula Mohr is still requesting we attend more meetings

Endangered Buildings

513 Ave. H was mentioned; nothing has been done to the building for years.

Also discussed were the building between River City Motors and Sal's

Emporium.

The commission requests that some action be undertaken.

The city will sell the former Tattoo Parlor in the 7 hundred block of G

The Window Posters are about 50% up

The small posters were requested by Main Street

House Plaques

25 House plaques have arrived

1 has been sold plus the secondary plaque.

1301 Ave. I was sold by the city at auction for \$13.01 to Rusty Andrews

Andrews promised to rehab it withing 1 ½ years.

The owner of 601 5th St. appeared to seek approval to replace his current roof with a metal roof.

Carol moved to allow; Phyllis seconded; unanimous.

Rusty reported (indirectly) that he had made no progress on finding the Battleship Main Plaque.

There was some discussion on the old Penitentiary, the cost of an assessment as to use and needs; the state's responsibility regarding its National Register status

Marie moved to adjourn; Carol seconded; unanimous