

Sparta Township Historical Commission

Monthly Meeting

October 1, 2016

Meeting Called to Order at 9:00am

Members of the Commission Present: Larry Carter, Jayne Paasch, Jaime Brooks, JoAnne VanderWerff, Marcia Thompson (by phone), Jeff VanSyckle, Adele Jones, Rick Kingsbury

Members of the Commission Absent: Jim Tuinstra

Friends of the Commission: Dan Salas, Lisa VanderWerff, Dave Andrus

Minutes of the September 3, 2016 meeting were read by Jaime Brooks, Motion to Approve JoAnne VanderWerff, second by Jayne Paasch, Motion Approved

Financial Report: \$9,764.22 in the General Fund, and \$5,5144.94 in the Projects Fund. Motion to Approve by Jaime Brooks, second by Adele Jones, Motion Approved

Donation of \$300.00 from HB Fuller

Old Business:

Notables next meeting will be on November 1, at 7:00pm

Historical Commissions and Societies from the area met at Interurban in Marne. Next lunch will be on December 5 at the Garden Patch

Marcia Thompson reported on her attendance at the Federation of Genealogical Societies Conference

\$5,000 was granted from the Sparta Community Foundation for the feasibility study

Fixups at the Myers School House are progressing

October 2, 2016 Open House canceled due to weather

Choice one has made a request for old pictures of Sparta

Wrap up of Apple Fest activates, about 51 visitors at the museum

New Business:

Larry Carter met with Pete and Sue Bartnick from Seattle at the museum, they donated \$100.00

November 19, 2016 will be a future planning session meeting

Next Meeting will be Saturday November 5, 2016 at 9:00am

Meeting Adjourned at 10:00am

Submitted by Jaime Brooks