

City Council Study Session

Agenda

Tuesday, March 10, 2020

Library Meeting Room

951 Spruce Street

5:30 PM

1. **CALL TO ORDER**
2. **ANNUAL REPORT – HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION**
 - Introductions
 - Annual Report
 - Discussion
3. **ADVANCED AGENDA & IDENTIFICATION OF FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**
4. **ADJOURN**

Citizen Information

If you wish to speak at the City Council meeting, please fill out a sign-up card and present it to the City Clerk.

Persons with disabilities planning to attend the meeting who need sign language interpretation, assisted listening systems, Braille, taped material, or special transportation, should contact the City Manager's Office at 303 335-4533. A forty-eight-hour notice is requested.

City of Louisville

City Council *749 Main Street* *Louisville CO 80027*
303.335.4536 (phone) *303.335.4550 (fax)* *www.LouisvilleCO.gov*

SUBJECT: ANNUAL REPORT – HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION

DATE: MARCH 10, 2020

PRESENTED BY: FELICITY SELVOSKI, HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLANNER

Staff reached out to the Historic Preservation Commission to respond to the following questions provided to each Board and Commission prior to discussion with City Council. The following are their responses:

1. LIST HIGHLIGHTS AND SUCCESSES OF THE PAST YEAR:

- *We successfully and seamlessly incorporated two new commissioners into our proceedings and deliberations. The contributions of each have been quite impressive. The blending of experience and new viewpoints has led to a high functioning commission*
- *Approval of the updated historic preservation incentives resolution substantially increasing the grants available to property owners who landmark their eligible structures*
- *Major achievements:*
 - *Recommended approval of the first loan from the Historic Preservation Fund (\$69,000)*
 - *Approved 10 grants for Historic Structure Assessments totaling \$40,000*
 - *Landmarked three properties in 2019 following the incentives update:*
 - *816 Main St. (Empire)*
 - *816 Lincoln Ave.*
 - *Miners Cabins*
 - *Recommended approval of five preservation grants totaling \$167,260.76*

2. LIST PLANS/GOALS FOR THE NEXT YEAR:

- *Continue thorough and efficient consideration of the matters before us.*
- *Update and expand publications including walking tour, brochures, handouts, booklets, etc.*
- *Expand outreach and education efforts to community members, professionals, and homeowners.*
- *Continue education efforts for commission members including conference attendance.*
- *Meetings with Council and other committees as necessary.*
- *Review of Old Town Overlay; Joint Study Session with the Planning Commission for the Old Town Overlay.*

- *Fill remaining vacancy on the Commission with a community member passionate about and interested in promoting preservation in Louisville.*

3. DOES YOUR BOARD HAVE SPECIFIC BUDGET REQUESTS IT WOULD LIKE THE CITY COUNCIL TO CONSIDER AS A PART OF THE BIENNIAL BUDGET PROCESS?

- *No requests noted*

4. ARE THERE AREAS IN WHICH THE BOARD WOULD LIKE CITY COUNCIL INPUT/FEEDBACK?

5. WHAT QUESTIONS DO YOU HAVE FOR THE CITY COUNCIL?

- *How can we support this new City Council?*
- *What are the City Council's top priorities for historic preservation in the City?*

RECOMMENDATION:

Discuss the above and other items of interest to the City Council and Historic Preservation Planning Commission.

STRATEGIC PLAN IMPACT:

<input type="checkbox"/>	 Financial Stewardship & Asset Management	<input type="checkbox"/>	 Reliable Core Services
<input type="checkbox"/>	 Vibrant Economic Climate	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	 Quality Programs & Amenities
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	 Engaged Community	<input type="checkbox"/>	 Healthy Workforce
<input type="checkbox"/>	 Supportive Technology	<input type="checkbox"/>	 Collaborative Regional Partner