Cayce Historical Museum Commission

October 2, 2024

Meeting Minutes

The October 2, 2024 meeting of the Cayce Historical Museum Commission (CHMC) was held in the Cayce Visitors Center. The meeting was convened at 5:03pm by Chair James Stewart. The following individuals attended the meeting:

Name	Status
James Stewart	Chair
Pamela Sulton	Vice Chair
Marcy Hayden	Secretary
Archie Moore	Commissioner
A.G. Dantzler	Commissioner (absent)
Charlita Earle	Commissioner (absent)
Keith Stephenson	Commissioner (absent)
David Brinkman	Commissioner
Rusty Rabon	Commissioner (absent)
Andy Thomas	Cayce Museum Curator
Elizabeth Lumsden	Cayce Museum Assistant

Upcoming Events:

10/10 Sweet Night

10/25 Archeology Society of SC BBQ Fundraiser and Auction

10/26 Fall Field Day at 12,000 Year History Park (Archeology Society of SC)

11/19 Volunteer Christmas Decorating Pizza Party

12/7 Traditions Christmas in Cayce Event

Invocation: Vice Chair Sulton

Action Items:

September Meeting Minutes:

The Commission reviewed the previous meeting minutes. Commissioner Moore motioned that the meeting minutes be accepted and Commissioner Sulton seconded the motion. The minutes were approved.

Museum Staff Report

Museum staff are making progress on the NAGPRA inventory having recorded around 3,000 objects to date. The Civil War exhibit opened on September 19th with a lecture from the Midlands Coin Club and approximately 25 attendees. Ms. Lumsden also continues to work on the Airport exhibit with text for exhibit and printing specifications being provided to the Commission in the near future. The Fire Truck was washed and returned to the Museum and will remain until funds are raised to fix brakes.

Upcoming Events:

Sweet Night: Final planning Sweet Night Fundraising event continues. The event will be held at the Cayce Historical Museum to introduce the Cayce Historic Foundation which will assist in supporting the mission of the Museum and Historic Preservation. The event held on October 10 from 6-8pm will feature 6-8 local bakers and silent auction items. Speakers will include CHMC Chair James Stewart and SC Rev250 Chair as well as musicians. Marketing and ticket sales will continue throughout the month. Commissioners requested tickets (5 each) to be sold for the event.

Christmas Open House Volunteer Meeting will directly follow the Museum Commission meeting and assignments will be given to volunteers during the meeting.

SC Archaeology Society Fundraiser will be held on October 25th at the Cayce Museum and the SC Archaeology Day will be held at the 12,000 History Park on October 26th.

Donations

Cayce Grammar School Bell and Documents

Motion to accept donated items due to their significance and added value to current exhibits was made by Commissioner Hayden and seconded by Commissioner Brinkman. Motion passed.

Nancy Wood Mauller Wood Carving

Motion to accept donated items due to their significance and added value to current exhibits was made by Commissioner Moore and seconded by Vice Chair Sulton. Motion passed.

Fall and Winter Event Planning

Volunteer meeting will be held following the Commission meeting. Commissioners discussed the planning sheet and volunteered for various items. The list is as follows:

- Vendors for Christmas Market: Sulton and Hayden
- Lantern Tours: Stewart, Hayden and Brinkman
- Market Stalls and Vendor set-up: Stewart and Moore
- Santa Donation Box: Hayden
- Decorations: Hayden, Moore (poinsettias), Thomas (Lead) and Brinkman

Ongoing Bus	iness:
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Strategic Planning-Historic Preservation

No updates at this time.

Old State Road NRHP Nomination

No updates at this time.

New Business:

No additional business.

Additional Business:

No additional business.

With no other business on the meeting agenda and a motion to adjourn was made by Commissioner Moore and seconded by Commissioner Brinkman. The meeting adjourned at **5:47PM.**