Minutes of the July 31 Farmington Historical Preservation Commission meeting.

The meeting convened at 7:05 P.M. Attending were David Barney, Dorothy Arnold, David Petersen, Dana Chapman, Tiffany Ames, Kathy Cornejo, Shauna Waldroup, Andrew Clark. There were no attendees on Zoom.

- T-Mobile Hometown Program- Hannah Hall and her parents were in attendance to speak about her plans for the Alley Rose home, to open a bakery/gathering place. She has wonderful credentials and a thriving catering business currently. The Commission agreed this was a good candidate for Farmington to apply for one of these grants in a unanimous vote. The approval of the City Manager and the Mayor are the next steps required for this application to proceed.
- 2. The Landmarks Register project is ready to have their citizen's open meeting. Due to a crowded schedule and the timeline required between this meeting and a formal decision about the proposal, the meeting is tentatively proposed for Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:00.
- 3. The final nomination for the MPS district has been submitted to the Federal Office. They have 45-60 days to approve it. We have courthouse research/documentation completed for six-eight homes currently. We will proceed with six of them.
- 4. Kathy Cornejo reviewed the Festival Days booth. She had activities for children and information about the Scavenger Hunt. Lots of interest, but as of the committee meeting, no submissions. A reminder will be shared on Facebook, etc. Kathy did a terrific job of both of these projects. We still need better signage, and we need to explore ways of introducing the commission to the community. Some ideas were to reinvigorate the Walking Tours program, potentially tied to some more festive, gathering activities. Would we have the budget to help Hannah Hall provide sample treats as a way of introducing herself to the community?
- 5. It is too late for us to participate in the Davis Heritage Festival.