



CITY OF SAN MARCOS

Meeting Minutes

Historic Preservation Commission

Thursday, May 2, 2019

5:45 PM

City Council Chambers

I. Call To Order

With a quorum present the regular meeting of the San Marcos Historic Preservation Commission was called to order at 5:45 p.m. on Thursday, April 4, 2019 in the City Council Chamber of the City of San Marcos, City Hall, 630 East Hopkins Street, San Marcos, Texas.

II, Roll Call

Present 5 – Commissioner Griffin Spell, Commissioner Dake, Commissioner Holder, Commissioner Perkins, and Commissioner Jeffrey

III, 30 Minute Citizen Comment Period:

Lisa Marie Coppoletta, 1322 Belvin Street, spoke. She stated that the City has held her hostage since January 16th. She stated that multiple people have complained about the Belvin Street sidewalk project. She wants all gap projects to be placed on hold until the historic resources survey can be completed and the recommendations from the survey be implemented.

Diana Baker, 727 Belvin Street, spoke. She stated that she would like the City to invest more money and conduct more research into the Lamar School's history to find out if the school was the first high school in Texas to successfully desegregate.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

- 1. Presentation and discussion regarding progress of, and findings and recommendations in the City's historic resources survey, "My Historic SMTX", and possible consideration of direction to the Commission's My Historic SMTX committee and staff.**

Elizabeth Porterfield, Senior Architectural Historian with Hicks & Co updated the Commission on the progress of the survey. She was able to answer the questions the Commission had regarding the recommendations of the Draft Phase 2 Historic Resources Survey Report. The Commission discussed bringing a report of the My Historic SMTX Committee to the next Regular meeting. Staff requested that they be present to help facilitate the discussion and to help answer any questions the Committee may have. Chair Spell extended the term of the My Historic SMTX Committee to July 11, 2019.

Questions and Answer Session with Press and Public.

No one spoke.

**THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, CHAIR SPELL DECLARED THE MEETING
ADJOURNED AT 8:05 P.M.**

Griffin Spell, Chair

ATTEST:

Alison Brake, Historic Preservation Officer and Planner