

AGENDA
Charlottesville Historic Resources Committee
Friday, **November 8, 2024**, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM
NDS Conference Room

HRC members

Dede Smith (chair)
Jalane Schmidt
Richard Guy Wilson
Gennie Keller
William Bergen

Julie Basic
James Rucker
Nancy Damon
Denny Berry
Caden Martz

Lloyd Snook (Council, ad hoc)
Tom Chapman (ACHS, ex off)
Jeff Werner (staff)
Kate Richardson (staff)

1. Call to order [11:00]
2. Approval of the agenda
3. September & October “meeting” updates (no minutes)
4. Public Comment* [11:10, 5 minutes]
5. VA 250 [11:15, 20 minutes]
 - Regional Committee & grant work (Carla Mullen, CACVB)
 - VA250 Website, events, planning.
6. Walking Tour Maps [11:35, 15 minutes]
 - Updates
 - Plan for update and reprint
 - Review information/surveys online
 - Other themes?
 - Architecture, Industry, Art, Music, Historic Eras, etc.
 - Next steps?
7. Court Square [11:50, 10 minutes]
 - General discussion: next steps following DHR marker installation.
8. Markers: Update [12:00, 10 minutes]
 - Johnson Elementary (HRC)
 - Court Square (VDHR)
 - Carver Inn (VDHR)
9. Identifying and Interpreting Sites of Interest [12:10, 20 minutes]
 - Coord with Parks & Rec. Presenting history of various City parks, buildings, and sites. (For ex, text for Jenkins Park, info re: Key Rec Center, etc.)
 - Bridge Builders and Greenbook sites. (Review spreadsheet)
 - Bike/Ped – Neighborhood Walks: Provide background and insight to support NDS program.
10. Staff Updates [12:30, 20 minutes]
 - Va250 and Mall 50th [supporting City Manager’s office]
 - Recognize Civil War service of local U.S. Colored Troops
 - i. Nau Center: Possible DHR marker
 - ii. HRC: Research local cemeteries, residences?

- Request from community member re: Number Nothing

11. Coordinate Agenda for December 13, 2024 HRC Meeting [12:50, 5 minutes]

- Meeting space conflict on Dec 13, from 12:00-1:00
- Election of chair
- Work Plan for 2025
 - i. Va250 signage
 - ii. Downtown Mall 50th anniversary

12. Announcements [12:55, 5 minutes]

- Upcoming items of interest to HRC.

13. Adjourn [1:00]

Mission Statement

The mission of the Charlottesville Historic Resources Committee is to advocate for historic preservation; to promote an appreciation of local historic resources, both tangible and intangible; and to encourage and coordinate, with appropriate municipal agencies, civic organizations, institutions and individual scholars, the documentation and interpretation of local history.

The Charlottesville Historic Resources Committee achieves its mission through:

- Education
- Public commemoration (historic plaques, signs, markers, and civic festivals and ceremonies)
- Publications (maps, brochures, tour books, and digital media)
- Public meetings (planning sessions, workshops, and lectures)
- And through other means.

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