

Montevallo Historical Preservation Commission
October 3, 2017
Minutes

Members present: B. Glosson, S. Godwin, H. G. McGaughy, M. Nix, J. Seaman, and S. Vallides

Meeting site: Parnell Library

Meeting was called to order at 6:33 p.m.

Old Business

The minutes from the June 6, August 1 and September 5th meetings were read. H.G. McGaughy made a motion to accept minutes as presented; S. Godwin seconded; motion passed.

Historical Society Update: MHS had its first meeting on Sunday, September 17, 2017. Eighty members were present at the first meeting and membership has now surpassed one hundred. Montevallo native, John Sledge, was the speaker for the event and the hometown author held a book signing afterwards. A reception for new members was held at The Fox and Pheasant Inn.

The Montevallo Bicentennial Bash was a smashing success with over 6,500 persons in attendance. It was a beautiful day with live music, food and beverage trucks, carnival rides, craft booths and much more.

J. Seaman stated that she will compose and present a letter to City Hall for M. Nix to remain on MHPC for another term.

New Business

Members discussed possible ways to honor Dr. Earl Cunningham and his service to the community and the MHPC. Suggested ideas included contributing to Dr. Cunningham's scholarship fund, a plaque to be posted within the city in his honor or a bench or tree dedicated in the new Owl's Cove Park.

The Confederate War stone monument that was missing has been located. Bill Glosson reported that he saw the stone at the Montevallo Cemetery. The historic marker, purchased by the MHPC, has yet to be located.

A motion to adjourn was made by S. Vallides; B. Glosson seconded; motion passed.

The meeting adjourned at 7:43 p.m.