YHPC Zoom Meeting Minutes December 14, 2022

Attendee:

Lynn Briggs, Adam Fetzer, Bridget Krowe, Christine Sisler, Tom

McLoughlin, Nancy Milanese

Budget:

T.0082.0001

Home of Distinction

\$537.42

T.0082.0002

Landmark Preservation \$3219.40

0479.0005

Landmarks

\$2500.00

Total:

\$6256.82

Lynn reported on her quest to have the town take control of the Hyatt Cemetery and to acknowledge Ed Pell for all his efforts in preserving it and make it accessible to the public. Now the Supervisor Slater has stepped down, she'll take this up with Supervisor Tom Diana with the hope of moving this along.

Lynn will also address the 5K for Quonset Hut with Diana. Town Board resolution states, the town will pay for one half of the hut to store the Zino Barn timber. The full payment was taken from the YHPC account. Also, storage solution will be a topic for discussion when they meet.

Town Board's Liaison to the YHPC has not gotten back to us re: meeting with her to discuss outstanding issues with the Town Board.

YHPC/Yorktown 250/RW250/TMAS and Partners YSBA, YHS and Arts & Culture planned and executed 12 programs from December, 2021 to November, 2022 consisting of lectures, plays, concert, webinar. Future events are in planning stages for 2023.

YHPC has about \$4865 available funds (without the 5K) to deliver our programmatic plans in 2023.

Lynn has requested the Town Board fund \$11,884 to fabricate four (4) new markers to replace the dilapidated MDF Markers. Also, requested was \$5550 to create Digital Audio Tour of Yorktown's 15 Revolutionary War sites. These amounts were not included in the Town's 2023 budget.

Lynn is still waiting for a reply as to wether a town board (committee) can charge admission to an event held on town property. Also, needs to clarify the Town's venue use fee policy. eg: Use of parks, town facilities free or fee to provide programs to the public.

No movement on any of the proposed landmarks. Isaac Underhill House (Corner of Hanover and California). Haven't heard back from homeowners. Some concern of limitations on future alterations. Hilltop Hanover Farm - In the hands of the Stakeholders. Underhill Farms - Lynn working on obtaining advocacy letters in

support of not only landmarking structures but the entire site.

Bronze Markers (First Presbyterian Church, Yorktown Railroad Station, Shipman House and YCCC) still stored at Parks and Recreation Building. Next up are Davenport House, Congregational Church, Lane's Tavern and Community Church. Funds needs. Planning event to be held for dedication of signs when weather permits.