

The Wauchula Historic Preservation Board met Monday, August 28, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.

The following members were present: Chair Tanya Royal, Dr. Sylvia Collins, Cynthia Paxton and Linda Burnett.

Board Members Jennifer Clark and William Boynton were absent.

Also present were Community Development Coordinator Kyle Long and City Clerk Stephanie Camacho.

Royal called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

Certificate of Appropriateness – 518 W Main St – Arcade Apartments (Paint)

Paxton motioned to open this discussion, seconded by Burnette.

Long addressed the Board and explained the owner is requesting to paint the building with a color similar to the one that's already on it, which is within the Board's color palette.

With no further discussion, Royal called for all in favor, all responded aye. For those opposed like sign, no response. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes from the July 24, 2023 Meeting

Collins motioned to approve the minutes, seconded by Burnette.

Other Comments

Long addressed the Board and explained Send Me Missions rents a building from the City and they are requesting to put a type of fence on the back side of the building in order to have some outside storage space. The Board discussed a few options. Long also provided an update to the Board on the technical assistance grant that was applied for and not awarded.

Public Comments

Travis Maldonado addressed the Board with the idea of creating murals on some of the downtown buildings. Maldonado expressed his desire to engage local youth in the project while also bringing something fun to the downtown area. The Board discussed this and thought it was a good idea.

With no further business to discuss, Royal adjourned the meeting at 5:41 p.m.

Stephanie Camacho, City Clerk