Minutes
Lansing Historic District Commission
Local History Room, Capital Area District Library
5:30-7:00 p.m. Monday, February 11, 2019
(Downtown Branch) Lower Level, 401 S. Capitol Avenue.
Lansing MI 48933

1. CALL TO ORDER – Ms. Nelson opened the meeting at 5:30 p.m.

A. Introductions and Roll Call:

Present: James Bell, Paul Connors, Heather Goupil, Cassandra Nelson, Jaclyn Lillis-Warwick
Excused Absences: Cynthia Redman, Carol Skillings, and Curtis Sonnenberg
Staff Present: Bill Rieske
Also Present: Rob Gibb

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA – The agenda was approved by unanimous consent.

3. MINUTES FOR APPROVAL – January 14, 2019 meeting. The January 14, 2019 minutes were approved by consensus.

4. PUBLIC HEARINGS – None.

5. CLG Evaluation Response – Mr. Rieske presented “CLG Evaluation Follow-up” covering 2015-2018, and requested comments from the Commission. Mr. Bell suggested changing the word impossible to “difficult”. Mr. Rieske said he would make that change, and update the report to reflect the addition of Mr. Gibb to the Commission roster.

6. UPDATES ON:

• ReoTown Intensive Level Survey – Ms. Nelson reported that she and Mr. Rieske met and discussed the project with three MSU students and Katie Kolokithas from the SHPO. Additional meetings will take place as the survey progresses.
• Cherry Hill Historic District, incl. Cherry Hill School – Mr. Sonnenberg was absent from this meeting and therefore had no report.
• Cooley Haze House – Ms. Nelson reported that she had no update.
• Preservation Lansing – No report.

7. PUBLIC COMMENTS – None.

8. COMMUNICATIONS – None.
9. **STAFF AND COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS** – Mr. Bell reported that he toured the Cherry Hill district since the last meeting. Ms. Nelson said she found the comparison between the more modern apartments on the east side of the neighborhood and the older housing on the west side to be interesting.

10. **PRESENTATIONS** – None.

11. **OTHER BUSINESS** – None.

12. **PENDING ITEMS** – Continuing work on guidelines.

13. **ADJOURNMENT** was at 6:00 p.m.

*Next Meeting: 5:30 p.m. Monday, March 11, 2019, in the CADL Local History Room, Lower Level, 401 S. Capitol Ave.*