

Planning & Building Department

Historic Resources Advisory Board

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Notice of Public Hearing

Jnauary 15, 2020 3:00 P.M. San Mateo County History Museum (Old County Courthouse) 2200 Broadway, Redwood City

(Ask Receptionist in Museum Store for Exact Room Location)

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AGENDA

- 1. Roll Call
- 2. Review and Approve Minutes of November 20, 2019 Meeting.
- 3. <u>Oral Communications</u> to allow the public to address the Historic Resource Advisory Board on any matter <u>not</u> on the agenda. If your subject is not on the agenda, the Board will recognize you at this time. *Speakers are customarily limited to five (5) minutes.*

4. Old Business

- a. Status of relocation of Lathrop House Mitch
- b. Carriage House Project update Mitch
- c. Purisima Cemetery Update Kanoa
- d. Zoning code and HRAB website update Kanoa

5. New, Other Business

- a. Peninsula School/James Valentine Coleman Home Stair Rail Remodel (920 Peninsula Way, Menlo Park) Kanoa https://www.pastheritage.org/Articles/Coleman.html
- b. Future topics to agendize? All

- 6. Next Meeting: January 15, 2020
- 7. Adjournment

SAN MATEO COUNTY HISTORICAL RESOURCES ADVISORY BOARD

Minutes for meeting of November 20, 2019, San Mateo County Museum, Redwood City.

Meeting opened: 3:02 PM

1. Roll Call: Members present: Betsy Bogel, Jerry Crow, Bob Gelb, Fred Hansson, Bill Howland, Kanoa Kelley, Nancy Oliver, Mitch Postel, John Root, Greg Timm. Absent: Bob Brown, Maureen O'Connor, Deke Sonnichsen.

- 2. Minutes of July 17 meeting not yet available.
- 3. Oral Communications: none

4. Old Business:

- a. <u>Relocation of Lathrop House</u>: The structure is now on site and lowered onto the new foundation in the parking lot behind the old courthouse awaiting fumigation, deep cleaning and some repair and remodeling. Re-opening is expected in early 2020.
- b. <u>San Mateo County Historical Museum Carriage House Project</u>: The County is seeking a CEQA negative declaration for an additional 3-storey wing for exhibiting the collection of historical vehicles. The 14,000 square foot additional will include catering facilities and a banquet room. Management expects museum visitation to double. A core pledge of \$6-million is in hand with \$1-million in the bank. Completion goal is June 2021.
- c. <u>Purissima Cemetery</u>: An application for an Agricultural District permit was denied. Mr. Bixby may appeal the decision. There can be no exemptions to Coastal Commission requirements.
- d. <u>HRAB Website Update</u>: The website now includes HRAB agendas. County nominated historical resources and state and federal Registers of Historic Places will be added. The County zoning code may be revised to recognize older properties as potential CEQA activators. Mitch stated the need for a survey of all structures 50 years old or more to flag those with historical significance.

The majority of County historical resources are not currently protected, but Kanoa, and Dave before him, have been flagging properties of historical interest informally. Mitch moved, Fred seconded that Nancy appoint a committee of Bob Gelb, Jerry Crow and Fred Hansson to check the treatment of historical resources in other jurisdictions. Motion passed unanimously.

e. Flood Park Changes: Betsy has an update on the completed landscaping plan.

5. New Business:

- a. <u>Disposition of the Redwood City American Legion Hall</u>: The deed calls for the title to go to Redwood City if the property ceases to be used by the American Legion. The American Legion wants to sell the property to a developer. After a short discussion, we decided this issue is not within our jurisdiction.
- 6. The next regular meeting is January 15, 2020. The other regular meeting date for 2020 are March 18, May 20, July 15, September 16 and November 18.

Meeting adjourned at 4:05 PM.

Respectfully submitted by Jerry Crow







