Historic Preservation Board Meeting

Minutes – March 6, 2007

Present: Harold Stalf, Thomas Streff, Zebulon Miracle, Kathy Jordan, Bill Cort, Yvonne Piquette and Michael Menard

Also Present: Kristen Ashbeck and David Thornton, Public Works and Planning Department

Two new members were welcomed to the Board: Yvonne Piquette and Michael Menard, both with the Museum of Western Colorado.

TOUR OF RIVERSIDE SCHOOL: The Board was given a tour of the recently remodeled and reopened Riverside School by Riverside Task Force Director Kelley Schaefer. The school is being used by the Dual Immersion Academy for daily activities including the library, art room, computer lab, cafeteria and multipurpose room. The Task Force offices are in the basement of the building and they organize evening community events held at the school. The Riverside Educational Center is using some of the rooms 3 afternoons a week for tutoring and educational services.

MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 6, 2007 MEETING: Bill Cort made a motion to approve the minutes of the February 6, 2007 meeting as presented. The motion passed unanimously on a second by Kathy Jordan.

HISTORIC PRESERVATION MONTH UPDATE: The Board discussed upcoming events for May. Kathy Jordan reported that plans for the Historic Home Tour are progressing. The Historic Preservation award will be presented at 10:30 am before the home tour starts. Kristen will follow up with scheduling the Mayor to attend the event and the Historic Board Chair, Zebulon Miracle will present the award.

Zebulon Miracle went over the events that will be sponsored or sponsored in part by the Museum during May. The Museum will support historic bicycle ride with Brown's Cycles annual Bikefest on May 19th at 10:30 am and an ethnobotany presentation will be held at the Museum on May 23rd. Michael Menard will follow up to find out details on the Mesa County Historical Society program for May.

SILENT FILM 125th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION: Plans are progressing for the film to be sponsored by the Historic Preservation Board. The film will be the "Great K&A Train Robbery", shown on June 29th at 1:00pm at the Avalon. The film will be on loan from the Glenwood Springs Museum. Kristen will follow up with the Avalon personnel to coordinate other details.

On a motion by Harold Stalf, the meeting was adjourned at 4:55 pm.