

Historic Preservation Board Meeting

Minutes – April 8, 2003

Present: Dennis Pretti, Doug Simons, Bill Jones, Tom Streff, Louise Wagner

Not Present: David Bailey and Phil Born

Also Present: Kristen Ashbeck, Community Development Department

MINUTES: Doug Simons made a motion to approve the minutes of the March 4, 2003 meeting. Motion was passed on a second by Tom Streff (5-0).

ACTIVITIES FOR MAY 2003 HISTORIC PRESERVATION MONTH:

Avalon Theatre: Kristen has scheduled the Avalon Theatre for the movie showing of “The Great Train Robbery” on Friday, May 2nd. The movie is to be delivered to David Bailey sometime in the next week or two from the Glenwood Springs Museum. Bill Jones had contacted Dave Fishell who will be available to do an introductory lecture before the movie showing as part of his weekly piece for KJCT. Details of a projector and a pianist to accompany the film still need to be worked out. Tom Streff will follow up on the projector and Dennis and Louise will follow up on the pianist. It was decided that there should be no charge for admission but donations would be solicited. Kristen will follow up with the Avalon to do concessions, proceeds of which go to the Avalon.

Student Art Exhibit: Space at Mesa Mall has been scheduled for the event for the entire month of May and the mall has requested that it remain through June 14th as it fits in well with other activities planned at the Mall during early June. Kristen and Phil will be walking through the Mall the week of April 14th with a Mall representative to select the exact location. The Museum of Western Colorado has some extra display panels that can be taken to the Mall to be used to hang the art. As in years past, the Board decided that the hanging of the display would constitute its May meeting and would be scheduled either April 29th or May 6th depending on when the students would have the work ready.

Historic Preservation Award: The Board again discussed potential buildings for the annual Historic Preservation Awards. Tom Streff made a motion that this year’s recipients be the Mesa Supply building at 6th and Pitkin and the First United Methodist Church at 5th and White. The motion was passed on a second by Louise Wagner (5-0). Kristen will look into the awards being presented at a May City Council meeting either May 7th or May 21st.

Museum Events/Activities: Kristen stated that the Museum was holding several special events/exhibits during the month of May that had been submitted to the State for inclusion into the Historic Preservation Month activities brochure. These include Re-enactors Days and a Native American pottery exhibit.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:00 pm.