

Kennett Township Historical Commission

Monthly Meeting Agenda

November 22, 2021 - 7:00 pm Kennett Township Meeting Room
or

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87490216388>

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Meeting ID: 874 9021 6388

Passcode: **KTHC2020**

Review minutes of October 25, 2021 KTHC meeting. Attached.

Plan Review and Public Comment

Treasurer's report

The attached slide and report was presented to the Board of Supervisors on Nov. 17
2022-2023 Capital Expenditures Request: Supervisors gave consent to begin dialogue to establish a capital funds project for Historic Resources. Nothing was approved.

2022 Programming Request: The concept of a Spar Hill Task Force was approved but no funding was approved unless they approved the \$650 program budget request.

Old Business

1. Kennett Grange, (Denise Klein)
2. Adam Taylor Farmhouse
The BOS made a motion at the November 17 meeting to accept the HC's recommendation to mothball the property in place with the provision Exelon submit a professional preservation plan to the Township for approval.
3. Spar Hill Farm: Development of citizen advisory group for preservation and adaptive reuse planning. (Diane McGovern) \$200,000 capital request
Proposed Spar Hill Task Force met twice and developed the attached proposal. Diane McGovern will submit the proposed names to the BOS for approval and Karen Marshall will seek a professional quote to substantiate the \$30,000 request for funding from the BOS that was rejected due to no quotes.
4. Historical Commission History Room and utilization of the Pines (Karen Marshall)
 - a. Productive Tour of the Pines with Seth Hinshaw. The adaptive reuse work to date has not been respectful of the historic building.
 - b. Karen Marshall will pursue for commission in conjunction with Harriet Tubman Scenic Byway
5. Historic Resource Mapping (Lars Farmer)

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6. Brandywine Battlefield Interpretive Signage (Denise Klein, Karen Marshall)
The Pines versus Chandler Mill Greenway versus Isaac Allen House discussion.
7. PRESERVATION EASEMENT PROJECT PROPOSAL for the Historic Chandler Mill Bridge, HC Recommendation Letter (Lars Farmer)

New Business

1. Develop educational marker program. (Lars Farmer)
2. Develop support for historic resources in Kennett Township and volunteer commissions created by ordinance in general. (Karen Marshall)
3. Hornblende Farm

CONCLUDE MEETING