CITY OF BELVIDERE HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION MINUTES July 22, 2025 5:30 pm City Hall, 401 Whitney Boulevard

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Staff Present:

Dawn Brooks, Chair Kim Coniglio, Vice Chair

David Kummerow Alexandra Omiotek

Natali Monaghan

Lisa Kummerow

Sonya Dobberfuhl

Gina DelRose, Community Development Planner

Members Absent:

Dawn Brooks called the meeting to order at 5:32pm.

MINUTES: It was moved and seconded (L. Kummerow/Dobberfuhl) to approve the minutes of the June 24, 2025 meeting. Motion carried with a 7-0 voice vote.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

NEW BUSINESS: None.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Work Plan

2025 Awards Program: Gina DelRose stated that at the August meeting, the Commission will need to decide on a date, a location, and a list of award winners. Ms. DelRose referenced the list of past winners.

Natali Monaghan noted the turret that is being repaired at 101 N. State Street.

Gina DelRose noted the Moscato's have made improvements to their building.

Lisa Kummerow noted the façade renovation for El Molcajete.

Renaissance Roofing and the Boone County Parks and Conversation Foundation were discussed.

Promotional/Fundraising Events:

Stained Glass Window Tour- Gina DelRose stated that she has not contacted churches yet.

Scavenger Hunt- Sonya Dobberfuhl presented the finished passport for the scavenger hunt-

Dawn Brooks stated that she would price box lunches.

Sonya Dobberfuhl stated she would generate a list of needed volunteers.

Chef's Night- Gina DelRose stated that she received \$100.00 from Sips and Sprinkles.

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<u>Victorian Era Picnic</u>- Gina DelRose stated that no tickets were sold for the picnic at the Funderburg House so the event is being cancelled.

The Commission discussed the possibility of trying again in the fall.

<u>Property Maintenance Grant:</u> Gina DelRose stated that there will be no updates until requests for reimbursements are received.

Expenditures: Gina DelRose stated that there have been no expenditures.

Friends of Preservation: None.

OTHER BUSINESS:

<u>Images of America: Belvidere and Boone County, Boone County Journal Postcard</u> Books, A Walk Through Time

Royalties: None.

Book Sales: None.

DISCUSSION: None.

<u>Staff Report:</u> Gina DelRose stated that Sandie Omiotek and Lisa Kummerow were reappointed by the City Council.

Gina DelRose gave a recap of downtown façade renovations and new businesses in Belvidere.

NEXT MEETING DATE: August 26, 2025

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 6:24 pm.

Recorded by

Gina DelRose

Community Development Planner

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