



Minutes
Forsyth County Historic Resources Commission
Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee
September 13, 2023
4:00 p.m.
Bryce A. Stuart Municipal Building
CCPB Small Conference Room, 3rd Floor
100 East First Street, Winston-Salem

MEMBERS PRESENT: Cheryl Harry; Noah Reynolds; Nicole Townsend-Green
MEMBERS ABSENT: C.J. Idol; Arthur Jackson; Courtney Mack
STAFF PRESENT: Heather Bratland

I. Call to Order

Staff called the meeting to order at 4:05 p.m. As there was not a quorum present, agenda items II through V were tabled until a future meeting.

- II. Approval of [March 8, 2023 Minutes](#)
- III. Approval of [April 12, 2023 Minutes](#)
- IV. Approval of [May 30, 2023 Minutes](#)
- V. Election of Committee Officers
- VI. Programs

1. Oasis Spaces: North Carolina Green Book Project

a. Green Book story map preview

Ms. Bratland presented the draft Green Book story map and discussed the types of information available and illustrated for each site.

b. October 6-November 18

Enterprise Center, 1922 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive

Ms. Harry went over plans for the in-person exhibit. She is planning a grand opening on the evening of October 6. Ms. Townsend-Green agrees to speak. Hours will be Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday 12 to 2 p.m. The Committee discussed ways to share the Story Map at the exhibit and agreed to post QR codes throughout the site and use the six monitors owned by Triad Cultural Arts for a recorded journey through the Story Map while the exhibit is staffed. Mr. Reynolds suggested a take-home booklet that includes information on the 18 Winston-Salem sites. Ms. Townsend-Green suggested leaving room for reflection and memory at the back. Ms. Bratland will work with staff on developing the booklet.

2. We Built This: Profiles of Black Architects and Builders in North Carolina

a. February 1-February 29, Fairgrounds Farmers Market

i. Opening event at Union Station February 2

ii. Volunteers?

b. March 1-March 31, C.G. O’Kelly Library at WSSU

c. Spanish translation is underway

Ms. Bratland briefly confirmed that plans for *We Built This* remain underway. The Committee discussed the idea of a festival of Black business at the market.

VII. Adjournment

Next Meeting: October 11, 2023, at 4:00 p.m.

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