

HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION



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Regular Meeting
~Agenda~

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<http://www.ci.moscow.id.us/431/Historic-Preservation-Commission>

Thursday
September 25, 2025

4:30 PM

1912 Center
412 E. Third Street

WELCOME AND ATTENDANCE

REGULAR AGENDA

- 1. Approval of Minutes from August 28, 2025 (ACTION ITEM)**
PROPOSED ACTIONS: Approve minutes as presented; approve minutes with amendments; or provide staff further direction.
- 2. Public Comment**
Members of the public may speak to the Commission regarding matters NOT on the agenda or currently pending before the Commission. Please state your name and city of residence for the record and limit your remarks to three (3) minutes.
- 3. 1912 Center Third Floor Tour**
The Commission will tour the vacant 3rd Floor of the 1912 Center and hear about future plans for the space.
- 4. University of Idaho Historic District Update**
A discussion about the work being done for the University of Idaho Historic District.
- 5. 2025 Orchid Awards (ACTION ITEM)**
The Orchid Awards will be discussed, as well as strategies for finding appropriate candidates.
PROPOSED ACTIONS: Discuss and provide staff with feedback and further direction if necessary.
- 6. Interpretive Signage in Friendship Square (ACTION ITEM)**
The Commission will discuss the plan for adding interpretive signage in Friendship Square.
PROPOSED ACTIONS: Discuss and provide staff with feedback and further direction if necessary.

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UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS

The next regular meeting of the Historic Preservation Commission is scheduled for October 23, 2025.

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Regular Meeting
~Minutes~

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August 28, 2025

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Haddock Building
504 S. Washington Street

Reese called the meeting to order at 5:26 PM

MEMBERS PRESENT: Nels Reese, Chair; April Hernandez, Laurabeth Kowalick, Jack Porter, Kayla Youngren
MEMBERS ABSENT: Renee Magee, Vincent O'Connor, Shelley Walker-Harmon
STAFF: Michael Ray

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Approval of Minutes from July 24, 2025 (ACTION ITEM)

Porter moved for approval of the minutes as written, seconded by Hernandez. Vote by Acclamation: Ayes: Unanimous (5). Nays: None. Abstentions: None. Motion carried.

2. Public Comment

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None offered.

3. Farmers Market Tabling Recap

A discussion about how the tabling at the Moscow Farmers Market went.

Reese provided an update on the tabling that was done at the Farmers Market on August 23rd, 2025.

4. University of Idaho Historic District Update

A discussion about the work being done for the University of Idaho Historic District.

Reese gave a review of the work being done for the University of Idaho Historic District, including the idea to possibly look at University Heights as another historic district.

5. 2025 Orchid Awards (ACTION ITEM)

The topic of the Orchid Awards will be discussed, as well as strategies for finding appropriate candidates.

The Commissioners continued to discuss various properties for nomination at the next meeting in September. There was a short conversation about the qualities of an Orchid Award eligible project in the Downtown Historic District.

6. Interpretive Signage in Friendship Square (ACTION ITEM)

The Commission will discuss the plan for adding interpretive signage in Friendship Square.

The Commissioners tabled this discussion.

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The meeting was adjourned at 5:59 PM.

Nels Reese, Chair

Date

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