

MEETING MINUTES  
FARMINGTON HILLS HISTORICAL COMMISSION  
City of Farmington Hills  
Heritage and History Center  
February 28, 2024  
7:30 p.m.  
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248-871-2540

**1. Chairman Hulett called the meeting to order at 7:45 p.m.**

**2. MEMBERS PRESENT:** James Hulett, Earl Baxtresser, John Willyard, John Scott, Lee Cox

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

LIAISON TO HERITAGE & HISTORY MUSEUM: Brian Golden was absent.

LIAISON FROM CITY: Absent

OTHERS PRESENT: Joe Derek

**3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA:**

**MOTION by Baxtresser support by Scott to approve the agenda as published.  
Motion carried 5-0.**

**4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

**MOTION by Willyard support by Scott, to accept the minutes of January 24, 2024.  
Motion carried 5-0.**

**5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

**A.** Museum Accession/De-Accession Reviews: None

**B.** Museum Improvement- Spicer House Move:

- a. Baxtresser shared an email from Bryan Farmer from February 12, 2024 wherein Farmer suggested a date of March 11, 2024, for the FHHC to meet with The Special Services Department.
- b. An email was sent back to Farmer suggesting 1:00 p.m. 3-11-2024 at the Spicer House.

**C.** Brick Walk Brick Sales-None.

**D.** Historical Markers-

1. Palmer Sherman House- With newly gathered information from the Oakland County

- Records, Willyard suggested edits for the Text of the Palmer House Historic Marker.
2. Boys Republic- On hold.
  3. Power's Station: Ongoing.
  4. "QR" Codes: Ongoing

**E. Publications –**

- a. Universalist Unitarian Church monograph, ongoing.

**6. NEW BUSINESS:** The Michigan Historical Society's Local History Conference at Oakland University March 22-23 was discussed.

**7. POINTS OF INTEREST:** None

**8. CORRESPONDENCE:** Email from Bryan Farmer, February 12, 2024.

**9. PUBLIC COMMENTS:** Joe Derek mentioned that after some discussions, his application to be placed on the FHHC was moving forward.

**10. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS:** None.

**11. LIAISON ACTION ITEMS:** None

**12. ADJOURNMENT:** The meeting was adjourned at 8:45p.m.

**NEXT MEETING:** March 27, 2024, at the Fountain Room of City Hall, 3155  
Eleven Mile Road, Farmington Hills Michigan 48336

Respectfully Submitted,  
Earl Baxtresser,  
Recording and Corresponding Secretary