

## ***Historical Commission Minutes***

City of Foley Council Chambers

407 E. Laurel Ave.

Foley, Alabama

**November 14, 2023**

**1:30 p.m.**

### **I. Call to order**

Chairman JaNay Dawson called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

### **II. Roll call**

Members present were: Chad Watkins, Jerry Morrison, JaNay Dawson, Kathie LeDrew and Bill Swanson. Absent members were: Kim Ward and Donna Turbyfill. Staff present were: Chuck Lay, Chief Building Inspector; Amanda Cole, Planning and Zoning Assistant and Melissa Ringler, Recording Secretary.

### **III. New Business**

- Foley Main Street  
Darrelyn Dunmore  
In Alley located E. of N. Alston St. & S. of W. Jessamine Ave.  
National- Contributing
  - a. Request to paint two door murals, trim doors and add gooseneck lighting
  
- Foley Main Street  
Darrelyn Dunmore  
106 N. Alston St.  
National- Contributing
  - a. Request to paint two door murals, trim doors and add gooseneck lighting

Mrs. Darrelyn Dunmore stated the requests were done individually due to the murals being located on two separate buildings. She thanked the Commissioners for attending the special called meeting. She introduced the artist who will be painting the murals. She explained each door mural will be framed with a black PVC material trim as shown in the renderings. She stated they would like to add gooseneck lights above the murals.

Commissioner Swanson asked if there would be one light added over each door.

Mrs. Dunmore stated one light would be added over each mural other than there may possibly be two lights over the Barin Field mural due to its size. She explained a committee made up of various representatives have reviewed and approved the murals.

The artist explained her mother was a switchboard operator years ago. She stated she did research and found pictures from the 1950's to get ideas for the telephone operator murals.

Commissioner Swanson asked if there would be any text within the murals.

Mrs. Dunmore stated the murals would not include any text other than a QR code. She stated they

are currently working on a sponsorship board.

Commissioner Morrison stated it would be nice to have literature about the murals and history of the City of Foley accessible to the public.

Commissioner Morrison made a motion to approve the murals, lighting and trim to be located in the Alley, E. of N. Alston St. & S. of W. Jessamine Ave. Commissioner LeDrew seconded the motion. All members voted aye.

Motion to approve the murals, lighting and trim to be located in the alley, E of N. Alston St. & S. of W. Jessamine Ave. passes.

Commissioner Swanson made a motion to approve the murals, lighting and trim to be located at 106 N. Alston St. Commissioner LeDrew seconded the motion.

Motion to approve the murals, lighting and trim to be located at 106 N. Alston St. passes.

**VIII. Adjournment**

Commissioner Watkins adjourned the meeting at 1:50 p.m. Commissioner Swanson seconded the motion. All Commissioners voted aye.

**Motion to adjourn the meeting at 1:50 p.m. passes.**

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**Historical Commission Chairman**

**Date**

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**Recording Secretary**

**Date**