



# Cowlitz County Historic Preservation Commission

Meeting Room, Cowlitz County Historical Museum, Kelso, WA

## Summary

Thursday, August 12, 2021

**10:00 am: ROLL CALL:** Chair Joel Rupley called the meeting to order.

### **COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:**

Chair – Joel Rupley                      Darcy Mitchem  
Dr. David Rice                              Bill Watson  
Erin Thoeny                                  Deputy Chair – Harvey Williamson

### **COMMISSIONERS ABSENT:**

**STAFF PRESENT:** Greta Holmstrom – Senior Policy & Outreach Planner, George Winn – Associate Policy & Outreach Planner, Paul Galli – County Surveyor

**CHANGES TO AGENDA:** None

**APPROVAL OF MEETING SUMMARIES:** July meeting summary was approved

### **SHORT ANNOUNCEMENTS/UPDATES:**

- None

### **PUBLIC COMMENT:**

- Discussion of Stella's Fall Creek Waterfall

### **AGENDA ITEMS:**

#### **Discussion: 2021-2022 Cowlitz Trails Grant Project**

- Kick off meeting set for August 24<sup>th</sup> at 10am at the Museum to discuss maps, materials, and collaboration

#### **Discussion: Historic Property Inventory Sub-Committee**

- Sub-Committee members updated the group on inventory progress and plans to continue research

#### **Discussion: 2021 Summer Outreach Program Plan**

- Commissioners shared the benefits of a giveaway items for passerby, and additional event signage
- Commissioners discussed potential events in October, including October Archeology Month Events

#### **Discussion: Washington Trust Affiliate Program Application**

- Commissioners approved minor adjustments to application including map edits and narrative revisions.
- Commissioner Mitchem motioned to submit application and Dr. Rice seconded. Application unanimously approved for submission.

**ADJOURNMENT:** Commissioner Williamson motioned to adjourn the meeting and Commissioner Thoeny seconded. The next Historic Preservation Commission meeting is scheduled **September 9, 2021**.