

CITY AND BOROUGH OF SITKA

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SITKA HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION

Regular Monthly Meeting **Harrigan Centennial Hall** September 17, 2024 6 p.m.

AGENDA

- I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL
- II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - a. August 14, 2024
- IV. GUEST &/OR PERSONS TO BE HEARD
- V. REPORTS & CORRESPONDENCE
- VI. OLD BUSINESS
 - b. Historic Preservation Plan
 - c. Memorial and naming policy
- VII. NEW BUSINESS
 - d. 235 Lakeview Drive
- VIII. SET NEXT MEETING DATE(S):

(2nd Wednesday of the Month, 6pm Harrigan Centennial Hall) Wednesday, October 9, 2024 – Regular Monthly Meeting

IX. ADJOURNMENT



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DRAFT MINUTES

I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL

Acting Chair Brady-Howard called the meeting to order at 6:04 pm.

Present: Dionne (Yeidíkook'aa) Brady-Howard (Acting Chair), James (Kushxeet)

Poulson, Candance Rutledge, Karen Lucas, JJ Carlson (Assembly Liaison)

Excused: Roby (Koolyéik) Littlefield

Staff: Kim Davis

Public: Mary Miller (National Historic Park Service), Scott Saline

II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

M/Poulson-S/Lucas, moved to approve the agenda. Motion passed 4-0 by voice vote.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. July 10, 2024 minutes

M/Poulson-S/Lucas, moved to approve the minutes of July 10, 2024. Motion passed 4-0 by voice vote.

IV. GUESTS &/OR PERSONS TO BE HEARD

Saline commented zoning of Katlian Bay will be coming up and wonder if the historic preservation map should be updated to include this area. Staff would check on the process. Saline also commented on the orientation packet, staff would check with the Clerk's office to see if it needed to be revised.

V. REPORTS & CORRESPONDENCE

Davis updated the commission on Pensley's resignation. The commission now had five members. Davis asked if the commission was interested in changing the code to reduce the commission from seven to five members. It would be added to next month's agenda for discussion. Davis informed the commission she had taken the Planning Manger position and the Planner I position, and Tourism Manager position were being advertised. No other correspondence had been received.

VI. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

b. Historic Preservation Plan.

Davis provided an update on the historic preservation plan. Some editing and formatting had been done up to the historical section. Staff will provide hard copies to the commission. Page 16 had formatting issues and page 7 needed to be updated to St. Michael's.

c. Memorial and naming policy

Commissioners requested the document be made editable and sent to all commission members. Brady-Howard commented while revising the naming policy, Tlingit names and spellings be correctly updated and included on street signs. QRL codes could be used to assist with pronunciation. Staff was tasked with finding out how much it cost to replace a city street sign.

VII. NEW BUSINESS

d. National Park Service Update on Building 29 (Tilson Building)

Mary Miller, Superintendent of Sitka National Historical Park (NPS), provided the commission information on current park activities and on their progress of acquiring and plans of restoration of Building 29, also known as the Tilson Building. Building 29 was an National Historic Landmark and had rare historical significance as one of four buildings still remaining from the Russian Colonial era.

Miller explained the complex process of acquiring federal property, including the need for a federal government appraisal, environmental investigations, and legal constraints. Despite these challenges, the NPS was prepared to proceed with the acquisition. The NPS would be working with a non-profit to fundraise the additional \$360,000 more than the appraised value to bridge the funding gap. The deal was not yet finalized, and the plan was to have the project lined out by December. The long-term hopes for the building that was currently in a state of disrepair, was it could be restored to its original condition it was in during the Russian Colonial era.

e. Review replacement of deck and gable overhang at 617 Biorka Street.

Davis introduced the replacement of deck and new gable overhang at 617 Biorka Street in the R-1 single-family and duplex residential district. The applicant was wanting the new gable overhang to protect the deck from weather and make it safer. Commissioners determined there was no impact to the historical area and recommend approval.

M/Poulson-S/Lucas, moved to recommend the gable and deck replacement project at 617 Biorka Street. Motion passed 4-0 by voice vote.

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Acting Chair Brady-Howard, hearing no objection, adjourned the meeting at 7:01 PM

Sítka Hístoric Preservation Commission

For Request for Review of Potential Impacts to Heritage Resource(s)

A. Contact Name Kelly McCarthy				
Address 235 Lakeview Drive Phone 707-280-8961	City ^{Sitka} Fax	State_ ^{AK} email	_ Zip ⁹⁹⁸³⁵	
B. Agency undertaking project:		tman		
Private City	State Federal	Departmen	t	
C. Date Agency received propose	ed project:			
D. Are Federal funds involved (g	rants, funding, agency)			yes no 🗸
E. Are State funds involved (grants, funding, agency)				yes no
F. Will the project affect a Nation of Historic Places? (See Ap		r a site in the Nat	ional Register	yes no
G. Is the site listed in the Alaska If yes, Site Number (refer to AHRS inventory for m	Preservation			yes no v
H. Is the Project within the Sitka	Indian Village or Down	town Sitka		yes no v
I. Build date of current structure	1960/2018			
J. Describe the proposed project Adding an addition for a master	bedroom.			
K. Purpose/Objectives for the un Remodel.	dertaking			
L. Attach: Copy of a map of the propose Property owner information Any other pertinent information		inal and longitudi	nal information	
Mail Coversheet and attachments to	:			
Sitka Historic Preservation Commiss C/O City and Borough of Sitka 100 Lincoln Street Sitka, Alaska 99835	sion			
Notes to Applicant: Review will take place only duri Projects along Lincoln or Katlia The meetings are public and con Review process may take up to 0 The SHPC reserves the right to	an Streets will require review nvene the second Wednesday 60 days.	with Planning Depar of each month as adv	rtment staff. vertised.	

ACTION: _____ SIGNED: ____ DATE: ____



City and Borough of Sitka Public Works Department



FOUNDATION ONLY PERMIT CBS BLDG DEPT

This permit is issued to the undersigned with the understanding that the applicant assumes all responsibility for the construction of the foundation, realizing that the plans have not been completely checked nor approved for construction, as to the loads presumed to be carried on the foundation or as to the superstructure to be erected thereon. Note that a sprinkler main cannot be run under the building it serves.

Before the foundation is used or a permit is issued for the construction of any structure on the foundation, the same must be made to conform in every manner with current ordinances and laws governing the construction of foundations for buildings. In issuing this permit, the municipality makes no warranties concerning compliance with either codes or ordinances and takes no responsibility for any failure of compliance or its consequences.

City approval of this permit does not authorize encroachment into any easement, required zoning setback, or recorded or unrecorded utility easement. Note that not all easements are reflected on plats. Nor does approval invalidate any covenants or subdivision plat restrictions. We strongly recommend a title search prior to any construction.

No work above the sole plate is to be started before a building permit has been issued. This permit must be submitted with a plot plan showing the location of <u>all</u> existing and proposed structures, and **showing discharge of drainage from yards, roofs, and foundations.**

STREET ADDRESS: 235 LANGUICU DR.
OWNER/APPLICANT: LEUZ McChing CONTACT PHONE: 707-280-894,
OWNER/APPLICANT SIGNATURE: DATE: 7/22/24
CITY ENGINEER/utilities connection application req'd for new structures:
PLANNING DIRECTOR:ELECTRIC DEPT:
BUILDING OFFICIAL:WATER/WASTEWATER DEPT:
DRAINAGE:SPRINKLER MAIN LOCATION:
FLOOD ZONE:
Elevation certificate is required for any structure located within a flood plain.
<u>Unless specifically approved otherwise, this permit does NOT authorize construction of a stem wall or retaining device more than four (4) feet in height.</u>
COMMENTS:



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CLIENT:

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