



# City of West Allis

## Meeting Minutes

### Historical Commission

Wednesday, June 12, 2019

4:02 PM

City Hall, Room 128  
7525 W. Greenfield Ave.

#### REGULAR MEETING (draft minutes)

#### A. CALL TO ORDER

*The meeting was called to order by Mr. Gracyalny at 4:02 p.m.*

#### B. ROLL CALL

**Present** 4 - Mr. Devan Gracyalny, Ms. Barbara Hart, Mr. Ray Nazer, and Mr. John Noll  
**Excused** 3 - Mayor Dan Devine, Ms. Sarah Fonaas, and Ms. Patricia Wolfe

#### Others Attending

*Shaun Mueller, Community & Economic Coordinator  
Jenny Kosek, Communications Strategist*

#### C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. [19-0360](#) May 8, 2019 (draft) Minutes

Attachments: [May 8, 2019 \(draft\) Minutes](#)

A motion was made by Mr. Noll, seconded by Ms. Hart, that the minutes of the June 12, 2019 meeting be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

**Aye:** 4 - Mr. Gracyalny, Ms. Hart, Mr. Nazer, and Mr. Noll  
**No:** 0

#### D. NEW AND PREVIOUS MATTERS

2. [19-0361](#) Financial Report - Devan Gracyalny, Vice Chair/Treasurer

*Mr. Gracyalny reported that as of June 12, 2019, the balance on hand is \$6,171.27.*

A motion was made by Ms. Hart, seconded by Mr. Nazer, that the Financial Report be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

**Aye:** 4 - Mr. Gracyalny, Ms. Hart, Mr. Nazer, and Mr. Noll  
**No:** 0

#### E. MATTERS FOR DISCUSSION/ACTION

3. [19-0362](#) Report from the West Allis Historical Society

*Mr. Gracyalny reported that he spoke with a Carol Graham who requested a historical search be done on the Burnham properties. She reported that Liberace lived above a storefront on S. 60th & W. Burnham. His parents sold fruit there. Liberace would have turned 100 last month.*

4. [19-0363](#) Status Reports - Historical Commission Projects and Activities

#### A. Log Schoolhouse

*Barb Hart noted that she had visitors from the Chicago area who came up specifically to tour the Log Schoolhouse.*

**B. Seneca Station**

*Nothing to report.*

**C. Social Media Updates**

The website is now up to date.

**5. [19-0364](#)**

Discussion regarding “Those Were the Days” Event on June 30, 2019

*Barb Hart questioned if it would be possible to get Spectrum Cable to come out to the event. Another suggestion was Channel 58, but they were contacted and no return phone call was received.*

*A food truck will be available and the Rotary Club will sell drinks and water. Some re-enacting and entertainment will be provided. A suggestion was made to perhaps get Mary Anne Miller, a local Harpist to perform. There will be a raffle as well as a 50/50 raffle. The Pop Up Library will also be available.*

**F. ADJOURNMENT**

A motion was made by Ms. Hart, seconded by Mr. Gracyalny, to adjourn the meeting at 4:45 p.m.  
The motion carried by the following vote:

**Aye:** 4 - Mr. Gracyalny, Ms. Hart, Mr. Nazer, and Mr. Noll

**No:** 0



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