# **City of Gainesville**

City Hall 200 East University Avenue Gainesville, Florida 32601



# **Minutes - Final**

March 1, 2022 5:30 PM

City Hall Auditorium, 200 East University Avenue

## **Historic Preservation Board**

Jay Reeves - Chair
Bill Warinner - Member
Michelle Hazen - Member
Elizabeth Hauck - Member
Michael Hill - Member
Nathaniel Courtney - Member
Philip Haight - Member
Rachel lannelli - Member
Azza Kamal - Member
Bridgette Murphy - Student Seat
Kathleen Kauffman - Staff Liaison

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#### **CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order by Chair Reeves at 5:30 pm.

#### **ROLL CALL**

Members Present: Nathaniel Courtney (5:38 pm), Phil Haight, Liz Hauck, Michelle Hazen (5:36 pm), Michael Hill, Rachel lannelli, Bridgette Murphy (student), Jay Reeves (Chair), Bill Warinner (Vice-chair)

Staff Present: Kathleen Kauffman (HPO)

## ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

#### 210770.

# **Draft Minutes of the February 2022 Historic Preservation Board Meeting** (B)

RECOMMENDATION

Staff is requesting that the Historic Preservation Board review the draft minutes from the February 2022 meeting and vote to approve the minutes.

Staff to the Historic Preservation Board - Review and approve

the draft minutes.

Motion to approve.

Motion by: Bill Warriner
Seconded by: Michael Hill

Motion passes following a 6-0 vote

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Residents of the Pleasant Street Historic District came before the Board to express their desire to see the street closure that was done at the intersection of West University Avenue and SW 2nd Street reopened by the City. They felt that the closure, which was done as a temporary measure to assist local eateries provide outdoor seating during the pandemic, has gone on for too long. They are concerned that the street closure is cutting off one of the main entrances to the Pleasant Street historic district (since SW 3rd Street is a one-way heading south) and that this will affect emergency vehicles from getting in quickly. They are also concerned that the existing outdoor dining space isn't all that attractive and is not utilized enough to warrant it remain closed.

Motion to direct staff to draft a resolution encouraging City Commission to reconsider closure.

Motion by: Bill Warinner Seconded by: Michael Hill Motion passes following a 8-0 vote.

#### PUBLIC HEARING:

#### A. SWEARING IN OF THE PUBLIC

## **B. REQUESTS FOR DEFERRAL**

#### **C. CONTINUED ITEMS:**

**210763.** Petition HP 21-00126.

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u> Staff recommends approval.

Motion to approve.

Motion by: Michelle Hazen Seconded by: Liz Hauck

Motion passes following a 8-0 vote

**210764.** Petition HP 21-00127.

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u> Staff recommends approval.

Motion to approve with the following conditions:

Condition 1: A gable vent shall be added to the back of the house to replicate

the feature that is found on the front

Condition 2: Extend the roofline on the front porch to the east so that there is a

larger proportion of porch to the front façade.

Motion by: Michelle Hazen Seconded by: Liz hauck

Motion passes following a 8-0 vote

**210765. Petition HP 21-00133.** 

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u> Staff recommends approval.

Motion to approve with the following conditions:

Condition 1: Staff to approve modifications to roofline so that what is seen

from the street does not read as one long slope.

Motion by: Bill Warinner Seconded by: Phil Haight

Motion passes following a 6-2 vote, with members Hazen and lannilli opposed

and Courtney abstaining.

#### D. NEW ITEMS:

**210959. Petition COA-22-000007.** 

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u> Staff recommends approval.

Motion to approve a 2-story garage with bonus room space (does not actually meet conditions to be considered an ADU since there is no bathroom or kitchen)

Motion by: Michelle Hazen
Seconded by Phil Haight

Motion passes following a 8-0 vote

#### **BOARD BUSINESS:**

- A. Historic Preservation Month (May) Proposed Activities
- B. Board "Items of Interest" were provided by email
- C. Update on African American Cultural and Historical Grant

#### **MEMBER COMMENT**

**NEXT MEETING DATE: Tuesday, April 5, 2022** 

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Chair Reeves adjourned the meeting at 7:27 p.m.