

**Minutes of the Meeting of the Landmarks Preservation Commission  
Held in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building  
On Wednesday, October 12, 2022**

The Chairman, Matt Smith, called the meeting to order at 7:12 P.M.

**Roll Call**

Members: Present –Lois Shinko; Clint Gault; Chairman Matt Smith

Absent – Vice Chairman Ralph White

**Approval of the Minutes of the Meeting of Wednesday, September 14, 2022**

A motion was made by Mr. Gault and seconded by Ms. Shinko to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the meeting of Wednesday, September 14, 2022, and approve said minutes as published. The vote was all ayes and Chairman declared the motion passed.

**Landmarks Letter of Recognition – Ralph White**

Mr. White was absent.

**Landmark Nominations – Lois Shinko**

Ms. Shinko said she did not have any nominations.

**Comments**

Mr. Smith stated that, in regard to the Center Cemetery, he spoke today with Rose Seighman, the Mayor's Assistant, and she said that her last correspondence with Mike Milano from Milano Monuments was at the end of August when the City was getting things tied up with purchase orders, etc. for the carving on the sandstone at Eagle Point Park. In that correspondence, Mr. Milano said that he would be getting to the work at the Center Cemetery. Ms. Seighman had not heard from him since then so today she emailed him just asking what his plans were and she told Mr. Smith that when she has a response, she will let him know.

Mr. Smith noted that official tours are taking place now at the Cahoon House on Wednesdays from 11:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. and on Sundays from 1:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M. Marilyn Irwin and John Gasior, Jr. are giving those tours and Mr. Smith said that he is really excited about that.

Mr. Gault stated that the French Creek Foundation appreciates all the hard work that went into the planting of the tree at the Aquatic Center area for the Christmas Tree Lighting event. It is really neat to have that as one more milestone or piece of the whole area back there and to think about the fun we will have there in the future.

Ms. Shinko stated that she found an old article about the women's teas and gatherings that Jean Fischer held at the Cahoon House and was thinking that we might do the same thing. Mr. Smith said that Ms. Shinko might want to give that article to Sheri Seroka, who is the one who puts everything together at the Cahoon House.

**Date of Next Meeting**

Mr. Smith stated that the next meeting of the Landmarks Preservation Commission would be held on Wednesday, November 9, 2022, in the Council Chambers of Avon City Hall at 7:00 P.M.

**Adjourn**

A motion was made by Mr. Gault and seconded by Ms. Shinko to adjourn the meeting and the vote was all ayes. The Chairman declared the motion passed and the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by Gail Hayden Assistant Clerk of Council