



Linking Hands To Preserve Heritage

African American Cultural Resource Advisory Committee Minutes
10 August 2021 - Meeting
City Hall Room 373 and Zoom
10:30 AM

Members Present: Gladys Robinson (Chairperson), Paul Gettys, Dawn Johnson (Zoom and then in person), Sandra Oborokumo, Ann Williamson
Members Absent: Sylvia Berry, Barry Grant, Monique Ramseur
Guest: Historic Rock Hill – Stephen Turner
Staff Support: City Management – Emily Burns
PRT – Garnet McKeown

- April minutes and Financial report are approved.
- Updates:
 - Historic marker sign (Rosenwald School) – working through sign update along with Emmett Scott renovations.
 - South Carolina African America Heritage Commission membership renewed.
 - African American Civil Rights Network (AACRN), addition of McCrory Five and Dime approved.
 - Cultural Center sign – feedback received to be passed on.
 - Barry Grant has resigned from the Committee.
 - Sylvia Berry will get communication from PRT on her status on the Committee.
- Potential project: Add Herman Presbyterian Church and parsonage to AACRN (group in agreement). No follow up meet set at this time.
- Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Historic Rock Hill to work together to fund a feasibility study.
 - Vote taken: motion to approve Memorandum of Understanding (Anne Williamson), second (Sondra Oborokumo) – approved unanimously
- Potential creation of 501c3 to be the structure for AACRAC; more research to be done for next meeting.

Next Meeting Scheduled: September 14: 10:30 am