

HISTORIC VERMILION DESIGN REVIEW BOARD

Meeting Minutes of June 3, 2020 @ 6:00 pm ~ Zoom Video Meeting

Roll Call: Robbie Brown, Judy Williams, Brenda Miklos, Marilou Suszko

Not Present: Susan Cairns

Attending: Emily Skahen, Council Representative

Guests: Mayor Forthofer

Robbie Brown, Chairperson called the Wednesday, June 3, 2020 meeting to order.

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES:

M. Suszko MOVED; B. Miklos seconded to approve the meeting minutes of April 29 & May 4, 2020. Vote 4 YEAS. MOTION CARRIED.

NEW BUSINESS:

(Commercial) Main Street Beach – Judy Kernell, Main Street Vermilion (Temporary Signage)

Judy Kernell representing Main Street Vermilion said they are looking to place banners at Main Street Beach that represents the idea to be mindful of the social distancing guidelines on the beach. She noted the Parks Board approved the placement of these banners. M. Suszko explained the banners will be 24 x 36 and will be placed on the Vermilion in Bloom sign holders. The banners will be weather resistant, and they will choose easily accessible locations to place them. M. Suszko provided the board members with visuals of what the banners will look like.

J. Williams MOVED; B. Miklos seconded to approve the temporary signage as presented. Roll Call Vote 3 YEAS; 1 ABSTENTION (Suszko). MOTION CARRIED.

(Commercial) 5499 Liberty Avenue – Owner: Ken Borgquist (Signage)

Applicants Tim and Micah Roberts of Erie & Anchor were present to explain their signage proposal which will be rectangular shaped and placed above the pedestrian clearance as shown in their picture as submitted to the board. The sign will include their logo and company name. The board expressed their extreme pleasure of their proposal and welcomed Erie & Anchor to Vermilion.

J. Williams MOVED; R. Brown seconded to approve the signage proposal as submitted. Roll Call Vote 3 YEAS; 1 ABSTENTION (Suszko). MOTION CARRIED.

(Residential) 608 Decatur Street – Dave Varga (Exterior Painting)

Dave Varga explained he will be painting the exterior of his home with Sherwin Williams Classic Craftsman colors consisting of SW 6470 Waterscape and SW 6215

Rocky River (green and grey). The outside trim will be white. The board was pleased with the color choices.

M. Suszko MOVED; B. Miklos seconded to approve the exterior painting as submitted. Roll Call Vote 4 YEAS. **MOTION CARRIED**.

(Residential) 5287 Ohio Street – Bonnie Brucker (Fence)

Bonnie Brucker explained her intent to install 52' fence panels between 5287 Ohio Street and 775 Sandusky Street consisting of natural wood material. B. Miklos asked her how far she would extend the fence. B. Brucker noted within the property lines as acceptable to city code.

J. Williams MOVED; M. Suszko seconded to approve the application as submitted. Roll Call Vote 4 YEAS. **MOTION CARRIED**.

(Commercial) Various Locations – Main Street Vermilion (Public Art Program/Postcard Install)

Marilou Suszko representing Main Street Vermilion discussed the Public Art Installation throughout the historic district. Sites of postcard placement will be Papa Joes, Brewed Awakening, south wall of Swan Creek, and the Norton Building. Other locations discussed were McGarvey's, the Water Works Building, Moes Fish House, the former Buyer's Fair, the Library, and the Vermilion Boat Club. There will be a total of 15 locations.

R. Brown MOVED; B. Miklos seconded to approve the postcard installs as discussed. Roll Call Vote 3 YEAS; 1 ABSTENTION (Suszko). **MOTION CARRIED**.

ADJOURNMENT:

R. Brown adjourned the meeting upon no further action.

Next Meeting:

Wednesday, July 1, 2020 @ 6:00 p.m. at the Vermilion Municipal Complex, 687 Decatur Street, Vermilion, Ohio

Transcribed by: Gwen Fisher, Certified Municipal Clerk