

MINUTES  
OCONEE COUNTY ARTS & HISTORICAL COMMISSION  
July 9, 2020  
Zoom Conference call  
6:00 pm (6:01pm)

**Members present were:** Aubrey Miller, Daniel Dreher, Mike Phillips, Suzette Cross, Libby Imbody and Thomas Jones. No media requested invite to the call.

**Also present were:** Phil Shirley, PRT Director, Leslie Hagerty-Oconee History Museum,

**Call to Order**

Aubrey Miller called the meeting to order at **6:01 pm**

**Approval of Minutes**

Motion to approve as presented by Aubrey Miller, seconded by Suzette Cross.

**Treasurer's Report**

Current balance in the A/H account is \$7,500.

**Discussion items**

1. Passport Distribution-Mr. Shirley will divide the sites so each member can adopt 3-4 sites and members will assist with distribution to the featured sites.
2. Sponsorship/Advertising-The Commission will consider sponsorship opportunities on the back of the passport or on each page for the next printing.
3. FY2021 Next steps- The Commission will focus on the following items for FY21
  - a. Top 3 focus areas identified in the planning session (Awareness Campaigns, Promotion of existing programs and sponsor public/annual events)
  - b. Each member will get a list of annual events from their adopted Passport sites to see how can we promote them.
  - c. Check to see if grants to artist/musicians allowed
4. Historical Markers Process-Mrs. Hagerty presented a one-page application for consideration. Commission approved utilizing the form with the following additions
  - a. Where to send application
  - b. Provide a link to the State Criteria on the form

**2020 Meeting Dates**

August 13-Council Chambers

September 17

October 8

November 12

December 10

**Adjourn**

The meeting was adjourned at 6:45 pm.

Respectfully Submitted:

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Phil Shirley