

MINUTES
CHARLOTTESVILLE HISTORIC RESOURCES COMMITTEE
Monday August 13, 2012 * 11:00 a.m. – Noon
NDS Conference Room * 610 East Market Street

Members Present

Melanie Miller, Co-Chair
Mary Hill Caperton, Co-Chair
Helena Devereux
Genevieve Keller

Members Absent

Winston Churchill Gooding
Edwina St. Rose
Mark Beliles
Steven Meeks

Staff

Mary Joy Scala

1. Call to order – Melanie Miller called the meeting to order at 11:05 a.m. There was not a quorum, so the July 9 minutes could not be approved.
2. Bus posters – Print 52 – 11” x 17” bus posters and 20-40 more 8”x11” size for posting in coffee shops, libraries, parks and restaurants.
3. Vinegar Hill marker discussion – Charlene Green was not able to attend. One question was whether the Vinegar Hill markers should be the same colors as the Charlottesville Twelve markers.

Mary Joy Scala presented some preliminary ideas for the marker designs. Mary Joy will get in touch with Charlene Green to discuss these markers and the Benjamin Tonsler marker, and to ask her to attend the next meeting.

4. Where I Live Series – next discussion will be Saturday August 25 with the Lewis Mountain neighborhood.
5. Downtown Mall Guidebook – Mary Joy said Beth Meyer has requested funding to publish a guidebook about the Downtown Mall and its designer, Lawrence Halprin. The Committee suggested that she also talk to the Downtown Business Association, since the merchants were going to receive free copies. The committee also discussed the possibility of a marker on the mall to commemorate the Halprin design.
6. Court Square Markers – Helena noted that we are changing the markers to correct mistakes and because sensitivity has changed. Someone suggested asking the Monticello tour guide

for feedback (she gave a downtown tour in the spring.) Mary Joy will ask intern Kristin Rourke to focus on the project.

7. Other Business - None
8. Goals for Next Meeting: Charlene Green/ Vinegar hill and Tonsler markers; Court Square markers.
9. The meeting was adjourned at noon.