



Cornelia Historic Preservation Commission

Thursday, September 21, 2023 3:30 p.m
Downstairs Administrative Conference Room

1. "Farmacia" Italian Restaurant- New business (Old Arnold Drug Building)
 - a. COA Application- Sign for new restaurant in old Arnold Drug Building "Farmacia (Farm-a-chia)- keeping original plastic illuminated polycarbonate sign, same original wiring, simply changing the graphic.
 - b. Building + Sign different eras- the rules state we are to pick one to maintain (Sign or building) We choose the sign
 - i. Shawn Knight recommends a black awning (instead of current blue) and red lettering (Instead of original blue proposal) to property owner Jay Reeder
 - ii. Don Higgins makes a motion to approve current sign proposal of blue lettering and blue awning, Perry Rettig seconds motion, all in favor, sign is approved.
 - iii. Jay Reeder likes ideas of the board for a different colors to sign and awning, if he decides to change the coloring, a new COA will need approval by the HPC.
2. Current terms: Whose terms are expired? Whose need to be discussed.
 - a. Renewals? If not, Possible replacements?
 - i. - Unaware of current terms for each member will find and discuss at next meeting.
3. Meeting times- 3rd Thursday at 3:30 is no longer a good time for many members. Gay Davis makes motion to change meeting times to 3rd Tuesday at 1:00, Shawn Knight seconds the motion, all in favor.
4. Next Regular Board Meeting: **Tuesday, October 17** at the Downstairs Administrative Conference Room at 1:00 p.m.
5. Motion to adjourn made by Emily Herrin, seconded by Perry Rittig, All in favor

Present: Don Higgins, Gay Davis, Perry Rittig, Shawn Knight, Emily Herrin, Jessie Owensby, Noah Hamil

Absent: None

Guests: Jay Reeder (Property owner of Farmacia)