



**Historic Landmark Commission - Regular Meeting Minutes
April 21, 2026 - 5:30 PM
Final**

Council Chambers
1200 E. Broad St., Mansfield, TX 76063

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Chairman Leach called the meeting to order at 5:32 p.m. in the Council Chamber at City Hall, 1200 East Broad Street, with the meeting being open to the public and notice of said meeting, giving date, place, and subject thereof, having been posted as prescribed by Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.

Staff present:

Art Wright, Planning Manager/HPO

Commissioners:

Present: Jennifer Johnston, Thomas Leach, Mark Walker, Anne Weydeck, Eric Walraven

Absent: Bob Klenzendorf, David Littlefield

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

26-2111 Minutes - Approval of the March 17, 2026, Historic Landmark Commission Meeting Minutes

Attachments:

1. 03-17-26 Meeting Minutes

Chairman Leach called for a motion on the minutes of the March 17, 2026, meeting.

Commissioner Johnston made a motion to approve the minutes as presented.

Commissioner Walker seconded the motion, which carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 Jennifer Johnston, Thomas Leach, Mark Walker, Anne Weydeck, Eric Walraven

Nay: 0 None

Abstain: 0 None

3. CITIZEN COMMENTS

Citizens wishing to address the Commission on non-public hearing agenda items and items not on the agenda may do so at this time. Once the business portion of the meeting begins, only comments related to public hearings will be heard. All comments are limited to five (5) minutes.

None.

4. DISCUSSION ITEMS

26-2117 HLC#26-002: Discussion of Historic Properties Deemed Deserving of Official Recognition although not Designated as Historic Landmarks

Presenters:

Attachments:

1. Location Map
2. Supporting Information

Mr. Wright made a presentation on the Morison-Blissard House at 204 Tarrant Street, a nominee for official recognition as a historic resource. After discussion, the Commission directed Mr. Wright to contact the property owner to participate in the official recognition program.

26-2122 HLC#26-003: Discussion and Possible Action on the "Letters to 2076" Time Capsule

Attachments:

1. Draft Letter to 2076

Mr. Wright made a presentation on the "Letters to 2076" time capsule program sponsored by the Commission and was available for questions. The Commission reviewed a draft letter of its own to place in the time capsule. After discussion, the Commission approved the draft letter and directed Mr. Wright to proceed with the project.

5. PRESERVATION EDUCATION SUB-COMMITTEE

Commissioner Leach, chair of the Sub-Committee, gave the Commission a brief update on the Sub-Committee's activities and program for Historic Preservation Month 2026.

26-2113 Minutes - Approval of the March 17, 2026, Preservation Education Sub-Committee Meeting Minutes

Attachments:

1. 03-17-26 Sub-Committee Minutes

Chairman Leach called for a motion on the minutes of the March 17, 2026, sub-committee meeting.

Commissioner Johnston made a motion to approve the minutes as presented.

Commissioner Walker seconded the motion, which carried by the following vote:

Aye: 3 Jennifer Johnston, Mark Walker, Thomas Leach

Nay: 0 None

Abstain: 0 None

6. HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER'S REPORT

Mr. Wright reported on the following items:

- *The city attorney made minor revisions to the Historic Designation Impact Statement for clarity.*
- *The City Council will be presenting the Historic Preservation Month proclamation at their April 27, 2027, meeting, and the Commissioners were invited to attend.*
- *The Commission's meeting on May 19, 2026, has been canceled.*

7. COMMISSION ANNOUNCEMENTS

None.

8. ADJOURN

With no further business, Chairman Leach adjourned the meeting at 6:04 p.m.

Thomas Leach, Chair

ATTEST:

Art Wright, Historic Preservation Officer