

**Town of Superior  
Historical Commission Meeting  
Notes  
April 15, 2016**

Members of the Commission in attendance: Bob Morgan, Larry Dorsey, Mary Cartwright, Walt Ackerman

Others in attendance: Gail Khasawneh, Allyn Jarrett, Gerald Zancanelli, Lindsey Flewelling, Maureen Hogg, Bryan Meyer (Staff)

Agenda Items:

1. Debriefing – March and early April.
  - a. The Museum saw a couple of visitors during the April opening.
  - b. Commission member Walt Ackerman expressed his appreciation to the Town Board for their time spent meeting with the group at the April 11 Joint Work Session. All members who attended the meeting were pleased with the Board's feedback on the agenda items.
2. Discussion – Museum Displays. Allyn Jarrett and Katie Olson are in the process of re-organizing and re-arranging the various displays throughout the Museum. The goal is to improve the message or initial impression that visitors form upon entering the building.
3. Discussion – Fire Truck Restoration. Staff informed the group that the truck has been transported and is actively being worked on in a secure garage bay at Mile High Classics in Denver. A website link will be forwarded to the group that will be updated periodically with pictures showing the progress being made on the truck. A new electrical wiring system, paint job and window and windshield replacement will be completed prior the Town's July 4th Parade.
4. Discussion – Museum Signage. Staff will be ordering a new rectangular sign to be installed just northeast of the Museum building. The sign will say "Superior Historical Museum" and will include the Town logo and a mining symbol. Sign dimensions are 42" long by 26 1/2" wide. The final cost including 2 mounting posts is \$1,280.00. Existing funds in the HISTORIC PRESERVATION account (10-426-4130) will be used to cover the cost of this expense.
5. Discussion – Expansion of Museum Hours. Beginning in June, Commission members will increase the number of hours the Museum is staffed and open to visitors. Currently the Museum is open from 10 am - 2 pm the first Saturday of the month. These additional operating hours will only take place during the summer months.
6. Discussion – Upcoming Programs. The group discussed logistics for the April 21 Spring Education Program that will begin at 7 pm at Town Hall. Commission members plan to arrive at 6:30 p.m. to finish setting up the room. The group will meet on May 6 at 10 a.m. to set out stakes for the May 7 Walk Through Historic

- Superior program. The walk will begin at 2 p.m. at the Museum. Both of these events are free to the public.
7. Discussion – Advisory Committee Open House. A few Commission members plan to staff their table at the Advisory Committee Open House scheduled for April 28, 6 p.m., Town Hall. The Historical Commission currently has one vacancy.
  8. Discussion – Living in Superior Coloring Books. Commission Chair Larry Dorsey estimated the current inventory of Living in Superior coloring books to be around 130. Staff plans to order more well in advance of this year's 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade field trips. A note has been made to revise the current information on the Hake family in the book prior to re-printing.

Next Meeting: May 20, 2016, 10:00 a.m. at Town Hall.