

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
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COUNTY OF HORRY)

**Horry County Board of Architectural Review
and Historical Preservation
December 14, 2010**

The Horry County Board of Architectural Review met on Tuesday, December 14, 2010, in Multi-purpose room B of the Horry County Government and Justice Center at 1301 2nd Avenue in Conway, SC. The following Board members were present: Chairman Joel Carter, Bill Strydesky, William Long, David Douglas, Ben Burroughs Ernestine Allen, James Thompkins and Sandy Carine. Staff members present: Adam Emrick and Vicki Stone.

In accordance with the SCFOIA, notices of the public meeting were sent to the press (and other interested persons and organizations requesting notification) providing the agenda, date, time, and place of the meeting. In accordance to the Horry County Ordinance a minimum of a twenty-one day notice was given.

Chairman Joel Carter called the meeting to order at 2:30 PM and Mr. Bill Long gave the invocation. A valid quorum was present for voting purposes.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Bill Strydesky made a motion to approve the minutes of October 19, 2010. Sandy Carine seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS - None

PUBLIC HEARINGS

Public Hearing of Properties and Structures to the Horry County Historic Property Register- Adam Emrick gave a brief description of each item as it was presented. Each presentation included the name of the property or structure, property owner name, owner name, address, parcel number, aerial photograph, condition of property or structure, number of gravesites, previous inventories, oldest grave, oldest marker, number of markers, and any notes of interest to property or structure. They were presented as follows:

- **Brown Swamp United Methodist Church and Cemetery** – Ben Burroughs made a motion to approve the Brown Swamp United Methodist Church and Cemetery. Sandy Carine seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Waccamaw Presbyterian Cemetery** – Mr. Don Moore and Sandra Booth asked what it would mean to place the cemetery on the local register. The Board explained the benefits of being placed on the local register. Ben Burroughs made a motion to approve Waccamaw Presbyterian Cemetery. Bill Long seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Woodlawn Cemetery** – Bill Strydesky made a motion to approve Woodlawn Cemetery. Sandy Carine seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Mt. Ariel Original Freewill Baptist Church Cemetery** – Sandy Carine made a motion to approve Mt. Ariel Original Freewill Baptist Church Cemetery. Bill Strydesky seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Princeville Cemetery** – Ben Burroughs made a motion to approve Princeville Cemetery. David Douglas seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Poplar United Methodist Church Cemetery** – David Douglas made a motion to approve Poplar United Methodist Church Cemetery. Sandy Carine seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Pondfield Cemetery** – Ben Burroughs made a motion to approve Pondfield Cemetery. Bill Long seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

- **Bethel Cemetery** – Harold Hatcher, Chief of the Waccamaw Indian Tribe, gave a brief history of the cemetery and expressed his gratitude that the cemetery was being recognized. Ben Burroughs made a motion to approve the cemetery. Bill Strydesky seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Mt. Zion AME Church** – The Mt. Zion AME Church had been table.
- **Strickland Cemetery**- David Douglas made a motion to approve Strickland Cemetery. Ben Burroughs seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Foley Cemetery** – Ben Burroughs made a motion to approve the Foley Cemetery. David Douglas seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Jernigan Cemetery** – Bill Long made a motion to approve the Jernigan Cemetery. Bill Strydesky seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Hodge Cemetery** – Ben Burroughs made a motion to approve the Hodge Cemetery. Bill Long seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Edge Cemetery** – David Douglas made a motion to approve the Edge Cemetery. Sandy Carine seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Blanton Cemetery** – Bill Long made a motion to approve the Blanton Cemetery. Ernestine Allen seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Dimery Cemetery** – This site is associated with the Waccamaw Indian Tribe. Chief Harold Hatcher asked about obtaining access to the property for maintenance. Adam Emrick addressed the question. Bill Strydesky made a motion to approve the Dimery Cemetery. James Thompson seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Hatcher Cemetery** – This site is also associated with the Waccamaw Indian Tribe. Chief Harold Hatcher expressed his gratitude that the cemetery is being recognized. Bill Strydesky made a motion to approve the Hatcher Cemetery. Jamie Thompkins seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Little River UM Church Cemetery** – Ben Burroughs made a motion to approve the Little River UM Church Cemetery. David Douglas seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Mincey Cemetery** – David Douglas made a motion to approve the Mincey Cemetery. Sandy Carine seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Cook Cemetery**- This site is also associated with the Waccamaw Indian Tribe. Sandy Carine made a motion to approve the Cook Cemetery. Bill Strydesky seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.
- **Mt. Calvary Schoolhouse** – There was some discussion on the construction date. Adam Emrick said he would verify the date. Bill Strydesky made a motion to approve the Mt. Calvary Schoolhouse. Bill Long seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

SPECIAL TAX ASSESSMENT APPLICATION – None

OLD BUSINESS

Horry County Register of Historic Places- Adam Emrick stated 129 properties had been added to the Horry County Historic Property Register.

Newly Inventoried Properties –Adam Emrick gave a brief description of the newly inventoried properties, which included the McQueen Homestead, Willow Springs United Methodist Church Cemetery, Cane Branch AME Church Cemetery, Graham Cemetery, and Union United Methodist Church Cemetery. There was some discussion of the name Willow Springs United Methodist Church Cemetery; several Board members said the Historical name was Camp Ground Cemetery. It was suggested to use the current name, but to add the historical name first. Adam Emrick said he would make an adjustment. It was also suggested to add the owners name to the address on the inventory sheets to help clarify that it is not the physical address of the cemetery. It was also suggested to place in the notes of interest the GIS maps will show the physical location of the cemetery.

Next Years meeting schedule. – The schedule for next years meeting has been advertised and a copy was included in the packet. Adam Emrick reminded everyone the BAR meetings are the third Tuesday of each month.

Old House Fair- Adam said the date is now April 2, 2011 at 10:00 AM. They will apply for a special event permit and close Kingston Dr where it meets with Main Street. The road will be tented. There will be hands on demonstrations, workshops and vendors. Joel Carter suggest getting this approved as continuing education. Adam Emrick said he had already discussed it with the Dept. of History and Archives and they were very interested.

Cemetery Project update – Adam Emrick demonstrated how to maneuver through the GIS cemetery project and the benefits of the project.

NEW BUSINESS

Board Discussion – Joel Carter mentioned that Robert Shelley had asked for help with marker language for the Bishop – Thompkins tree. Ben Burroughs said if he would send him some information he would help.

Brochures – Adam Emrick said they were almost out of brochures and there was no money to reprint them. He said he had received a phone call from a company out of North Carolina. They printed brochures and were doing one now for someone that was being paid for by a sponsor. Adam said that the company also made web phone interactive brochures. Adam Emrick said it may be something the Board will want to look into. Ben Burroughs mentioned that the Board needed to make sure the brochures indicated the historic places are not open to the public.

NEXT MEETING – The next meeting is scheduled for January 18th, 2010.

With no further business, Ben Burroughs made a motion to adjourn and Bill Strydesky seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 3:55 PM.

HORRY COUNTY BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW

Joel Carter, Chairman

Bill Strydesky

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William “Bill” Long

Elaine Gore

Sandra Carine

Ben Burroughs

David Douglas

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James Thompkins

ATTEST:

Adam Emrick, Senior Planner