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ARCHITECTURE AND COMMUNITY APPEARANCE REVIEW COUNCIL MINUTES

Minutes of the meeting held by the Architecture and Community Appearance Review Council on Wednesday, June 9, 2021, via Zoom videoconferencing (Meeting ID: 917 1822 9579).

Ms. Bonanno called the meeting to order at 8:02 p.m.

Present:

Rose Bonanno, Chair

Alan Kaufman
Darren Mercer
Ed Ozols
Chris Winter

Ciorsdan Conran, Administrator (no voting privileges) Maureen Koehl, Town Historian (no voting privileges)

I. MINUTES

Review and adoption of the Minutes of the ACARC Meeting held on May 12, 2021.

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Mr. Kaufman made a motion to accept the May 12, 2021 minutes as presented; seconded by Mr. Ozols; In favor: Rose Bonanno, Alan Kaufman, Darren Mercer, Ed Ozols and Chris Winter.

II. NEW SUBMISSIONS/REVIEWS

Cal #07-21ACARC

Sign at the Native Plant Garden at Leon Levy Preserve, 1411 Route 35, South Salem, NY 10590, Sheet 40, Block 10263, Lot 1, Zoning District: R-2A (Town of Lewisboro, owner of record) – Application for a sign at the Native Plant Garden at Leon Levy Preserve.

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Sign at the Meditation Garden at Old Field Preserve, Mead Street, Waccabuc, NY 10597, Sheet 21, Block 10803, Lot 3, Zoning District: R2A/SC (Town of Lewisboro, owner of record) - Application for a sign at the Meditation Garden at Old Field Preserve.

Bobbe Stultz, Lewisboro Land Trust was present.

Ms. Stultz stated the proposal is to install two signs; one near the parking lot in front of the Native Plant Garden at the Leon Levy Preserve, the other near the archway of the Meditation Garden at Old Field Preserve. She noted the signs are to acknowledge the Native Americans who walked this land originally. Ms. Stultz stated specific tribes were difficult to identify even after research done by Evan Pritchard (Algonquin Nation/Marist College) and Maureen Koehl (Town Historian). She noted the signs are to be:

- a 12" x 9" dark brown Dibond sign, with white letters to read "NATIVE AMERICAN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT," above "We acknowledge the original native people, who settled on this ground before us. They called land a gift from The Creator, and hoped that is be used with reverence, so its many bounties would continue to flourish. In honor of them, we commit to compassionate stewardship of this parcel of land.";
- featuring a Native American graphic that runs the length of the right edge;
- Times New Roman font;
- the Lewisboro Land Trust tree logo;
- "Project underwritten by The Jerome Levy Foundation";
- mounted at an angle atop on a locust post; and
- the bottom of the sign will be $3' 3 \frac{1}{2}$ above the ground;.

Mr. Ozols made a motion to approve the applications as submitted; seconded by Mr. Kaufman; In favor: Rose Bonanno, Alan Kaufman, Darren Mercer, Ed Ozols and Chris Winter.

III. NEXT MEETING DATE: July 14, 2021 – via Zoom videoconferencing

ADJOURN MEETING – With no further business, the meeting was adjourned on a motion by Mr. Winter; seconded by Mr. Mercer at 8:14 p.m.; In favor: Rose Bonanno, Alan Kaufman, Darren, Ed Ozols and Chris Winter.

Minutes respectfully submitted by:

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ACARC Administrator