

CITY OF DENISON HISTORIC PRESERVATION BOARD MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday, August 6, 2024

After determining that a quorum is present, the Historic Preservation Board of the City of Denison, Texas will convene in a Regular Meeting on **Tuesday**, **August 6**, **2024**, **at 12:00 PM** in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 300 W. Main Street, Denison, Texas at which the following items will be considered:

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Citizens may speak on items listed on the Agenda. A "Request to Speak Card" should be completed and returned to the City Clerk upon arrival, prior to the Board reaching the Public Comment section of the agenda. Citizen comments are limited to three (3) minutes, unless otherwise required by law.

3. ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

- <u>A.</u> Receive a report, hold a discussion and take action on approving the Minutes from the July 2, 2024, Meeting.
- B. Receive a report, hold a discussion and take action on a request for a Certificate of Appropriateness for the painting of the storefront façade at 120 W. Main Street (Case No. 2024-045H).
- C. Receive a report, hold a discussion and take action on a request for a Certificate of Appropriateness for the placement of a sculpture at the W. Crawford Street entrance of Forest Park (Case No. 2024-046H).

4. STAFF UPDATES

5. ADJOURNMENT

CERTIFICATION

I do hereby certify that a copy of this Notice of Meeting was posted on the front windows of City Hall readily accessible to the general public at all times and posted on the City of Denison website on the 2^{nd} day of August 2024.

Christine Wallentine, City Clerk



CITY OF DENISON HISTORIC PRESERVATION BOARD MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday, July 2, 2024

1. CALL TO ORDER

Announce the presence of a quorum.

Chair Kirsten Solomon called the meeting to order at 12:00 p.m. Board Members present were Vice Chair Kurt Cichowski and Linda Anderson. Board Members Rhonda Borgne and Steve Riley were absent.

Staff present were Mary Tate, Director of Development; Grant Yoder, Main Street Coordinator; Sam Patterson, Main Street Management Assistant; and Karen L. Avery, Deputy City Clerk.

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

No Request to Speak Cards were received at this point in the meeting. Therefore, no public comments were received.

3. ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

A. Receive a report, hold a discussion, and take action on approving the Minutes from the June 4, 2024, Meeting.

Board Action

Board Member Anderson noted a correction on Page 2, Line 15, of the Minutes so that they read as follows: "Ms. Tate stated that the Applicant noted in their application that they needed to replace them to meet the fire marshal's and the building official's requirements to have that window open, but they should operate (noting that she is unaware if they are painted close<u>d</u>).

On motion by Board Member Anderson, seconded by Vice Chair Cichowski, the Historic Preservation Board unanimously approved the June 4, 2024, Meeting Minutes, with correction noted.

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B. Receive a report, hold a discussion, and take action on a request for a Certificate of Appropriateness to approve the repainting of the façade above the awning and to paint the name of the business on the same portion of the façade at 314-316 W. Woodard Street. (Case No. 2024-039H).

Board Action

Mary Tate, Director of Development, presented this agenda item. Ms. Tate stated that this request is for Snow White Cleaners at 314-316 W. Woodard Street. The Applicant would like to repaint the upper portion of their façade above the awning in a similar color as is currently present. Ms. Tate stated that the Applicant would like to paint the name of the business "Snow White Dry Cleaners" across the same portion of the façade with "Since 1898" centered and painted above the center window. She stated that the painting and the addition of the painted signage is intended to represent the historic images (contained in the backup materials). The painting of the façade could be considered routine maintenance and the proposed color is Malabar (SW 9110). The signage will be painted Jay Blue (SW 6797). Ms. Tate stated that the building retains its historic integrity and is considered contributing to the district. Ms. Tate stated that the Applicant is present to answer any questions. Ms. Laura Rios came forward and presented the following information for the record:

Name: Ms. Laura Rios, Owner

Address: 439 Lamberth Sherman, TX 75090

In response to Vice Chair Cichowski's inquiry, Ms. Rios stated that they will use the historic font that was there previously when they replace the lettering. In response to Board Member Anderson's inquiry, Ms. Rios stated that they intend to add an "S" to the word "Cleaners" as they believe it sounds more professional and that is the way you usually see the word spelled in a business sense.

On motion by Vice Chair Cichowski, seconded by Board Member Anderson, the Historic Preservation Board unanimously approved a request for Certificate of Appropriateness to repaint the façade above the awning and paint the name of the business on the same portion of the façade at 314 - 316 W. Woodard Street.

C. Receive a report, hold a discussion, and take action on a request for a Certificate of Appropriateness to build a generator enclosure in the rear public parking lot behind City Hall at 300 W. Main Street (Case No. 2024-40H).

Mary Tate, Director of Development, presented this agenda item. Ms. Tate stated that the City is requesting approval to build a masonry generator enclosure at the southeast corner of the public parking lot behind City Hall near the corner of Rusk Avenue and

Chestnut Street. Ms. Tate stated that in the photo presented in the agenda packet, the tree is missing from the SE corner, but she is assured that it will stay in order to have that visual impact and also to create some shade (the tree will also obstruct the enclosure somewhat, as well). Ms. Tate stated that staff has identified this location as the best location for the generator installation, noting that the generator is something that is needed for the City's operations. Ms. Tate stated that staff is in discussion regarding reconfiguring this parking lot and, due to those reasons, the generator needs to be in this location. Ms. Tate stated that the enclosure will be approximately 11 feet tall and will be of masonry construction on the two sides that are facing the street. She stated that there does have to be access for maintenance purposes on the parking lot sides so, at this point in time, conceptually the enclosure will look like the photos (images) presented in the agenda packet and staff report. Ms. Tate stated that Ms. Fanchon Stearns is here to answer questions on the item. Ms. Stearns came forward and provided the following information for the record.

- Name: Ms. Fanchon Stearns, CIP/Engineering Manager City of Denison
- Address: 300 W. Main Street Denison, TX 75020

Ms. Stearns stated that she is present if the Board Members have any questions of her. Vice Chair Cichowski stated that prior to his being appointed to the Historic Preservation Board, he recalls that chain-link fences were prohibited in the City because the Library was requesting a chain-link fence and it was denied. Vice Chair Cichowski noted his dislike for chain-link fences. He stated that if we are going to have a quality City Hall that presents a quality image, he believes we could do better than a chain-link fence. He stated that he suspects it is due to costs, but he would hope if we are spending money in the places we are spending, we could afford something better. Ms. Stearns stated that she would take a look at it and commented that they are only in the conceptual design phase of this project. She stated that the engineering firm that they are working with hasn't actually been to the site, so it is very conceptual at this point. Vice Chair Cichowski stated that he does not have a problem with giving approval for the concept, placement, and masonry stone, but he would ask them to come back with something other than chain-link. Ms. Stearns stated that she believes the long-term plan is to replace the chain-link but right now they are trying to get it in to meet Senate Bill compliance. She stated that City Hall – and all City facilities - needs to be set up to still operate if there is some type of storm or if the City loses power. City Hall is extremely critical because their Emergency Operations Center would probably be based out of there once the generator is in place. Discussion ensued among Board Members and staff regarding materials to be used "long-term" for the enclosure (i.e., wood panels, masonry, etc.) and how long the Board would be comfortable having a temporary chain-link fence installed, if approved.

On motion by Vice Chair Cichowski, seconded by Board Member Anderson, the Historic Preservation Board unanimously approved a request for a Certificate of Appropriateness to build a generator enclosure in the rear parking lot behind City Hall at 300 W. Main Street, to be comprised of stone on the street sides and a temporary (no greater than two years) chain-link type material on the parking lot side which will then be replaced with a permanent solution (after the two years).

4. STAFF UPDATES

Director Tate presented this agenda item. Ms. Tate stated that she wanted to make the Board aware that in her budget requests she asked for some funding to do a survey of the downtown, possibly looking at the boundaries and also some residential historic districts. Ms. Tate stated that she had Post Oak doing some project visits for their tax credit projects that they have in town so they drove around and looked at some areas and they will get back to her with some direction and cost estimates.

5. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned at 12:20 p.m.

KIRSTEN SOLOMON, Chair

ATTEST:

Karen L. Avery, Deputy City Clerk

Historic Preservation Board Staff Report



Agenda Item

Receive a report, hold a discussion and take action on a request for a Certificate of Appropriateness for the painting of the storefront façade at 120 W. Main Street (Case No. 2024-045H).

Staff Contact

Mary Tate, Director of Development Services mtate@cityofdenison.com

Summary

- Applicant is requesting to paint the bulkheads, window framing and other features 3of the first-floor façade.
- The portions to be painted are already painted, but deterioration is evident.

Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends approval of the request.

Recommended Motion

The Historic Preservation Board may approve, deny, or table the request.

Background Information and Analysis

120 W. Main Street is known as the O'Maley Building and is considered to be the only intact 19th century storefront remaining in Denison. Constructed in 1898, the building retains the majority of its original features.

The applicant understands the importance of retaining the building's historic significance and wishes to paint the storefront façade in the color of "Blueridge Fir 5004-4B" from the City's suggested historic color palette. The storefront is currently painted in a hunter green shade with accents of maroon. Blueridge Fir is similar in color. The existing paint is chipped and faded.

Financial Considerations NA

Prior Board or Council Action NA

Alternatives NA

Denison

City of Denison Application for Certificate of Appropriater 300 W. Main Street, PO Box 347 Denison, TX 75020 <u>planning@cityofdenison.com</u> 903-465-2720	Revision Date: 05/2021 Page 1 of 3
Address of Property: <u>120</u> W MAIN Property Owner(s): <u>DCE</u> HOLDING Applicant Name: <u>DC</u> RAMSEY	
Relationship to Owner:	146 DEWISON, TX 75021
Applicant E-Mail Address:	Applicant Cell Phone Number: <u>919 749</u> 5349 h the following supplemental items attached:
 Letter of intent stating all work being done, pur used Current photograph of property Historical photograph of property (if available) A detailed list of all building materials and colo requested) Three (3) color options and their pr painting request. Site Plan or photograph of site with proposed of Drawing of proposed changes, including dimended/removed Required if signage is involved: scale drawing locations, illumination, materials, and hardware 	rs to be used (swatches and samples may be oposed application shall be provided with each changes nsions of each element being g of signage, including dimensions, colors,
This application may not be considered Bold items require Attachments should be Certificate of Appropriateness becomes null and after iss	ed for all projects. 2 11" X 17" or smaller. void if authorized work has not begun one year
Building Primary Material Type: Wood Brick Stucco Other:	Name of Contractor: <u>NEW HARP (TREVOR HOUZBOG</u>) Has the building been previously painted? Ves No
Property's Current Primary Use: Commercial Residential Other:	Will changes being made change the primary use? ☑ No □ Yes. If yes, state new use:

5.00

I hereby certify that I have examined this application and know the information presented herein to be true and correct. All provisions of laws and ordinance governing this type of work will be complied with whether specified or not. If a Certificate of Appropriateness (COA) is issued, it is my responsibility to verify if a Building Permit is necessary before beginning work, and to verify if inspections must be done upon completion of work. The granting of a COA does not give authority to violate or be exempt from the provisions of any other local, state, or federal law regulating construction or performance of construction.

Work done without an applicable COA may result in a fine, and removal of unauthorized construction required.

Property Owner's Signature

7/22/24 Date

DC RAMSEY

Property Owner's Printed Name

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Staff Received:	Case Number:	Receipt #:	
Select one: Contributing/Non-contributing	Date Received:	Built Circa:	

Dear Members of the Denison Historical Board,

I am writing to seek approval for painting the exterior of my building located at 120 W Main Street, Denison.

My proposed paint color was chosen from the city's list of color options. "BLUERIDGE FIR 5004-4B".

We understand the importance of maintaining the historical significance of our downtown area and we are committed to ensuring that the project respects and upholds the historic character of the property and the district.

Please see attached for Certificate of Appropriateness along with 3 photos: historic, current, and rendering of building with proposed new paint color.

Thank you for your time and consideration. I look forward to your guidance and approval to proceed with this project.

Sincerely,

Evan and DC Ramsey









120 West Main





Historic Preservation Board Staff Report



Agenda Item

Receive a report, hold a discussion and take action on a request for a Certificate of Appropriateness for the placement of a sculpture at the W. Crawford Street entrance of Forest Park (Case No. 2024-046H).

Staff Contact

Mary Tate, Director of Development Services mtate@cityofdenison.com

Summary

• This is a City-initiated request for the placement of a custom sculpture at the entrance of Forest Park.

Staff Recommendation

Staff recommends approval of the request.

Recommended Motion

The Historic Preservation Board may approve, deny, or table the request.

Background Information and Analysis

The Pool Family commissioned Casni Studio to design and construct a yellow jacket sculpture. The sculpture will be 7 feet tall and constructed of a metal material similar to that of the other Casni sculptures located throughout the City.

The Main Street Design Committee approved the design and recommended that the sculpture be placed in the greenspace semi-circle to the North of the Forest Park/ Touchdown Alley Arch. This differs from the original proposed location of being placed within the fence in the same general location.

Financial Considerations NA

Prior Board or Council Action NA

Alternatives NA



City of Denison Application for Certificate of Appropriate 300 W. Main Street, PO Box 347 Denison, TX 75020 planning@cityofdenison.com 903-465-2720 Address of Property: <u>300 W. Crawford</u> Property Owner(s): <u>City of Denison</u> Applicant Name: <u>Casni Studios</u> Relationship to Owner: <u>Artist</u> □ <i>Check if same as Property Owner</i> Applicant Mailing Address: <u>110 S. Houston</u> ,	Revision Date: 05/2021 Page 1 of 3
Applicant E-Mail Address:	Applicant Cell Phone Number: 903-271-1772
Please submit this completed application w	ith the following supplemental items attached:
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Property's Current Primary Use: Commercial Residential Other:	Will changes being made change the primary use? No Yes. If yes, state new use:

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tease check all that apply le	garding the work to be done at	the property.
Masonry	Wood Removing Paint	Painting: Please provide samples and list all colors.
Repointing Cleaning	Repairing/replacing/removing wood	□ Brick:
 Removing paint Repairing/replacing/removing 	Coating, including chemical preservatives	Other masonry:
Coatings, including water repellent coatings	inger 1. S. Koskine, Doger et J. S.	U Wood:
	hat musicing the second	Other façade elements:
 Windows Repairing/replacing sashes Changing number size, location, or glazing pattern Cutting new windows Closing or blocking Replacing 	Entrances: including doors, fanlights, sidelights, pilasters, entablatures, columns, balustrades, stairs, etc. Entrance repair/replacement Entrance removal Porch removal Porch closure/enclosure	Roof: including dormers, chimneys, slates, tiles, shingles, metal, etc. Repairing roof Replacing roof Repairing/replacing features Removing features
Additions Addition to primary facade Other addition: 	Demolition Residential Commercial Other:	Other Please explain:
Signage to be installed:		
Location Window/door Building Pole Other:	Lighting Exterior illumination Building illumination Non-white lighting Type: Other:	Hardware Hardware Screw mounting Wires Tension system Freestanding: Other:
Colors Please list:	Materials Masonry Type: Vinyl Metal Canvas Other:	Other signage elements

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Property Owner's Signature

Property Owner's Printed Name

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July 25, 2024 Date



July 26, 2024

Mary Tate Historic Preservation Officer / Director of Development Services 300 W. Main Street Denison, TX 75021

Dear Mary Tate,

The Pool family would like to provide a sculpture of a Yellow Jacket near Munson Stadium in Forest Park. The sculpture is to be completed by Casni Studio and feature a yellow jacket with the base similar to the Denison Forward sculpture in front of the burned lots. The sculpture is planned to be 7 feet tall and positioned in the North East corner of Forest Park. Casni Studio has provided many sculptures downtown including the Denison Forward sculpture as well as the backdrop for the recent Dia De Los Muertos Festival.

The Design Committee has approved the design but recommend that the sculpture be placed in the greenspace semi-circle to the North of the Forest Park / Touchdown Alley Arch. Concerns were discussed of prohibiting events in Forest Park at the current proposed location.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Grant Yoder Main Street Coordinator for the City of Denison 101 E. Main Street, Suite 103 Denison, TX 75020 903-647-8510 gyoder@denisontx.gov





