

**Minutes of the Winneshiek County
Historic Preservation Commission
Meeting
July 2, 2007
5:30 P.M.
Old Winneshiek County Jail**

Present: Roger Bergman, Dave Stanley, Steve Johnson Ferneva Brimacomb, Rob Shadwick.

Steve opened the meeting by asking Ferneva if she and Kevin had an opportunity to meet with Dean Darling, the chairman of the board of supervisors regarding the Freeport Hillside Cemetery issues. Ferneva replied that they did not have a chance to meet face to face but did send him a copy of the grant proposal so the Board of Supervisors is aware of it.

Dave noted that Kevin had provided him with a chronology of encounters with the property owner, C.J. Lensing. Dave suggested that we send a letter to the County Attorney explaining the situation.

Rob moved that Dave draft a letter to send to the County Attorney. Ferneva seconded the motion. It was passed unanimously.

Steve suggested that we set a timeline to draft the letter and distribute it to the commission for review. Dave indicated that he could draft the letter and distribute it in a couple of days. The commission could review it, make suggestions, and the final letter would be ready to go in one week.

Dave said he would finish the grant proposal and submit it to the Historical Society of their review by August 13th. The final version is due on August 31st. Steve thought we should not schedule a meeting for August until we receive the draft review and then proceed from there.

Meeting adjourned at 6:30 P.M. Next Meeting is tentatively scheduled in August after the grant review comments are received, at a time and place to be named later.