

RALEIGH APPEARANCE COMMISSION
Minutes of the Meeting
Thursday, December 4, 2014

Members attending: Julieta Sherk, Brian O’Haver, Tika Hicks, Asa Fleming, Kelli Goss, John Koonce

Members excused: Victor Bruinton, Brandy Thompson, Cari Jones, Rolf Blizzard, Dean Rains, Jedidiah Gant

Robby Thompson, Damien Graham

Staff attending: Elizabeth Alley

General Business

John Koonce gave a brief overview of the findings of the Joint Commission on Signage.

Working Group

Julieta Sherk relayed a conversation she had with a past staff member regarding possible future roles for the Commission related to streetscape work, and how best to review city initiated projects at the schematic design phase.

The Commission discussed their desire to see all public buildings, including city, county, state and federally, and how other municipalities address this desire. A first step would be to institute a standard operating procedure for all city projects over a certain size/scale to come to the Commission for review. This could take the form of a joint meeting with, for example, the Parks Board.

The Commission agreed to schedule additional conversation about the Commission’s historic role, and the findings of the Sir Walter jury.

The Design Education and Excellence Group decided to make a decision by their second December meeting regarding direction for the rebranding project.

OTHER BUSINESS

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 5:30 pm.