



City of Westfield

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

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Cindy Bronson, Michael Ingraham, Kathi Palmer, Nick Aieta

Oct. 23, 2023
City Hall Room 201
6:00 PM

Public Participation

Secretary's Report

Treasurer's Report

Mail



Old Business

Oct. 14 History on the Go recap: Over 50 people attended, stones were cleaned, and 6 broken stones repaired, 4 “ghosts” attended. \$72 donated to be deposited in our gift account.

Ghost Tour in Jan. Review list of “ghosts”. Refine the list and if desired, choose who you would like to portray. The church is reserved for Jan. 26 and 27, Athenaeum will sell tickets, Jay is available. Kathi can answer questions on format.

Update on Crane Mill prints: Kathi

CPC meeting update: The money was approved for the Baptist Church and Franklin Ave. School Playground. Will be sent to City Council for approval. Ann Lentini presented her plan for converting the Old Town Hall into low-income housing for veterans. Will request funding in Jan.

New Business

Vote to confirm that the WHC finds the Old Town Hall to be historically significant. Built in 1830. The oldest remaining public building in Westfield. Was the town hall, high school, and other public offices.

Preliminary list of our 2024 Master Plan.

Next meetings 6:00 PM 11/27, 12/18(third Monday)