# MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE HISTORICAL COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS, HELD ON MONDAY, APRIL 27, 2020, AT 7:00 P.M. AT LOS ALTOS CITY HALL, ONE NORTH SAN ANTONIO ROAD, LOS ALTOS, CALIFORNIA

#### **ROLL CALL**

PRESENT: Chair Lang, Vice-Chair Bartlett and Commissioners Bai, Horn, Moore, Trapnell,

and Zoufonoun

ABSENT: None

#### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Los Altos History Museum, Executive Director, Dr. Elisabeth Ward discussed the status of the rehabilitation of the water tower at the history museum site and a proposal for a new 14-foot tall windmill at the history museum site.

#### ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION/ACTION

#### 1. <u>H20-0001 - D. DiVittorio - 725 University Avenue</u>

Historical Advisory Review for a second-story addition and exterior modifications to an existing two-story historic resource structure.

Staff presented the report.

Owner, Eric Albert made a presentation, and the owner and applicant/architect, Danielle DiVittorio, responded to questions from the Commission.

#### **Public Comment**

Resident, Mr. Steve Souders, spoke in support of the historic advisory review application for the second story addition and exterior modifications to the historic resource structure, and also provided historical background on the building.

Action: Upon a motion by Commissioner Moore, seconded by Commissioner Bai, approved the Historical Advisor Review for modifications to a historic resource property subject to the listed findings and conditions in the agenda report. AYES: Bai, Bartlett, Horn, Lang, Moore, Trapnell and Zoufonoun; NOES: None; ABSENT: None; ABSTAIN: None.

#### **INFORMATIONAL ITEMS**

#### 2. <u>Margaret Thompson Essay Contest</u>

Staff provided an update.

#### Public Comment

Los Altos History Museum Executive Director, Elisabeth Ward provided information regarding the Margaret Thompson Essay Contest

- 3. <u>Halsey House Update</u> Staff provided an update.
- 4. <u>Monthly staff report</u> Staff provided an update.

## COMMISSION AND STAFF REPORTS AND DIRECTIONS ON FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

No comments.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

Chair Horn adjourned the meeting at 8:34 p.m.

Sean K. Gallegos Staff Liaison