

**Thornbury Township
Historic Preservation Minutes
January 15, 2025**

The November meeting of the Thornbury Township Historic Preservation Commission was held on January 15, 2025 at 7:00 PM at the Thornbury Township Building. A public notice was published in the Daily Local News on January 8, 2025.

The agenda was posted on the Township website and at the Township building on January 9, 2025. Copies of the agenda were available for attendees.

Board members present:

Victor Starr
Percy Neall
Paul Manidis
Randell Spackman
Alfred Lohmann
Buz Conover

Board members absent:

Barbara Ann Zippi-Och

Staff/Professionals present:

Township Manager, Judy Lizza

Guests:

None

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 by Victor Starr.

REORGANIZATION

Percy Neall began the meeting as the Temporary Chair

Nomination for Chair: Randell Spackman nominated Victor Starr as Chair. Seconded by Percy Neall No other nominations were made. All in favor. Motion carried

Nomination for Vice Chair: Victor Starr motioned to appoint Percy Neall as Vice Chair. All in favor. Motion carried.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Victor Starr made the motion to approve the November 2024 minutes. Percy seconded the motion. Motion carried.

ITEMS ON THE AGENDA:

New members were welcomed and all provided their interest in the Historic Properties.

1. Historic Homeowner Event
 - a. Event to be held at Goose Creek Park
 - b. Date October 4, 2025
 - c. Event to provide education and resources for historic homes of Thornbury Township

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- d. The Vendor list will be worked on by Paul, Alfred and Buz.
 - e. There are 63 Properties total in the Class I, II, III of Thornbury Township
 - f. Future discussion of entertainment or crafts.
 - g. Office staff will work on ID badges for attendees
 - h. Victor will work on an article for the newsletter.
2. Other Items of Discussion
- a. How to obtain pre-recordings of home tours or stories of properties in Thornbury to maybe create online house tours event
 - b. Have historic resource map available for historic homes for next meeting
 - c. Update relationship with Cheyney University for historic tours of their resources.
 - d. Lafayette Day Celebration July 26th
 - e. September 13/14 Battlefield reenactment

PUBLIC COMMENT:

None

ADJOURNMENT: 8:00 PM

NEXT MEETING FEBRUARY 19 AT 7 PM

Respectfully submitted,


Judy Lizza
Township Manager