

**Dighton Historical Commission
Special Meeting
Dighton Police Station – Conference Room
1458 Somerset Ave
Minutes of Thursday, March 28, 2024**

Present: Patricia Gailes, Zachary Caron, Shara Costa.

Meeting called to order at 6:10pm.

Reviewed the MHC Survey A area form for the School Street Area. This area is **not** recommended for listing in the National Register of Historic Places. The buildings in this area have diminished architectural integrity with the use of replacement materials in nearly all the homes. Began review of Lincoln Ave Area form. This area is also **not** recommended for listing in the National Register of Historic Places.

These replacement materials are vinyl siding and/or replacement windows and doors. Although the architectural integrity is diminished, the history of the people who lived and worked in these areas remain important to Dighton's history.

Discussion held to make a database of the houses included in the survey update for the Commission's review and possible use for the historical marker program. Zach and Shara will work on the database with links to google maps.

Survey form pictures will be reviewed for correct addresses.

Beginning discussion on the Brick area form. The Brick area will be reviewed in depth at the next meeting with the goal of developing questions for Stacy Spies.

No motions or votes were taken at this meeting.

Next meeting: Thursday, April 25 at 6pm at the Police Station Conference Room.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30pm