FAIRHOPE HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMITTEE

Minutes from the meeting of May 5, 2016:

Attendees:

Sissy Birindelli Rich Mueller Donnie Barrett

Joe Birindelli Gary Gover Ralph Thayer

Linda Jones Jonathan Smith

Minutes for March and April are approved.

Historic Preservation Ordinance:

Mayor Kant will sign an approval form to secure the services of Stephen McNair as a legal and historic preservation specialist for his expertise and knowledge towards working on the Ordinance.

Gary used the Magnolia Springs Ordinance (#2008-04 Town of Magnolia Springs Ordinance) to draft some changes to the Fairhope document.

<u>Treasured Historic Home Yard-sign:</u>

The yard sign has been displayed at 55 Summit Street since May 11th. Linda will identify several options for its next location and report back to the Committee during the June meeting.

Other Business:

Preservation tax benefits are no longer in affect in Alabama. Federal tax benefits may still be available.

Donnie reported on the Historic Bus Tours for June and July.

Next Meeting:

The next meeting will be held on June 2, 2016 @ 9:30 am at the Fairhope Museum.

minutes prepared by Linda Jones FHPC Secretary