

# JACKSON COUNTY HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION

## MINUTES

<b>Date:</b> July 17, 2018								
<b>Time Begin:</b> 5:30 pm								
<b>Time End:</b> 6:08pm								
<b>Location:</b> Genealogy Study Room at Jackson County Public Library								
Members	Present	Absent		Present	Absent		Present	Absent
Maudie Phillips		X	Jane Eastman		X	Carl Iobst	X	
Susan Leveille	X		Joe Rhinehart		X	Beth Parris		X
Connie Haire	X		Luther Jones	X				
Bill Crawford		X	Pam Meister	X				

**Others Present:**

Caroline Edmonds, Planner 1  
Emily Soper, Planning Intern

**Call to Order and Quorum Check**

Chairman Susan Leveille called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m and a quorum was not present.

**Public Comment**

There were no public comments.

**Approval of the Agenda**

The agenda was not approved as a quorum was not present.

**Approval of Minutes**

The minutes were not approved as a quorum was not present.

**New Business: Walter Moore House and Backus Lodge**

The Commission members discussed the Walter Moore House in Webster as well as the Backus Lodge in Toxaway. The HPC discussed the history of the Backus Lodge that is now known as Canaan Land and serves as a religious retreat for pastors and their families. The Backus Lodge started out as a hunting lodge, then turned exclusive girls camp with a railroad onto the campus. The lodge and property have been used as a religious retreat since the 1950s.

**Old Business: HPC Interview Project**

The Commission members briefly discussed the consent form. At the next regularly scheduled HPC meeting, the Commission will look at the consent form further and take action to approve the use of the document for the interview project. After the approval of the use of the consent form, interviews may be taking place.

**Adjournment:**

With no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:02 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by:

*Nelise Delley*  
Administrative Assistant

Approved by:

*Susan Leveille*  
Susan Leveille, Chair