St. Louis Park Historical Society Annual Meeting Minutes October 13, 2020 Zoom meeting due to Covid-19

Attending: President: Ted Ekkers, Vice President: Lynn Carper, Treasurer: Henry Solmer, Trustees: Bill Beyer, John Olson, Rick Sewall, Mary Lou Nemanic, Jane Hagstrom.

GOVERNANCE

Welcome: Ted

Review of September minutes: Minutes were corrected and approved.

Treasurers report: Henry. We had a slow financial month. No rental in August from one of our sub-leasers. Ted will contact them. We will renew our MNAlliance of Local Historical Museum membership at \$25. No new members. \$10,000.00 grant money is in the account.

Membership report: No new members. 222 current members.

Re-Echo Update: Bill, Next issues in December: Healthcare in the Park. Lynnewill be interviewing owner of Nelson's Meats.

Office Administration/office hours: No office hours due to Covid-19. Kathy to research protocol for how many people can be in our office.

PRESERVE & HIGHLIGHT HISTORY

Book sale update: No report

Donations: Painting of Rock Island /Beehive. High res photos on DVD's. Documentation of inside and outside of Depot

Website Content: Bill to update, summary of SLP. Jim is researching the Road house.

Park History Today: 721 subscribers.

Grant: Kathy is meeting with the architect next week to move forward with the grant.

COMMUNITY PRESENTATIONS: SLP Cable Channel: October 23rd, Bill's history with Tony Nelson, 3 episodes. Rock Island Update: John. Karen Laukkonen met with Andrew Weber, MNDOT and neighborhood looking for partnerships. There is some money available if there is a community 5013C sponsorship. The SLPHS is a partner.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned. The next meeting will be November 10, 2020, due to the election at 7PM, Zoom.