

**TOWN OF PERRY, DANE COUNTY, WISCONSIN**  
**HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION**

***DRAFT MEETING MINUTES for September 9, 2010***

1. Chairman Darren Walker called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.
2. Commissioners in attendance were Darren Walker, Gary Boley, Robert Brick and Don Mueller. Ernie Grinder was absent.
3. Other attendees were: Linda Bluschke and Margaret Berg.
4. Darren Walker made the motion to approve the prior meeting's minutes, seconded by Don Mueller. Motion carried.
5. Darren Walker had distributed to the other Commission members, prior to the meeting, a letter from Rick Bernstein of the Wisconsin Historical Society to Mary Price, Town of Perry Clerk. Darren summarized the letter, stating that Letters of Intent for historic preservation grants are due by September 10. A necessary project would be to update the National Register nomination for the Hauge Log Church. An updated nomination could better define the boundaries that would preserve the views and vistas to and from the church. It could also reassess the local, state and federal significance of the church. Increased significance would increase the potential to obtain grants for the church. The other Commission members expressed support for this proposal. Darren then distributed a draft Letter of Intent for the other members' review. Gary Boley suggested a minor addition (mention of the Town's support) and Darren said he would e-mail the amended Letter to the Historical Society.
6. Darren Walker asked Don Mueller, in Don's capacity as chair of the Perry Parks and Open Space Committee, for an update on that committee's progress as it affected the Historic District. Don reported that the park road had been graveled and that seeding for the prairie grasses was completed.
7. Darren Walker asked the others in attendance if they had any comments to bring to the attention of the Commission members. There were none.

8. Since the application for a grant is due November 12, 2010, the members determined the next meeting should be held in mid-October. This will allow sufficient time to ensure the application correctly addresses all the required information. They agreed to tentatively schedule the meeting for either October 11 or October 14. Ernie Grinder's availability will determine which date is chosen.
9. There being no further business, Gary Boley moved that the meeting be adjourned, seconded by Don Mueller. The meeting was adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Darren Walker  
Chairman  
Perry Historic Commission