

History Council Agenda

August 11, 2020

(IN PERSON MEETING, FACE COVERING REQUIRED)

6:00 PM: Meeting call to order
Welcome to visitors – introductions

Old Business:

Camp Road History update
Update on status Old Library, Stakeholders re Historical Council

New Business:

New History Council members needed tentative members.

James Island Residents Oral Histories: - the Town should take note of the impact of these trials through the collection of Oral Histories from the residents of the island. These histories would be invaluable to future historians of James Island, South Carolina and perhaps the entire region. Efforts would be made to collect these stories from Sol Legare to Riverland Terrace and Clark Sound to the Stono and all the neighborhoods in between. Members of the History Council could oversee and select a cross-section of these stories and set up an archive of these ongoing crises.

Plan for additional Remembrance Days:

- A) Commemorate 'Stamp Act Defiance' – November 7 or 14 - Old Exchange interested in participating along with Sean Willis, Ken Scarlett; SCDNR
- B) Commemorate Invasion of James Island by British Forces Jan-February 1780 (Dill Reserve/Fort Johnson)
- C) Commemorate Invasion of James Island by Union Forces May 1862 (Sol Legare Island/Baxter/Patrick Library)
- D) Commemorate July 4, 1864 attack on Fort Johnson by Union Troops

Next Meeting – September 1, 2020

Adjournment