

**MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION HELD  
JULY 15, 2008**

The Historic Preservation Commission met in special session Tuesday, July 15, 2008, at 4:00 p.m. in the Municipal Courtroom at the Eufaula Police Department Complex, 545 East Barbour Street. Upon call of the roll the following members were present: Vice Chairman Curtis Williams, Doug Purcell, Joel Smith, Sr., David Ongemach, Bruce Turner. Absent: Terry Honan.

Vice Chairman Williams opened the meeting by reading a statement of intent and purpose of the Historic Preservation Commission: "The Eufaula Historic Preservation Commission was established by City of Eufaula Ordinance 2001-2 on March 5, 2001. The purpose of the Commission is to promote the preservation of buildings, structures and sites of historic and architectural value within our city. All of the members of the Commission are unpaid volunteers. We are here today to review applications to see if the design of the proposed projects meet the design review manual requirements established by the city council for projects in the locally designated historic district."

Vice Chairman Williams recognized visitors to the meeting: Susan Culpepper and Mary Wright.

The first application was a request by Susan Culpepper, DBA The Cajun Corner, for signage at 114 North Eufaula Avenue. Ms. Culpepper stated she wishes to suspend the signs above the railing on the second floor balcony on each end of the building (north and south). The signs will be framed. Mr. Ongemach stated he has revisited his previous decision on location of the signage, and would prefer the signs be placed in front of the balcony railings. After further discussion, it was requested Ms. Culpepper obtain a letter from Coastal Development giving her authorization to place the signs on the building, and present to the Commission sketches of the sign she wishes to use. Motion by Mr. Purcell, seconded by Mr. Ongemach, to deem the application incomplete until further documents are received. Roll call vote was recorded as follows: Yeas: Vice Chairman Williams, Mr. Purcell, Mr. Smith, Mr. Ongemach, Mr. Turner. Nays: none. Motion carried. Ms. Culpepper stated she would gather the necessary documents and return at the August meeting.

There being no further business to come before the Commission, motion was duly made and seconded to adjourn at 4:28 p.m.

THE HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION  
OF THE CITY OF EUFAULA, ALABAMA  
A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

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Terry Honan, Chairman

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Teri Bush, Secretary/CLG Liaison