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***SPRINGFIELD HISTORIC COMMISSION
SCHEDULED TO MEET ON MARCH 27TH***

The Springfield Historic Commission will meet on **March 27, 2012 from 5:30 – 7:00 p.m.** at Springfield City Hall (225 Fifth Street) in the Jesse Main Room. The public is welcome to attend.

Historic Commission Meeting Agenda

March 27, 2012 – 5:30 to 7:00 p.m.

Springfield City Hall – Jesse Main Room – 225 Fifth Street

5:30 Call to Order (Chair)

5:32 Public Comment (Chair)

Action Requested: None. Provide an opportunity for the public to comment on Commission actions.

5:38 Approval of Minutes (Chair)

Action Requested: Review and approve, or approve with changes, the January 2012 minutes.

5:40 Land Use Applications (Chair)

Action Requested: Review and discuss City's proposal for façade alterations/masonry work at 590 Main Street. Review and discuss land use applications or counter questions submitted prior to the meeting.

6:00 Historic Moment (Paula Guthrie)

Action Requested: None – for information only.

6:20 Election of Officers (Chair)

Action Requested: Finalize officers for 2012.

6:25 Commissioner Updates (All)

Action Requested: Discuss the work of individual Commissioners since the last meeting, and report time spent on such work. Feedback and/or approvals may be requested by Commissioners for items discussed.

6:40 Staff Updates (Staff)

Action Requested: None – for information only.

7:00 Adjourn

Background:

The Springfield Historic Commission was established in 1977 to educate the public about the importance of historic resources, promote the use of these resources within the community, and stabilize property values.

The Commission oversees the use and preservation of all buildings and sites in the Washburne Historic District and the City Landmark Inventory. Major and minor alterations, building relocation, and demolition of structures are reviewed by the Commission. The Commission consists of seven members who meet on the fourth Tuesday of each month, or as needed.

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