# HIGH POINT CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING

High Point Museum, 1859 E. Lexington Avenue June 13, 2018 – 3:00 P.M.

## **MINUTES**

Note: QUORUM WAS NOT PRESENT

#### **Present:**

Council Members Don Scarborough (At-Large), and Monica Peters (Ward 3)

#### Absent:

Mayor Jay Wagner, Mayor Pro Tem Christopher Williams (Ward 2), and Council Members Britt Moore (At-Large), Jeffrey Golden (Ward 1), Wesley Hudson (Ward 4), Victor Jones (Ward 5), and Jason Ewing (Ward 6)

### **Staff Present:**

Mary Sizemore, Library Director; Edith Brady, Museum Director; Marian Inabinett, Curator; Corinne Midgett, Registrar; Teresa Loflin, Community Relations Director; Crystal Williams, Administrative Assistant; Sandra Keeney, Deputy City Clerk; and Lisa Vierling, City Clerk

Edith Brady, Museum Director, and the Museum staff greeted Council and staff as they entered the building and provided some background information on the High Point Museum. The operational hours for the Museum are as follows:

- ✓ Tuesday through Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- ✓ During the Summer hours, the Museum is open on Sundays from 10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The City of High Point provides funding for the building/maintenance, employee salaries, etc..... and the Museum continues to rely on support from the High Point Historical Society to fill its galleries and to raise funds for projects that exceed the Museum's operational budget.

Some of the Exhibits currently on display at the Museum are:

- ✓ Furniture Heritage Collection
- ✓ *Meredith's Miniatures*
- ✓ Strength in Numbers: Women's Organizations in High Point that highlights the following four organizations that played a major role in the development of High Point: Alpha Art Club, The Women's Club, Junior League of High Point, and Young Women's Christian Association (YWCA) (on display until mid-October).

The High Point Museum hosts a variety of events throughout the year, ranging from business meetings to family reunions and has an Education Classroom as well as a Lecture Gallery.

Following a tour inside the Museum, the tour concluded on the outside of the Museum campus. The following historical buildings are located on the Museum campus:

- 1. Blacksmith Shop
- 2. Haley House
- 3. Hoggatt House
- 4. Little Red School House. This historical structure was recently moved to the Museum campus and renovations are almost complete.

Following the conclusion of the tour, the meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lisa B. Vierling, MMC City Clerk