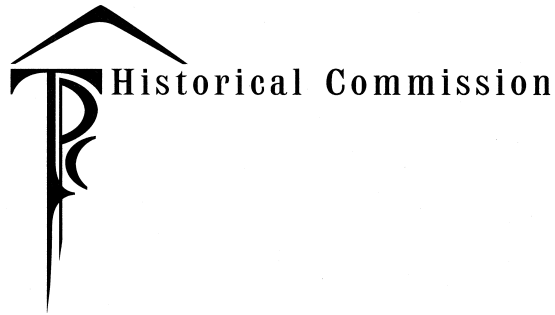




Tucson-Pima County Historical Commission

Event Subcommittee

Tuesday, April 14, 2026

Virtual Meeting via Teams

Legal Action Report

1. Call to Order/Roll Call

The meeting was called to order at 9:02 a.m., and a quorum was present.

Members Present:

Teresita Majewski, Chair

Kathe Kubish

J. J. Lamb

Rhonda Moniz

Members Absent:

None

Guests / audience present:

Amy Hartmann-Gordon, Presidio San Agustin del Tucson Museum

Marianna Pegno, Tucson Museum of Art

Morgan Wells, Tucson Museum of Art

**2. Approval of TPCHC Event Subcommittee LAR/Minutes from Meetings of 10/14/25 and 2/20/26
(Discussion/Action)**

It was moved by Commissioner Kubish, duly seconded by commissioner Lamb, and carried by a roll call vote of 4 to 0 to approve the Legal Action Report/Minutes from the Meetings of 10/14/25 and 2/20/26, as submitted.

3. August 2026 Presidio Event Planning and Scoping (Discussion/Action)

Amy Hartmann-Gordon said that the plan is to do a smaller event in the patio on Thursday, August 20, from 7 to 10 p.m. She is envisioning a reception with a few remarks and some reflections on the 2025

250+ celebration. Commissioner Kubish mentioned that Jack Lassiter could combine the Arizona and national perspectives. Commissioner Lamb mentioned Native American connections to the event.

4. Time Capsule at TMA – Update and Planning for Reburial of New Time Capsule at Tucson Museum of Art Location (Discussion/Action)

Two dates for the event have been proposed, October 10 and November 14. November 14 is the most likely date. The event will be during the first part of the afternoon, with a wrap by 3:00 p.m. It will dovetail with the TPCHC Preservation Awards program. Marianna Pegno discussed the digitization of materials from the time capsule opened in 2025 that needs to be completed before the next time capsule is reburied and mentioned ideas for gathering new submissions. We need to identify gaps we want to address. On TPCHC's end, Chair Majewski will be working with Commissioner Moniz and Tucson Museum of Art staff on the digitization and the call for new materials.

5. Discussion of Moving the August Celebration After 2026 to a Different Month

Discussion continued on this topic from last month's meeting. The thought is still to do a smaller event in August 2026 and move the month for subsequent larger events. Months during which a larger event would work were discussed: March not good, and October is busy. February could be an option. Marianna Pegno mentioned surveying the participants by sending a short questionnaire, and broad conversations were held about what the date means. The city and county need to be drawn into the discussion of how the event should be perceived and celebrated.

6. Call to the audience (Information Only)

No comments were received by the posted deadline.

7. Schedule Upcoming Meeting(s) and Future Agenda Items

Future meeting dates were discussed (e.g., May).

8. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 10:10 a.m.