



Historical Commission

TUCSON-PIMA COUNTY HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Wednesday, July 8, 2026, 12:00 noon

via Microsoft Teams



Minutes

1. Call to Order and Roll Call

The meeting was called to order by Chair Majewski at 12:02 p.m. Those present and absent were:

Members Present:

Alyce Sadongei
Andrew Christopher
Blake Houghton
Carlos Lozano
Courtney Marks
Gary Minor
Helen Erickson
J.J. Lamb
Jessica Bassi
Kathe Kubish
Ken Scoville
Mauro Trejo
Savannah McDonald
Terry Majewski, Chair
Tim Hagyard

Members Absent:

Rhonda Kendrick Moniz

Staff and Others Present-In Person/Virtual:

Courtney Rose	Pima County Cultural Resources and Historic Preservation Office
Sharlot Hart	Pima County Cultural Resources and Historic Preservation Office
Desiree Aranda	City of Tucson Historic Preservation Officer, Planning & Development Services
Jonathan Knighton-Wisor	City of Tucson Historic Preservation Office, Planning & Development Services
Nathan Bacal	Pima County Board of Supervisors, District 1 Office
Tracy McAfee	City Clerk's Office
Annie Armenta	City Clerk's Office
Rikki Riojas	Graduate Student

2. Land Acknowledgment (Information Only) (Commissioner Lozano)

Acknowledgment was given by Commissioner Lozano. No discussion was held.

3. Approval of TPCHC Minutes from Meeting(s) of: 6/10/26 (Discussion/Action)

It was moved by Commissioner Marks, duly seconded by Commissioner Scoville, and carried by a roll call vote of 15 to 0 (Commissioner Kendrick absent) to approve the meeting minutes of 6/10/26 as submitted.

4. Chairperson's Summary of Current Events (Information Only) (Chair Majewski)

No report was given.

5. Recently Posted Subcommittee LARS/Minutes (Information Only) (Chair Majewski)

Report was given by Chair Majewski.

6. Removal/Appointments to TPCHC Subcommittees, Working Groups, etc. (Discussion/Action)

No report was given.

7. Reports from City of Tucson, Pima County, and City of South Tucson Staff (Discussion/Action)

A. City of Tucson Historic Preservation Office (Desiree Aranda)

Report was given by Desiree Aranda and Jonathan Knighton-Wisor. Discussion was held. No action was taken.

B. Pima County Cultural Resources and Historic Preservation Office (Ian Milliken and/or Staff)

Report was given by Courtney Rose. Discussion was held. No action was taken.

C. City of South Tucson (Josué Licea)

Report was given by Commissioner Lozano. Discussion was held. No action was taken.

D. Tucson Department of Transportation and Mobility (DTM) (Lydia Barker)

No report was given. Lydia Barker was absent.

8. TPCHC Subcommittee/Other Committee/Council/Commission Status Reports (Discussion/Action)

A. Plans Review Subcommittee (Desiree Aranda and/or Michael Taku, and Chair Majewski)

Report was given by Desiree Aranda. Discussion was held. No action was taken.

B. Downtown Neighborhoods and Residents Council (Commissioner Hagyard)

Commissioner Hagyard noted the council did not meet in June. No discussion was held. No action was taken.

C. Historic Landscapes Subcommittee (Commissioner Erickson)

Report was given by Commissioner Erickson. No discussion was held. No action was taken.

- D. Transportation Subcommittee (Commissioner Lozano)

Report was given by Commissioner Lozano. Discussion was held. No action was taken.
 - E. Commission on Equitable Housing & Development (Commissioner McDonald)

Commissioner McDonald noted the meeting was canceled for July. No discussion was held. No action was taken.
 - F. Budget Subcommittee (Chair Majewski)

Report was given by Chair Majewski. No discussion was held. No action was taken.
 - G. Outreach and Training Subcommittee (Commissioner Lamb)

Report was given by Commissioner Lamb. Discussion was held. No action was taken.
 - H. Event Subcommittee (Chair Majewski)

Report was given by Chair Majewski. No discussion was held. No action taken.
 - I. Preservation Awards Subcommittee (Chair Majewski)

Chair Majewski noted that the subcommittee has not met. No discussion was held. No action was taken.
 - J. TPCHC Historic Preservation Advisory Working Group (Commissioner Erickson and Lamb)

Commissioner Lamb noted that the working group will meet on July 17. No discussion was held. No action was.
9. **Graduate Capstone Project Presentation: Evaluation of the City of Tucson’s Maintenance and Management of City Owned Properties (Discission/Action)** (Rikki Riojas)

Presentation was given by Rikki Riojas. Discussion was held. No action taken.
10. **Monitoring and Preserving Historic Buildings and Landscapes Owned by the City of Tucson (Discussion /Action)** (Commissioner Scoville, Chair Majewski, Others)

Brief comments were made by Commissioner Scoville. Discussion was held. No action taken.
11. **Update on Archaeological Site Damage at the Border (Discussion/Action)** (Commissioners, Staff)

Brief comments were made by Commissioner Lozano, Jonathan Knighton-Wisor, and Sharlot Hart.

12. Commissioners' Summary of Current Events (Information Only)

Brief comments were made by Commissioners Lamb and Trejo.

13. Call to the Audience (Information Only)

No communications were received by the City Clerk's Office by the posted deadline.

14. Thoughts on Inclusivity (Discussion)

No comments were made.

15. Schedule and Future Agenda Items for Upcoming Meetings (Discussion/Action)

Chair Majewski noted that all agenda items for the next meeting should be emailed to the Chair by no later than July 30, 2026, to be considered for the August 12, 2026, agenda.

16. Adjournment: 1:35 p.m.