

**MARYVILLE HERITAGE & MUSEUM COMMITTEE**  
**February 17, 2025 Minutes**

**MEETING CALL TO ORDER:** At 10:40 by M. Picchioldi

**MEMBERS ATTENDING:** B. Decker, J. Pea, S. Petty, M. Picchioldi, T. Picchioldi, D. Tegtmeier, P. Winston

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:** Wayne White introduced himself and explained his vision for Maryville as a candidate for Mayor  
Deb Kostyshock attended and brought more pictures and research information.

**MINUTES:** D. Tegtmeier moved and T. Picchioldi seconded to approve January 2025 meeting minute. Motion passed

**FINANCIAL REPORT:** About 7,000 left in budget

**LIASION REPORT** – Trustee Ed Kostyshock. Not in attendance

A. Museum building & 1958 Seagrave updates. M. Picchioldi said fire extinguishers inspected, spray for insects.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

A. Recruitment & Donations:

B. Ongoing Projects/Reports:

1. Interviews –Katie Konsky, Marvin Brussatti, Barbara Sharp/ Maylene Peradotti, Kay Logston.  
Need to make copies of interviews
2. Museum open day – February 1st - Ellis/Winston February 15th – Tegtmeier/Decker
3. Old siren timer box – to be mounted above siren push buttons in entry - pending
4. Purchasing a life-size stand-up of Ken Oberkfell approved – pending
5. Sliva wagon project – ceiling area - covering & lighting - pending
6. Museum's Wikipedia page needs updating - pending
7. Thank you cards & museum stationary M. Picchioldi will check out
8. Purchase of 12 acrylic display frames 8x10 approved – Petty to get ordered
9. New glass for outside display marquee. More cost effective to buy new marquee. Use old one inside.
10. Purchase of 3 adult mannequins with heads was discussed and approved – Ordered 2 male, 1 female
11. Motion to send a welcome letter to new Village Administrator Tonya Flannery Letter sent.
12. Discussion regarding last year's and next year's Winter Market – Trolly - Ellis to check into options
13. Motion approved requesting Village paint the stairs, stairwell walls, and banister. (putty gray to match floor)
14. Motion approved requesting the Village install new non-slip treads on stairs, once painted.
15. Motion approved requesting the Village install a new ceiling light in Donk side foyer and top of stairs
16. West Central Illinois Museum & History Assoc. meeting February 9<sup>th</sup> in Wood River (Ellis, Decker, Winston)  
Next meeting in Jerseyville on May 4. Ellis, Decker & Winston to go.
17. Motion approved to purchase another tabletop display photo holder.
18. Congratulations to Sharon Petty on induction into the EHS athletic HOF.
19. Petty won a train display for the museum

C. TABLED PROJECTS

1. Ongoing Projects – Baseball history, Children's program, cemetery etchings, loom clean up, Donk mine marker, Window blind(s) – 35"x 65" for upstairs, large photos of 2020 HS seniors, video of museum contents, Cemetery photos, transit trail markers, National Historic Register, mine display, open every Saturday

**NEW BUSINESS**

1. Donations received – Debra Kostyshock donated Victrola, photos and crock.
2. "Friends of the MHM" report – Ellis
3. Saturday open – March 1<sup>st</sup> - Decker & Winston // March 15<sup>th</sup> - Pea & Tegtmeier
4. Monthly report to Village Board – 92 volunteer hours for January
5. Website – MaryvilleLmuseum.com – January views 83
6. Upstairs storage area – display area in old council chamber discussed.
7. Museum layout – current and future Upstairs
8. Items needed for the museum. M. Picchioldi to look into stair lift for upstairs access, thumb drives
9. See if there are anymore green Maryville Books at Village Hall, Motion by Petty, seconded by Winston to get laptop computer, small printer to log in items downstairs.
10. Music Fest May 3. Museum to be open 11-1
11. D. Tegtmeier thought display of church cook books
12. Decker to contact SIUE about making loom functional

**WORKDAYS:** The next scheduled workday is Monday, February 24, 2025

**ADJOURN:** D. Tegtmeier moved and P. Winston second to adjourn at 12:00 . Motion passed.

The next meeting **Monday, March 17, 2025, at 10:00 AM.**

Submitted: Sharon Petty Secretary