

**CITY OF SANTA MARIA
LANDMARK COMMITTEE
MINUTES
June 12, 2007
City Council Chambers
4:00 p.m.**

1. **Call to Order:**

Committee chair Joe Johnson called the meeting to order at 4:05 p.m.

2. **Roll Call:**

Joe Johnson, Chair	Present
Joan Walker, Vice-Chair	Present
Jim O'Neill, Secretary	Present
Eleanor Brower	Present
Judi Kincaid	Present

3. **Minutes:**

By unanimous consent, the minutes of the May 8, 2007 meeting were approved as presented.

4. **Old Business:**

- a. **Letters to Property Owners:** Jim O'Neill presented drafts of letters to be sent by the committee to the owners of the former Santa Maria Club and the former Hancock Field hangar, both of which are properties that the committee has previously discussed, to inquire into the owners' interest in seeing the properties designated as landmarks or places of historical merit. The board approved the form and content of the letters. Joe Johnson will work with City staff to have the letters sent out on City letterhead.
- b. **Long House:** Joe Johnson reported that City staff has now informed him that, contrary to what he had been told several months ago, the plaque has still not been ordered. A proof of the design is now being circulated for approval, however. Mr. Johnson will continue to work with City staff to set the date for the ceremony and will report further at the next meeting.

5. **New Business:**

- a. **Mahoney Residence:** Judi Kincaid reported that she had recently attended a social function at the home of Gerard and Alejandra Mahoney

on South Blosser Road. The Mahoneys expressed interest in learning more about pursuing designation of their house as a landmark or a place of historical merit. Ms. Kincaid understands that it may be one of the pre-manufactured homes sold by Sears, Roebuck & Co. in the early part of the 20th century. She will entertain further discussions with the Mahoneys and invite them to express their interest to the committee and to provide more detailed information about the home's history.

6. **Announcements:**

There were no announcements.

7. **Adjournment:**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 4:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES O'NEILL
Secretary