



COBURG CITIZEN COMMITTEES

WORK PLAN GOALS – FISCAL YEAR 2021

1. To seek funding for identifying markers for National Historic District resources;
 2. To increase community involvement in Heritage work;
 3. To increase Committee involvement in CLG network and training opportunities;
 4. To update catalog of artifacts;
 5. To participate in new Heritage Park planning;
 5. To review Coburg Development Code and research Historic District codes in other jurisdictions ;
 6. To conduct a community survey to measure support and value of historic preservation in Coburg ;
 7. To involve the elementary school in a youth heritage program;
 8. To establish museum/place to store and display artifacts and antiquities (long term); and
 9. To incorporate Ordinance A-226 into Development Code (long term)
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The committee was given a Certified Local Government Grant (CLG) from the Oregon State Historic Preservation Office. The money is being used to make three identifying markers each in 2021 and 2022 for structures within the Coburg National Historic District. Criteria have included nominating some of the oldest and well maintained structures in the district. The Coburg Heritage Committee is presenting the first three plaques including the Alice Batch House-1906, the Diamond House-1890, and the NC and Rebecca Burns House-1894 in the afternoon of November 10, 2021.

The goal for the awarding of subsequent plaques in 2022 is to involve the Coburg community in nominating buildings during Historic Preservation Month (May 2022) and then presenting the plaques at the Antique Fair.

Efforts for other community involvement have been hampered by current public safety concerns regarding COVID-19.

Further progress has also been made on locating artifacts donated to the Coburg Heritage Committee and readying items for cataloguing.