



**City and Borough of Juneau, Alaska
Historic Resources Advisory Committee**

April 14, 2025

Subject: HRAC Review of Lone Sailor Statue Review

To: Alicia Hughes-Skandijs, Chair
Public Works and Facilities Committee

The Historic Resources Advisory Committee reviewed the proposal to install the Lone Sailor Statue along the Juneau waterfront at its regular meeting held on April 2, 2025.

The committee had a quorum of five members attend the meeting and received a presentation from Tom Dawson representing the Pioneers of Alaska regarding the statue placement. The committee heard testimony and considered the proposal.

Role call of the members was called and adopted the motion to support the placement of the statue as documented in the attached draft minutes of the meeting.

Sincerely;

Gary Gillette, Chair

cc; Scott Ciamber, CDD Planner
Denise Koch, Engineering Director
Breckan Hendricks, Engineering Administrative Officer

Draft Minutes Attached



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Historic Resources Advisory Committee Agenda

April 2, 2025 at 5:00pm

Downtown Library Large Meeting Room

MEETING MINUTES

A. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Gillette called the meeting to order at 5:04 PM.

B. LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We acknowledge the Áak'w Kwaan and T'aaku Kwaan as the original owners and inhabitants of the City & Borough of Juneau. We are grateful to be here in your ancestral homeland as we come to you from areas of Alaska and beyond. We are thankful that you have permitted us to live here and make this land our home. Gunalchéesh.

C. ROLL CALL

Committee Members Present: Gary Gillette, Dorene Lorenz, Cheryl Jebe, and Steve Winker.

Committee members present via zoom: Shannon Crossley

Committee members absent: Jerrick Hope-Lang, Robin Brenner

Staff present: Scott Ciambor, CDD Planning Manager

Members of the public present: Tom Dawson, Kirby Day, Carl Uchytel

D. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Chair Gillette motioned that the agenda be approved. Ms. Lorenz seconded the motion. Motion approved. 6-0 .

E. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. March 12, 2025 minutes, Vice-Chair Lorenz motioned to be approved with unanimous consent.

F. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS

None.

G. AGENDA TOPICS

2. New Business:

1. Lone Sailor Statue- Pioneers of Alaska are spearheading the Lone Sailor project and asking for a recommendation from HRAC to the Assembly about whether or not we have any feedback and recommend the statue placement move forward. The statue will honor those Americans who enlist in sea service. Vice Chair Lorenz made a motion to accept the proposal and the motion passed with 5-0 consent.



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2. ADOT Review Loop Road Intersection- HRAC reviewed the DOT plans on intersection work and refrained from providing any comments on the preliminary Area of Potential Effects and the identification efforts.

3. Old Business:

1. Response from HRAC to HRC on proposed changes to the HRAC charter. Review the letter to the Assembly and review how the CLG was set up originally making the Assembly the Historic District Commission with an advisory committee of professionals. Technically, all of the issues that go before HRAC should go before the Assembly, as intended. The board is comprised of professionals that meet the requirements, so the Assembly does not need to meet those to retain the CLG status. If we remove the clause that allows HRAC to advise the Assembly, the Assembly would need to respond to all agenda items that were handled by HRAC in the past. The letter to HRC is to inform the Assembly of these facts and advise them to keep the charter language as-is, to maintain the CLG status of Juneau.

H. COMMITTEE MEMBER / LIAISON COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS

I. NEXT MEETING DATE – May 7, 2025

J. ADJOURNMENT

Vice-Chair Lorenz motioned that the committee at 5:48 PM adjourn the April 2, 2025, HRAC meeting. Motion approved.

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