

Historical Commission Work Plan 2023

Name of Project, Goal	Benefit if completed	Timeline for Completion	Resources Needed (staff support, subcommittee, fundraising)	Measure of Success	Priority
Experiencing Madison Heights	Improve the Heritage Rooms experience, including reenactments and school lessons	Six months after Heritage Rooms restoration completion	Advertising, Physical Space	Increased attendance in Heritage Rooms	1
Naming Madison Heights	Bring awareness and recognition to founders and pioneers	When the library reopens, in March 2023, with updates ongoing	Library Display	Wall in the library displaying landmarks and history of names, and a visual and digital presence	2
Digitizing Madison Heights	Preserve history	2024, with updates ongoing	Money for services, Audio and Video Recording Equipment	Digital copy of museum items	3

Board and Commission Work plan Guidelines and Process

The City Council will vote on the board and commission work plans annually. Work plans are due by January each year and should consist of up to three priorities. The City Council will ask the Board or Commission Chair to present the work plan to the City Council. Work plans should include if there is intent to use subcommittees or additional City staff to assist in the Board or Commission work for the year ahead.

To guide the work of developing the board or commission annual work plan, a short checklist is provided below:

- Review purpose of the Board or Commission
- Discuss any City Council priorities for the Board or Commission
- Discuss existing and possible projects, priorities and goals
 - Order from high priority to low priorities
- Finalize draft work plan for City Council review
- Use approved work plan as a guide to focus the board and commission work throughout the term of the work plan. (Initially 1 year for 2023 and 2 years after that with updates after the first year.)
- Present report to the City Council annually and include:
 - List of priorities, projects and goals
 - Status updates
 - If items are not complete, include why and any other additional details to share with the Council.