

MINUTES
ATLANTA CIVIC DESIGN COMMISSION
OCTOBER 12, 1967

The regular meeting of the Atlanta Civic Design Commission was held Thursday, October 12, at 2 p.m., in Committee Room 4, City Hall, with the following members present:

Joseph S. Perrin, Chairman
Paul Muldawer, Vice-Chairman
Mrs. Alvin M. Ferst, Secretary
Harry J. Baldwin
Samuel I. Cooper

James H. Dodd
Franklin M. Garrett
John C. Gould
H. King McCain
J. Ben Moore

Guests present:

Mr. Hansell P. Enloe, A.I.A. - Enloe, West & Granade, Inc.
Dr. Darwin Womack - Asst. Supt. School Plant Planning & Const.
Miss Jane Tuggle - Graphic Artist, WETV
Joanne Kennedy - Women's Chamber of Commerce
Harriett Speer - " " "
Alex Coffin - Atlanta Constitution

Minutes of the September 28 meeting were approved.

TERMINUS PRESENTATION

Miss Jane Tuggle, Graphic Artist with WETV, presented her views on the proposed development of the Terminus area. A general discussion ensued with questions directed toward methods of development in financing being posed. Miss Tuggle informed the Commission that she hoped to do some kind of preliminary study which would clarify some of the issues involved in this development.

Joanne Kennedy and Harriett Speer appeared before the Commission to discuss the possible use of the Terminus area in conjunction with the Women's Chamber's annual Dogwood Festival. They asked help in the form of suggestions from the Commission.

Mr. Perrin pointed out some of the problems which might be encountered in the preparation of this space for the Dogwood Festival. He suggested contacting appropriate city departments for assistance.

Mr. Muldawer complimented the Women's Chamber of Commerce on its reputation of good performance, and in the discussion that followed, it was suggested that a documentation of the history of the area might be useful. Mr. Muldawer suggested that Alderman Cook was interested in the Civic Design Commission developing a resolution for historical zoning for the Terminus area. Mr. Garrett supported designation of the underground area as an historical one.

The representatives from the Chamber agreed to move forward with their plans including some of the various suggestions that came from the Civic Design Commission and to report back to the Commission in the event it was felt to be desirable.

DESIGN REVIEW

Mr. Enloe stated that at an earlier review, the Commission had requested that certain parts of the "Rawson-Washington Community Center" project be considered. He presented the revised plans of the project.

Mr. Muldawer, chairman of the Design Review Committee, voiced the consensus of the Commission of the superiority of the revised scheme. Mr. Enloe was thanked for making the review possible.

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Mr. Perrin stated that a letter was received from Mr. Donald G. Ingram, Associate Director of Central Atlanta Progress, Inc., inviting members of the Commission to attend a discussion of CAP's work program on October 17.

Mr. Perrin announced that Mr. John Hoffman of the State Highway Department will meet with the Commission on October 26.

Budget

Mr. Perrin presented for approval the letter to the Finance Committee re the ACDC budget request for 1968. The letter was approved as read.

Reappointments

Mr. Perrin announced that, as requested by the members at the last meeting, he had contacted Dr. Arthur Hansen who stated that he is willing for the Commission to recommend that Mayor Allen appoint him to serve on the Commission in the Engineering Category.

Mr. Perrin presented for approval a draft of a letter to Mayor Allen re ACDC recommendations for impending vacancies on the Commission. Mr. Muldawer initiated a discussion during which members discussed their concepts of provisions dealing with appointments/reappointments to the Commission, as set forth in the Ordinance creating the ACDC.

It was the consensus of members that the American Institute of Architects, North Georgia Chapter, should be asked for three recommendations for nominees to serve on the Commission in the Architecture Category. Mr. Muldawer will contact AIA and report on its recommendations at the next ACDC meeting. Mr. Perrin stated he will hold the letter to Mayor Allen until that time.

Historical Zoning

During a discussion of the Terminus area earlier in the meeting, it was brought out that historical zoning is needed in that area. Mr. Garrett was requested to draft a tentative historical zoning ordinance to be considered by the Commission.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 4:15

Ann Butler
Recording Secretary