



JEFFERSON COUNTY

Historical Commission

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**JCHC Bi-Monthly Meeting
Noon, Wednesday, May 27, 2015
Ben Rogers Regional Visitors Center
5055 IH-10 South, Beaumont, TX 77705**

Call to Order / Greetings – Chair Theresa Goodness

**Consider Minutes of Previous Meeting – Chair Theresa Goodness
Minutes (Emailed Thursday, May 07, 2015)**

**Treasurer’s Report – Linda McMahan
Review 2015-2016 Budget due May 29, 2015**

**Chair Report – Theresa Goodness
Legislative Update**

**Coordinator Report – Linda McMahan
Vote on Amended Bylaws (Emailed Thursday, May 7, 2015)
(2nd VP, Date of Annual Meeting)
Dale Carter’s Office Visit (Hinchee House)
Update – Steven Lewis
Oral History – Cleveland Dyer – Lincoln-Burial Park
County in process of getting ownership of Lincoln Burial Park
to use for indigent burial**

Committee Reports

**Archeology – Brenda Jackson
Report on Historical Archeology Academy, Nacogdoches, TX**

Cemetery – Paul Prosperie

**Certified Local Government – Ramona Hutchinson
Committee members – Must live in Jefferson County to be on Committee
Goals
Next Meeting**

Courthouse Oversight – Linda McMahan
Meeting - Thursday, May 21, 2015

Dick Dowling Days - Mike McGreevy
Meeting – Spindletop / Gladys City Boomtown Museum
7 PM Budget for DDD

Historical Markers – Les McMahan
Arrangements for Moon Mulligan marker
West Beulah Missionary Baptist Church marker awaiting installation
and dedication July 19, 2015

History Preservation

Texas Treasure Business Awards – Jef Russell

Bill Quick’s Book – Bruce Hamilton

Web Site – Bill Cummings

Gilbert Building – Steven Lewis

Sam Houston State Library – Don Smart

Magnolia Cemetery – Jimmy Sparks

Museum of the Gulf Coast – Sarah Bellian

Ben Rogers Visitors Center – Jessie Davis

Beaumont Landmark Commission – Ramona Hutchinson

Port Arthur Landmark Commission – Les McMahan
Designation of 501 Procter Street as a Local Historical Landmark

Unfinished Business / New Business

Adjournment

Next meeting scheduled for Thursday, July 23, 2015 at the Ben Rogers Visitors Center.

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