

Notes of the Bellaire Cultural Arts Board (BCAB) Architectural Salvage Tour

February 21, 2017

Board members present: Terry Leavitt-Chavez, , Diane Roberts, Jacquelyn Quick, and Shampa Mukerji.

Others present: Diane White, Asst. City Manager and Michael Fife, City Council Liaison.

Board members absent: Andy Williamson, Jane Williams and Sneha Bhavsar

Toured City Hall building for Salvage Possibilities for the new City building(s).

1. Noted a 1992 aerial photo of Bellaire that may be used.
2. Found several Bellaire photos on a shelf in John McDonald's office that we may want to utilize.
3. Noted several zoning maps that may be used.
4. Found back and front stair rails and would like to possibly re-purpose them in the new building.
5. Noted two photos in Diane White's office that belong to the city that may be used.
6. Noted the blue audience chairs in the council chamber and discussed possibly utilizing them in some way in the future.
7. Noted the 4th of July T-shirt banner in the Senior Center.
8. Noted the artifacts from our sister city in Azerbaijan and would like to put them in one of the display cases in the new building. Diane White may have knowledge of other artifacts that we may want to display in a similar fashion.
9. Maps: Found a 1949 zoning map in the front office and discussed other maps located in the library on microfiche that we may want to utilize in the architectural inset wall previously discussed.
10. Found 1981 Civic Center plaque as well the other historical plaques (4) located in the lobby of the current building that we would like to re-purpose, perhaps in conjunction with some of the brown bricks from the building.
11. Found 'City of Bellaire' letters on the exterior of the building that we would like to utilize in the new building.
12. Found exterior City of Bellaire logo that we would like to utilize on the interior of the new building.
13. Noted 1946 Bellaire and Baldwin photos in the lobby of the current building that may be used.