



Colorado Scenic and Historic Byways Commission Meeting

Friday, February 13, 2015, 1:00 P.M.

VIA CONFERENCE CALL

Conference Call Information:

Conference Call Option: 1-877-820-7831 (passcode 321805#)

Bylaws: <https://www.codot.gov/travel/scenic-byways/bywayscommission>

Commission:

Chris Sporn, USDA Forest Service
Margaret Hunt, Colorado Creative Industries
Georgi Contiguglia, Member at Large
Roger Ben Wilson (Vice Chair), Western Byways
Leah Quesenberry, BLM Representative
Shannon Gifford, Transportation Commission (Unable to Call)
Charlotte Bumgarner, Eastern Byways
Greg Yankee, Conservation/Open Space Rep
Robert Mutaw, History Colorado
Rep. KC Becker, State Legislature
Kelly Barbello, Colorado Tourism Office

EX-OFFICIO Members:

Don Hunt, Executive Director of Dept. of Transportation
Edward Nichols, President, History Colorado
Mike King, Executive Director of Dept. of Natural Resources
Stephanie Troller for Reeves Brown, Executive Director of Dept. of Local Affairs

Commission Alternates:

Cynthia Nieb, History Colorado, State Historical Fund/for Edward Nichols
Jack Placchi, BLM/for Leah Quesenberry

Colorado Dept. of Transportation:

Debra Perkins-Smith, CDOT DTD Division Manager (Invited)
Lenore Bates, Colorado Scenic and Historic Byways Program Manager

Agenda

1. Roll Call (Introductions & Announcements) (5 minutes)
 - a. Commission
 - b. Public Attendees (State Name, Organization, County/Town)

2. (OPEN) Chair/Roger Ben Wilson, Vice-Chair (5 minutes)
 - a. Review Agenda
 - b. Bylaws state that officer positions shall be elected by Commissioners from among their number at the first meeting each calendar year. A motion passed at the meeting on January 21, 2015 to vote on chair and vice-chair at the next meeting.
3. Review Nomination Evaluation – Tracks Across Borders Byway
4. West Elk Loop
5. Recap & Next Meeting (10 minutes)

Materials:

Attachments posted under Commission Agenda 021315 at <https://www.codot.gov/travel/scenic-byways/bywayscommission/meeting-agendas>
Nomination, Conceptual Plan, Nomination Packet, Nomination Evaluation

Letters of Support:

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/i3smhny72z4tyaw/AADVfUbdajxKH9-rMPkSHRyYa?n=359587768>

Program Vision:

Guiding travelers to experience and be inspired by treasured places that comprise Colorado's Scenic and Historic Byways. (Commission Approved 5/14/13)

Commission Mission:

The Commission is a partnership to evaluate and designate the state's Scenic and Historic Byways and to develop and recommend funding sources and provide administrative support to sustain the byways for future generations. (Commission Approved 12/7/12)

Program Definition:

The Colorado Scenic and Historic Byways program is a statewide partnership intended to provide recreational, educational, and economic benefits to Coloradans and visitors by designating, interpreting, protecting, and promoting a system of outstanding touring routes in Colorado.

2015 Meetings Dates & Times:

History Colorado, The Stephen H. Hart Library and Research Center Classroom
Wednesday, January 21, 2015 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Friday, February 13, 2015, 1 p.m. (CONFERENCE CALL ONLY)

Wednesday, April 15, 2015, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Wednesday, July 15, 2015 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Wednesday, October 21, 2015 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

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