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### **Minutes of the Culture Preservation Committee Meeting**

October 15th, 2025

Present: Levi Randall, Jason Jones, Alicia Rezendes, Jim Rementer, Tristen Tucker and Martina Thomas were present. Gretchen was absent due to traveling.

The meeting was called to order at 5:35 p.m. by Levi Randall.  
Roll call was taken.

#1.) Alicia made a motion to excuse Gretchen's absence.  
It was seconded by Martina.

Next we reviewed the agenda.

#2.) Levi made a motion to approve the agenda.  
It was seconded by Alicia.

Next we reviewed last month's meeting minutes.

#3.) Alicia made a motion to Ratify Poll Vote made on 9/19/2025, to spend up to \$200 for food and drinks for the Messenger Race.

It was seconded by Levi.

#4.) Martina made a motion to approve the September 2nd meeting minutes.

It was seconded by Levi.

There was no Treasury report due to Gretchen's absence.

#5.) Alicia made a motion to table the approval of financials until next month.

It was seconded by Levi.

Next we moved on to Old Business.

We discussed the success of Delaware Days and received a lot of positive feedback. We also discussed making more shirts for those who did not get one from Delaware Days.

#6.) Alicia made a motion to spend up to \$500 on Delaware Days shirts, for those who did not receive one.

It was seconded by Martina.

Next we discussed New Business.

We went over various ideas for our upcoming Cultural Night.

We decided we would hold it on Thursday, October 30th, from 6-8:30 pm.

We will make soups and bread and purchase pumpkins, buckets and goodies to fill them with, to hand out. In addition, we will give a Lenape Language lesson.

#7.) Alicia made a motion to spend up to \$200 on pumpkins for Cultural Night on October 30th.  
It was seconded by Levi.

#8.) Alicia made a motion to spend up to \$300 on buckets, snacks, drinks and goodies for Cultural Night on October 30th.  
It was seconded by Levi.

#9.) Alicia made a motion to spend up to \$200 for food and drinks, for Cultural Night on October 30th.  
It was seconded by Levi.

#10.) Levi made a motion to pay Alicia Rezendes \$50, to make a flyer for the upcoming Cultural Night.  
It was seconded by Martina. Alicia abstained.

Next, Jim gave a language report, stating that he had added over 400 words and sentences to the Lenape Talking Dictionary.

Our next meeting will be held on November 4th, at 5:30 pm in the FCS building.

#11.) Martina made a motion to adjourn at 6:46 pm.  
It was seconded by Alicia.

## **MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS**

October 15th, 2025

Motion Number 1

Motion made by: Alicia

Seconded by: Martina

Motion: To excuse Gretchen's absence..

Motion passed: Yes 6      No 0      Abstain 0

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Motion Number 2

Motion made by: Levi

Seconded by: Alicia

Motion: To approve the agenda.

Motion passed: Yes 6      No 0      Abstain 0

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Motion Number 3

Motion made by: Alicia

Seconded by: Levi

Motion: To Ratify Poll Vote made on 9/19/2025, to spend up to \$200 for food and drinks for the Messenger Race.

Motion passed: Yes 6      No 0      Abstain 0

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Motion Number 4

Motion made by: Martina

Seconded by: Levi

Motion: To approve the September 2nd meeting minutes.

Motion passed: Yes 6          No 0          Abstain 0

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Motion Number 5

Motion made by: Alicia

Seconded by: Levi

Motion: To table the approval of financials until next month.

Motion passed: Yes 6          No 0          Abstain 0

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Motion Number 6

Motion made by: Alicia

Seconded by: Martina

Motion: To spend up to \$500 on Delaware Days shirts, for those who did not receive one.

Motion passed: Yes 6          No 0          Abstain 0

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Motion Number 7

Motion made by: Alicia

Seconded by: Levi

Motion: To spend up to \$200 on pumpkins for Cultural Night on October 30th.

Motion passed: Yes 6 No 0 Abstain 0

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Motion Number 8

Motion made by: Levi

Seconded by: Alicia

Motion: To spend up to \$300 on buckets, snacks, drinks and goodies for Cultural Night on October 30th.

Motion passed: Yes 6 No 0 Abstain 0

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Motion Number 9

Motion made by: Alicia

Seconded by: Levi

Motion: To spend up to \$200 for food and drinks, for Cultural Night on October 30th.

Motion passed: Yes 6 No 0 Abstain 0

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Motion Number 10

Motion made by: Levi

Seconded by: Gretchen

Motion: To pay Alicia Rezendes \$50, to make a flyer for the upcoming Cultural Night.

Motion passed: Yes 5      No 0      Abstain 1

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Motion Number 11

Motion made by: Martina

Seconded by: Alicia

Motion: To adjourn at 6:46 pm.

Motion passed: Yes 6      No 0      Abstain 0

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