



**CITY OF YPSILANTI
SPECIAL MEETING
Thursday, June 23, 2022 @ 7:00 PM
Washtenaw Office for Community and Economic
Development
415 W Michigan Ave, Ypsilanti, MI 48197**

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I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

Evan Milan
John McCurdy
John Gawlas
Jeff Guyton
Katie Hoffman
Bill Nickels
Evangeline Shipe
Bryan Foley
Tyler Weston

III. PUBLIC COMMENT

IV. AGENDA APPROVAL

V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Last meeting May 26th, 2022

3 A. [Bicentennial Committee - 26 May 2022 - Mins](#)

VI. ORDER OF BUSINESS

4 A. Logo Ideas
[Ypsi Bicentennial 2nd Logo](#)

5 - 8 B. Forms
[bicentennial donor letter draft](#)
[Volunteer Application - full](#)

C. Present year events: 4th of July, Summerfest, New Years Eve

VII. SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS

Communications
Finance

History
Events (NYE, Fourth of July, Juneteenth, EMU Homecoming)
Letters Home
Otherasneeded

VIII. ADJOURNMENT



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The meeting started at 7:04 PM.

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Evan Milan - Present
John McCurdy - Present
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Jeff Guyton- Present
Katie Hoffman- Present
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Evangeline Shipe- Present
Bryan Foley - Present
Tyler Weston - Present

III. AGENDA APPROVAL

Motion- Evan Milan. Second- Tyler Weston.

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT (3 MINUTES)

No Public Comment.

V. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Last meeting on April 28th, 2022

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A. [28 Apr 2022 - Minutes - Pdf](#)

VI. OPERATING PROCEDURES FOR THE COMMITTEE

- Commissioner introductions
-Evangeline & Jeff G.
- Approval of Logo
-Motion Evangeline Shipe. Second- Jeff Guyton
- Subcommittee Updates
- Purpose of meetings going forward

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting was adjourned at 7:57 PM.



Date XXX

Name
Address
City, State Zip

Dear <<Prospective Donor>>,

The history of Ypsilanti is rich and inspiring. As the city's Bicentennial approaches, we want the celebrations to showcase the culture and community that has arisen over the last 200 years.

Throughout 2023 there will be musical performances, historic-driven happenings, and family-friendly entertainment that reflect on the past and celebrate where we're going. We'll even open the time capsule from the Ypsilanti Sesquicentennial in 1973!

To make sure the full year of festivities captures our community's imagination, the Bicentennial City Commission hopes to raise \$XXXX to match the city's \$XXX investment in the project.

We believe our community deserves to feel connected during this Bicentennial. These funds will help bring talented artists, delicious food, and meaningful engagement that represents the vibrancy of Ypsilanti.

With your support, we will achieve community connection by inviting talented Ypsilanti area artists, serving delicious local food, and by providing meaningful engagement that represents the vibrancy of our city. *****If we have any matching challenges/opportunities, we could include here.***** All of your donations will support the work of the Bicentennial Committee and allow us to realize the kind of celebrations that our city deserves.

***Add a para here about how they should donate, or who they should ask to be involved.

Sincerely,

The Bicentennial Committee
Contact info

<https://www.cityofpsilanti.com/861/Bicentennial-Committee>

Volunteer Application

Name _____ Today's Date _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (h) _____ (w) _____ (cell) _____

E-mail _____

Applicant Signature _____

List any physical limitations you have that we should consider when matching you with volunteer tasks

Other Volunteer Experiences

Employment History

Current _____

Volunteer Job Assignment

Mark which days you are available:

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

What times are you available? _____

When can you start? _____

What are some of your hobbies or special interests or skills? _____

Check the jobs below that interest you:

- Communications
- Finance
- History
- Events (NYE, Fourth of July, Juneteenth, EMU Homecoming)
- Letters Home
- Other as needed

**Reason for choosing to volunteer. _____

**Do you need proof of your service here? Yes No

**Number of Hours _____