

Randolph County Historic Landmark Preservation Commission

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Resolution Recommending Local Historic Landmark Designation ACME-McCRARY HOSIERY MILLS, 1909 PARKS HOSIERY MILL/McCRARY HOSIERY MILL No. 2, ca. 1925 ACME-McCRARY & SAPONA RECREATION CENTER, 1949

WHEREAS, Chapter 160A, Article 19, Part 3C of the North Carolina General Statues provides for the designation of local historic landmarks; and

WHEREAS, the Randolph County Board of Commissioners has appointed the Randolph County Historic Landmark Preservation Commission, having the authority to exercise all powers and duties given it by the Randolph County Historic Preservation Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Randolph County Historic Landmark Preservation Commission has taken into consideration all information contained in the Historic Landmark Designation Application for the Acme-McCrary Hosiery Mills, 1909; the Parks Hosiery Mill/McCrary Hosiery Mill, ca. 1925; and the Acme-McCrary & Sapona Recreation Center (now Asheboro Recreation Center), 1949; and

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Department of Natural and Cultural Resources, State Historic Preservation Office, has been given the opportunity to review the Local Landmark Designation Report and has advised that the Randolph County Historic Landmark Preservation Commission will have sufficient evidence to prove that the Acme-McCrary Hosiery Mills, the Parks Hosiery Mill/McCrary Hosiery Mill and the Acme-McCrary & Sapona Recreation Center (now Asheboro Recreation Center) possesses the requisite special character and integrity for designation as a local historic landmark; and

WHEREAS, the Randolph County Historic Landmark Preservation Commission conducted the required public hearing, having published legal notices; and

WHEREAS, the Randolph County Historic Landmark Preservation Commission finds that the Cedar Falls Manufacturing Company, 1848, meets the following specific criteria outlined in the Ordinance establishing the Commission: (1) Critical part of the Asheboro's and Randolph County's heritage by having value as an example of the cultural, historic and social heritage of the city and the County; (2) Its identification with persons who significantly contributed to the architectural, cultural, economic, historical, social or other aspect of the development of the Asheboro and Randolph County; (3) Its important architecture as an exemplification of an architectural type or style distinguished by innovation, rarity, uniqueness, or overall quality of design, detail, materials or craftsmanship; (4) Its distinctive theme, representing an architectural, cultural, economic, historic or other theme expressed through distinctive buildings.

WHEREAS, the property is more specifically described as follows:

The Acme-McCrary Hosiery Mills, 1909 is located at 159 North Street, Asheboro, N.C (PIN 7751739323); and the Parks Hosiery Mill/McCrary Hosiery Mill, ca. 1925, is located at 170 N. Church Street, Asheboro, N.C. (PIN 7751736404); and the Acme-McCrary & Sapona Recreation Center (now the Asheboro Recreation Center) is located at 148 North Street, Asheboro, N.C. (PIN 7751831174); in Asheboro Township;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, this 25th day of January, 2023, that the Randolph County Historic Landmark Preservation Commission approves the application for local landmark designation, and recommends to the Asheboro City Council that the exterior of the Acme-McCrary Hosiery Mills, 1909; the Parks Hosiery Mill/McCrary Hosiery Mill, ca. 1925; and the Acme-McCrary & Sapona Recreation Center (now Asheboro Recreation Center), 1949, be designated as Local Historic Landmarks.

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L. McKay Whatley/Jr. Chairman

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Attest: Dana S. Crisco

Date: 1 - 25 - 23