

MEETING DATE: September 24, 2020

TO: Library Board of Trustees

FROM: Judy Booth, Library Director

SUBJECT: HUNT LIBRARY UPDATE AND BOARD'S REQUEST FOR HISTORIC
PRESERVATION ARCHITECT INVOLVEMENT

SUMMARY

City and Library staff continue to work toward an agreement with the proposed partners. The Board considers a request to the City Council that a historic preservation architect be brought in to the Hunt Library Revitalization Project.

RECOMMENDATION

Approve the request made at the September 9 meeting.

FISCAL IMPACT

The cost of the services of an historic preservation architect is TBD for the Hunt Library Revitalization Project.

DISCUSSION

On September 1 a final walk through with Grace Ministries International / Grace Ministries University occurred. This organization no longer occupies the building. The building has been secured with construction-type fencing. Hazardous materials testing has been accomplished. City and Library staff continue to work toward an agreement with the proposed partners.

The Board voted at their September 9 meeting to draft a request to the City Council that an historic preservation architect be brought in to the Hunt Library Revitalization Project.