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Subject

Re: Mayors of Ames

Thanks Peggy, and I am forwarding your e-mail to Diane to share with my colleagues on the Council. I, or Diane, will let you know after we gather their feeling most probably during our next meeting. Thanks.

Riad

----- Original Message -----

From: "Peggy Baer" <pbaer@mchsi.com>

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Sent: Friday, March 05, 2010 10:31 AM

Subject: Mayors of Ames

Hi Riad-

We're following up on your question about the Mayors of Ames Project.

Marti

Rasmussen has been gathering research on some of the mayors, but we're going

to solicit volunteers to do further research on all the 40+ Mayors.

We'd like to know what you and the council have in mind for a finished product. Do you want pictures (photos or drawings) to hang at city hall?

Do you want a small book with short bios and pictures (if we can find them)?

Do you want exhibition boards for rotating display at city hall? The first

Farwell Brown book (From Marsh to Modern City) has a listing of all the Mayors and their terms. The term used to be 2 years and was changed to 4 years in the 1980s.

We have quite a bit of information on some of the Mayors, and very little on

others. We think this is a great project, and want to be on target for

whatever you have in mind.

We thank you and the entire city council for recognizing the importance
of

Ames Historical Society by providing funding again this year.

Peggy Baer