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## MEMORANDUM

Historic Resources Commission March 10, 2022

**TO:** Historic Resources Commission  
**FROM:** Heather Ferris, Planning Manager  
**DATE:** March 1, 2022

**SUBJECT:** **Item 5.C** HRC-2022-0088 For possible action: Discussion and possible action regarding the 2022 Historic Resources Annual Scavenger Hunt and to identify possible volunteer Commission members to coordinate the Scavenger Hunt with Planning staff. (Heather Ferris, hferris@carson.org)

Staff Summary: 2021 was the twelfth year of the Historic Resources Annual Scavenger Hunt. The purpose of this item is to review the event, discuss the future of the event, and determine if Commission members would like to volunteer to work on the 2022 Scavenger Hunt.

### Discussion:

The HRC and Planning Division organize a Historic Resources Scavenger Hunt annually during the month of May in conjunction with Historic Preservation and Archaeological Awareness Month. The event is intended to help raise awareness of the Carson City historic District, and to encourage the community to become involved in the City's history and preservation efforts. This past year (2021) marked the twelfth year the Scavenger Hunt has been held. The 2021 Scavenger Hunt was focused on building foundations in the historic district and in the downtown commercial core.

The purpose of this item is to discuss continuing to organize the event, to brainstorm on how to increase participation, and to solicit volunteer HRC members to potentially take updated photos, managing the photo database, and work with Planning Division staff on the annual Historic Resources Scavenger Hunt. Discussion for this item may also include whether the HRC should consider new ideas for future events associated with Historic Preservation and Archaeological Awareness Month.