

CONFERENCE MEMORANDUM

MEDINA COURTHOUSE

PROJECT NO. 19068

Present:
Owner:
Medina Archives Commission

Design Team
Nancy Nozik, BCI



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MEDINA COURTHOUSE DESIGN UPDATE

See attendance sheet attached.

BCI presented the current status of the design of the Courthouse: site plan and massing images for the previous design without the 1969 building and what that design looks like if keeping the 1969 building. The purpose of the meeting was to share where we are with the building design and discuss appropriate approach for the design of the exterior appearance of the building.

1. Encouraged – concerned that the new structure would overwhelm – but it appears to not.
2. File-stories total seems way too big.
3. Can you use the south parking lot to make the building completely behind?
4. Silhouette is on the National Register – will alter the look of the side of the square in perpetuity.
5. Fire Department ladder truck is 100 feet.
6. Can we look at the connection portions of the buildings between 1969 and other buildings? Possibly eliminate?
7. Reduce overall entrance if possible.
8. The City of Medina is different than the County. The city cares more about the square. The members of this group all live in Medina, in historical homes, and care.
9. This is addition, not a new building. It shouldn't have prominence over the historical buildings.

Nancy Nozik, AIA 7/13/2020

