

# Update on Historical Markers

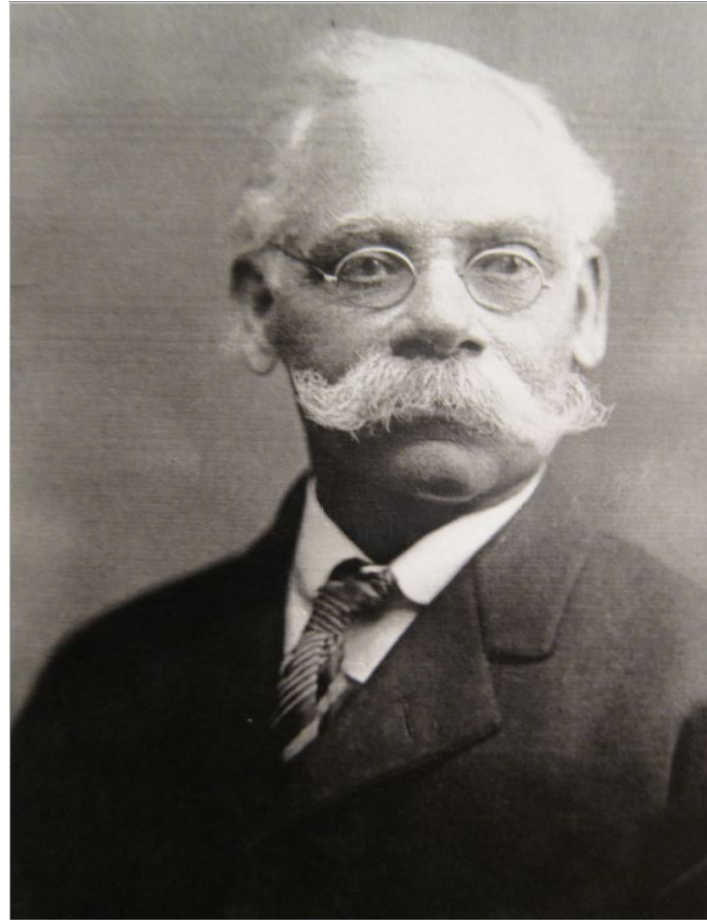
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# General Update

- ▶ Signs will need to lose 200 to 300 characters to place small photo on sign. (Words would need to be between 700 and 800 characters). If photo(s) still desired, then they need to be off the face of the marker.
  - ▶ 12" x 10" = \$531
  - ▶ 14" x 12" = \$708
  - ▶ 16" x 14" = \$864
  - ▶ 1/8" Stainless Steel
  - ▶ Could be any size, up to 18" x 18
  - ▶ Small caption = \$250

# Robert Valentine

- ▶ Minor updates to text.
- ▶ Rick running it by one more professor, then ready to go
- ▶ Rutland will receive and install marker
- ▶ Do we want photo with the marker?



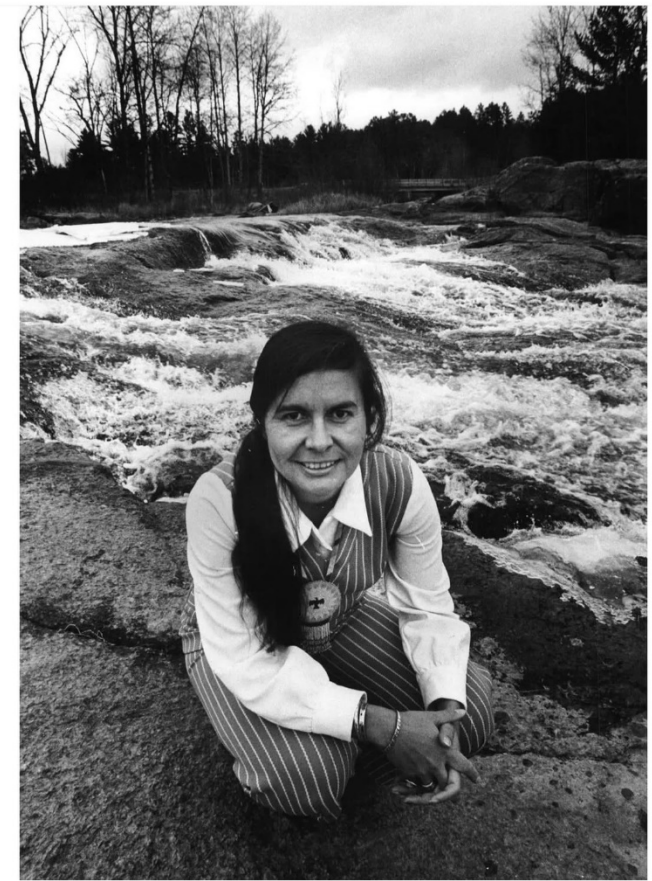
# Harry Whitehorse

- ▶ Working out the maintenance agreement with landowner
- ▶ Sent text to Ho-Chunk for a translation on one side of the sign
  - ▶ Should we wait on this?
- ▶ If photo doesn't fit on face, should we pay for photo off sign?



# Ada Deer

- ▶ Text was sent to Menominee for translation
  - ▶ Should we wait for the translation?
- ▶ If translation doesn't work, should we separate language to front and back in order to fit a photo/s?



# Vandenburg Heights

- ▶ New language from SP after input from VH community
  - ▶ Needs approval from Committee
- ▶ Do we want to pay for photo off the sign?
  - ▶ If so, what photo?
- ▶ Maintenance agreement working its way through the City's approval process

# Ho-Chunk Village

- ▶ Staff has reached out to UW-Madison American Indian & Indigenous Studies program for guidance on who could write text.
  - ▶ No response yet
  - ▶ Reach out to Driftless Pathways? Would likely need to pay for writing this.

# Dugout Canoes

- ▶ Staff turnover at Shorewood Hills
- ▶ Parks Commission thinking the sign could be in the boathouse/shelter, near the lake
  - ▶ Installation would need to wait to allow for the reconstruction of building planned by Shorewood Hills
  - ▶ Thoughts on this location?

