

Historic Preservation Committee

Minutes for

Tuesday August 5, 2014

6:30pm

Craig Friedrich- Chair

Becky Delaware

Robert Baizley

Sharman Kivatisky

Jessica Holbrook- Secretary

Carol Rancourt- Absent

Robert Rovner- Guest

1) Approval of minutes for Tuesday June 3, 2014.

1st- Jessica

2nd- Becky

5 yeas, 0 nays

2) Hunnewell House.

- Jessica gave an update on the pesticide application inside the building for the Powder Post Beetle.

~Primary application is complete and an inspection will be completed in the spring by the applicator and town staff. Any remaining infestation will be spot treated.

~Discussion on the potential for the Hunnewell House to be made available and open to the public, for a period of time during the summer months.

3) Danish Village.

-Craig gave an update on the progress with the new development project located on the village site.

~Meeting with Dave Perkins, Craig Friedrich, Jessica Holbrook and Tom Hall to discuss the potential for maintaining the arch and fountain. The meeting is scheduled for September 15th at 4:00pm in the town managers conference room.

~Update with the committee to follow in Octobers HPC meeting as to the outcome of the discussions.

4) Cemeteries.

-Sharman gave an update on the progress with identifying cemetery locations.

-Discussion on the town's role in maintaining ancient burial grounds and current State Statues.

5) **Historic Monuments and Markers.**

-Discussion on creating an additional small list of structures, monuments, sites or makers that the town should endeavor to acquire interest in.

~Consensus to be a future agenda item.

6) **Historic Structures owners meeting.**

-Craig reported on the progress of an upcoming property owners meeting.

~Will be moderated by Dan Bacon, town planner.

7) **Tasks for Next Meeting.**

~Robert and Sharman- continue with cemetery list.

~Becky- continue with markers and monuments list.

~Craig- State Statue for ancient burial grounds. Compile candidate sites for town acquisition.

~Jessica- Hunnewell House maintenance, work with town staff on placement for the various lists. Research town easement to Sprague Way.

~All members- Research potential sites for the town to acquire and submit to Craig by Friday August 22nd.

8) **Adjourn @ 8:30p.m.**

1st Jessica

2nd Becky

5 yeas, 0 nays