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FAIRHAVEN HISTORICAL COMMISSION MINUTES JULY 3, 2013

Attending: Dave Despres, Deb Charpentier, John Medeiros, Vicki Paquette, Cynthia McNaughton, Gail Isaksen, Al Benac (Fairhaven Art Curator), John Montano, Julia Montano (Clearwater Architects).

Previous minutes read and accepted.

No financial report.

Ft. Phoenix Phase II CPC grant discussed with the architects, work to involve repairs to the tops of the parapet and powder magazine. Soil is to be removed and a clay cap added. The agreement is to be faxed to the Library and signed by David.

The cleaning of the Academy was discussed due to a complaint from the Office of Tourism. The Historical Society was invited to attend but no representative was present. Gail volunteered to pass along our recommendations to Dr Acksen.

The Academy gas meter is to be replaced, Chris Richards to coordinate the appointment.

The Washington St Fire House has been painted.

The Ft Phoenix cannons are to be maintained by Wayne Oliviera per Chuck Cromwell, paint has been purchased for the carriages. Deb Charpentier will contact John Charbonneau at DPW regarding the graffiti issue.

The top rail of the Old Stone School fence is to be repaired by Don Wunschel.

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The research has been completed for the home at 192 Green Street. Vicki to contact a local sign painter to determine interest in painting the house markers.

The sink for the Academy bathroom was discussed, John Medeiros to contact local plumbers to determine interest in the project

Chuck is looking for someone to takeover responsibility for the Fort flag raising. David to contact the Advocate.

Replacement shades for the Academy discussed, Deb to pursue prices.

Al Benac asked for Commission support to apply for a CPC grant to restore an antique table located in the Town Hall. Vote unanimous to support his request, David to write the letter of support.

Next meeting, Wed Sept 4, 2013