

FAIRHAVEN HISTORICAL COMMISSION MINUTES MAY 13, 2015

Attending: Dave Despres, Chris Richards, Deb Charpentier, Cynthia McNaughten, Gary Lavalette, Vicki Paquette, Wayne Oliveira, Gail Isaksen.

Previous minutes for both the April 7 and April 16 meetings were read and accepted on motions/seconds by Mr. Richards/Ms. Paquette and Mr. Lavalette/Mr. Richards respectively.

Financial report read and accepted on motions by Ms. Charpentier/Ms. Paquette.

Academy report: Mr. Richards reports that the benches at the entrance have both been returned from storage. The Commission still awaits the second floor bulb replacement. Ms. Charpentier will contact the Historical Society regarding replanting the left (west) side of the entrance garden. Mr. Lavalette would like to continue repainting the peeling areas on the building. A CPC proposal for next cycle was discussed to repaint the building.

Fire Museum report: Mr. Oliveira reports the electrical work has been completed. The contractor has removed the doors and completed the floor refinishing.

Ft. Phoenix report: Mr. Lavalette and Mr. Oliveira repaired the flagpole. Ms. Charpentier will contact Clearwater Architects regarding the parapet repairs. Town Meeting approved 105k for the project.

Old Stone School report: Mr. Richards swept the floor and will be opening the building for Saturday tours. The molding is to be reinstalled by the contractor who repaired the floor.

House Plaques: the Commission voted to approve 34 Bridge St on a motion/second by Mr. Despres/Mr. Richards.

Mrs. McNaughten agreed to represent the Commission again on the CPC.

Mr. Despres met with Mr. Osuch, Mr. Crotty, and Seventh Day Adventist representatives to discuss the Bates House/Taber Wall. The owners will pay for a survey of the property with the idea of a land swap of land on the north of the Wall containing the septic system for an equal amount of land to the east of the Wall.

Historical Commission responsibilities were discussed with a letter to be sent to the Select board outlining the same. The Commission discussed assuming responsibility of the World War Two monument.

Next meeting Wed June 10, 7p at the FFD

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