

HISTORIC DISTRICT/HERITAGE COMMISSION MEETING

Jan 9, 2013
4:00 pm Bartley House

Present: C. Pynn; N. Kopec; B Parenteau

Review minutes Oct 17 and Nov 14 2012

The minutes were reviewed. N. Kopec made a motion to accept; it was seconded by B Parenteau;

Vote 3-0; the motion carried

Old Business:

- TRC Nov 13 2012 :Case #2012-34 &35: HDC no comment, no historic properties
- TRC Oct 23 2012 Proposed lot line adjustment lot line adjustment: HDC no comment, no historic properties
- A meeting at Stickey Celler with Eagle Scout Matt LaLiberte was completed on 10/23/12

Topics discussed:

Fencing: Carol has contacted NHDHR NH Div of Historic Resources, to get information on how this issue can be resolved : Tanya Krajcik is the contact; Carol will contact her again by telephone at 603-271-2568 for further discussion.

Picture: Peter will look into a clearer picture then what we have of the Stickney store. Dennis Root has old postcards but no new picture of the store and stables could be found. Bonnie will check with Tracey Johnson.

Time line from the Eagle Scout project

Spring 2013:

1. Determine approach to fund raising
2. Hold fund raising event (s)
3. Clear around cellar hole and stables (any growth that starts again)
4. Order loam, stone, bark. Mulch
5. Arrange for install or install handrail (approach is TBD)
6. Procure sign/sign post
7. Install sign/sign post
8. Clear planting beds
9. Install plantings
10. Update Boy Scout planning materials to detail financial handling

Materials:

- Crushed stone
- Bark mulch
- Loam
- Planting (Daylillies, Lilacs, etc)
- Cement
- Granite sign post
- Signage
- 48" safety railing (2/5" post and 1.5" rail)

Nancy will get info on native shade plants for the Stickney cellar hole area. More discussion will take place on locating plants with former HDC member Jerry Parsons who is affiliated with the Garden Club.

Fellows Barn: HDC has not been contacted since Oct by Sue Mesiti regarding moving the Fellows Barn. HDC has no objection for it to go to Alex Ray. It is expected that Alex Ray from the Common Man properties will transport the barn to his property.

Garage Door replacements: Dave Sullivan is working on getting the name of a business that will provide options.

New Business:

HDC meeting Jan 2013

2013 budget: Board of Selectman meeting will take place 1/14/13. A discussion about the HDC budget took place 11/26/12. Carol Pynn and Bonnie Parenteau attended the BOS meeting. An increased budget vote was 2-2.

2012 budget: \$0 is left

Tree stump near the Senior Center: A discussion took place with Dave Sullivan about removing the tree stump near the Senior Center. Approval was given by HDC to remove it

A possible new addition to Archeological Resource List was discussed. Near the Independent offices, Win Carpenter, a Granite pole used to have a sign on it. We have a Historic photo of the sign post. Simpson road used to connect to Range Rd.

1/8/13: Carol Pynn attended the Technical Review Committee meeting. Watershed protection project and a lot line change were discussed: HDC no comment, no historic properties

The name for new Northland Farm area/complex being constructed by Joe Maynard (Benchmark) was discussed. The name of Starbird was discussed. Tom Murray owns the land.

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Street/road names: a list has been created by the HDC. We were informed that the police or fire department had rejected some of the names. Carol Pynn will approach the departments to see what the objections were.

Map project for the Master Plan: contacts have been made to Holly Longo, Hannah Cole and Nancy Gaudet, all at the High School. Eric DeLong at the Town IT department would be willing to help by transferring the project material from the HS to the Town system if it's located. Currently we need a new HS student to take up the project, or the name of the former project to find it on the HS computer.

HDC report for 2012 Town Report

A final draft was discussed among the members. A copy will be sent to Wendy Devlin.

The tape recordings, audio tapes recounting the stories from residents of Windham from the 70's have been brought to the Bartley House by Carol. Discussion took place about having them transferred over to CD's for storage in the Historic Society.archives.

Meeting adjourned at 6:00 pm.

Next Meeting date: 2/13/13