

SUDBURY HISTORICAL COMMISSION MINUTES  
Tuesday 20 June 2017  
7 PM at Hosmer House

Those Present: Jan Costa, Chris Hagger, Bill Johnson, Lyn MacLean  
Friends of SHC: Diana Cebra, Liz Radoski  
Absent: Barbara Bahlkow, Fred Bautze, Diana Warren

The minutes of May were accepted as typed. Jan gave a financial report which as decimated to members. She reminded everyone that the books had closed for 2016.

Events: July 4<sup>th</sup> the Hosmer House will be open from 10 to 4. The parlor will have a display of photographs around the world by Bob Cook. The ballroom will be decorated by water colors painted by the Senior Center Water Color Class. The refreshments have been purchased and the docents assigned. Bill and Fred will put out the flags and Diana will update the signage. All members are to attend. Fred will get articles in the local newspapers.

Minuteman Fair at the Wayside Inn: It will be held this year on Saturday, 30 September. We will have the usual booth from 9 to 4 PM.

Holiday Open House: Jan and Diana meet with some of the decorators and dates, room assignments, theme were discussed. Jan prepared a handout with all the information which will be attached to the office copy of these minutes.

Carding Mill: Chris will contact Jim Kelly to open up the building for a tour on the 17th or 24th of June for the Commission members.

The Fire Detection System has been installed in the Hosmer House. We appreciate all the work that Jim Kelly and Art Richard has put into making this happen. The Fire Department has also been involved in this long awaited project.

Chris brought a rough plan of involving multiple community stake holders to serve as a basis preservation planning and response to potential loss of historical properties. The MHC speaker at the Demo Delay workshop he attended encouraged local Historical Commissions to develop a plan which will be on our next agenda to work on. (copy attached to the office official minutes)

Fred attended a meeting with Jim Kelly and Frank Reip to discuss the location of the light poles to be placed outside the Hosmer House. It was decided to move them as the Hosmer House has plenty of lighting at the west side and front of the building.

The Commission approved a herb garden to be planted at the back of Loring Parsonage. Diana and the Historical Society will be working on this during the spring.

Bill announced that CPA had approved consulting funding for the planned renovation of Town Hall.

Work on the Revolutionary Cemetery is proceeding as planned this summer.

Miscellaneous Items:

Bill and Lyn will meet to move the extra large painting to be hung in the office.

Lyn will contact Jim Kelly to obtain the name, address and phone number of the alarm system and it will be posted on the side of the file cabinet in the office.

A letter was received from Vhb a consulting firm regarding an area that does not come under our jurisdiction. Chris will answer this letter.

Lyn is to contact the DPW regarding a branch lying on top of the roof of the RR Shack.

Lyn is to get a copy of the Scenic Road bylaw to give to Commission members. Old Lancaster is a Scenic Road and there is a possibility that Eversource may use this street.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lyn MacLean,  
Chairman and Secretary

CC: Town Manager, Town Planner, Facilities Manager, IT Director, Legal Department, DPW Manager, Art Richard, Mark Herweck, Scott Taylor, Sally Hild