FRANCESTOWN HERITAGE COMMISSION Meeting of June 9, 2012

Present were Michele Ferencsik, Elly McAuly. Maureen vonRosenvinge, Diane Curran, Scott Carbee and Barbara Caskie.

The minutes of the May meeting were read and approved.

Elly made a presentation as to the possibilities of things that could be done to keep the public aware of what we are doing to preserve the Town Hall. A possibility is to put something on the outside of the Building or in the Horse Sheds. This would be a history and work in progress. Permission of the Selectboard would be needed.

Maureen said that we should know about the Moose Grant in mid-August. The maximum amount of the Grant is \$10K.

Plans for repairs are being finalized for bids. There are six applications and there will be a two week extension for bids, if necessary. There is no problem getting an extension from LCHIP.

There was a discussion as to whether there should be a meeting during the summer to keep the public informed as to the progress on the Town Hall. Maybe give some small tours which would need permission from the Selectboard.

Diane summarized the May 24th meeting with Peter Michaud from the NH Division of Historical Places as to being put on the National Register. It could be possible to have a Historic Downtown and not a District.

It was discussed as to maybe putting and updated article in the newspapers, seeking donations for the Town Hall project.

The meeting adjourned at 10:10.