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HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES
November 17, 2011 Site Visit 4:30 p.m.

Present: James Mercer, Chairman
Barbara Syer, Secretary
Dan Bailly
Don Howe
Pat Ryan
Holly Troiano

Applicant: Holly Hamer

MOTION: By Don Howe to accept October 20, 2011, meeting minutes.
SECOND: Dan Bailly
VOTE: Unanimous

MOTION : By Holly Troiano to open public hearing
SECOND: Don Howe
VOTE: Unanimous

Applicant Holly Hamer presented fence proposals and prices from All American Fence Company and a map showing where four-foot black steel fence would enclose area – except to the North where a stockade fence would be put up against the close neighbor's dog. Some trees will be trimmed. There will be a gate to Pleasant Street, a double gate for the mower and a gate near his barn for that property owner. A contest in spring will be held for the design of a percola.

MOTION: By Holly Troiano to close public hearing
SECOND: Dan Bailly
VOTE: Unanimous

Issues: Suggest set back of iron fence 10-12 feet indent from corner of library and benches inside, not outside of fence. Eliminate locked gate near parking area altogether ; the fence to be at an angle of NW corner.

Findings: 4 Classic 3 rail black steel fence

4' x 4' posts – 8' on center
42' gate at barn
42' gate locked
Double gate 7' wide at entrance

Ron Yapple is doing the tree work; all further landscaping will be another hearing. Chairman Jim Mercer will find out if any sign restrictions needed for front lawn of library – is Sculpture Now restricted in any way?

Historic Commission Walking Tour on Great Barrington is working on Smartphone APP

NEXT MEETING: Thursday, December 15, 2011 at new time of 6:30 p.m.

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Town Hall, 334 Main Street
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APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS

INSTRUCTIONS: Please type or print. Submit application and exhibits in two complete sets, together with a filing fee of \$40.00, to the Town Clerk.

1. LOCATION of work MASON LIBRARY - EAST LAWN
2. OWNER TOWN OF GT. BARRINGTON Phone 413-528-3122
3. Address 231 MAIN ST., GT. BARRINGTON, MA.
4. APPLICANT HOLLY HAMER Phone 413-528-3122
5. Address 99 SEEKONK CROSS RD., GT. BARRINGTON, MA.
6. ARCHITECT _____ Phone _____
7. Address _____
8. CONTRACTOR _____ Phone _____
9. Address _____

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF ALL PROPOSED WORK:

CONSTRUCT A FOUR FOOT HIGH BLACK STEEL FENCE TO ENCLOSE AN AREA TO THE EAST OF MASON LIBRARY FOR A CHILDREN'S READING GARDEN.

LIST DOCUMENTATION INCLUDED SHOWING PROPOSED WORK such as: photographs, material samples, manufacturer's illustrations, plans with elevations, shop drawings, etc.

SIGNATURES:

OWNER (Required) _____

APPLICANT Holly Hamer

FENCE PROPOSAL

ALL AMERICAN FENCE CO INC

100 Marble Street Lee MA 01238
413-243-0995 Fax 413-243-3936
allamericanfencema.com
allamericanfence@verizon.net

Customer:
Naomi Blumenthal

Site :
Children's Garden/Library
Great Barrington MA

Naomi@projectblu.com

Work phone	Home phone	Cell phone	Fax number	Email address
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To Install:

4 ft high 2 rail black (Ameristar/Montage) steel fencing @ \$32.00 per ft

Walk gates @ \$350.00 each

74 ft of 6 ft high, 8 ft long #1 spruce stockade @ \$535.00

34 ft of 6 ft high, 8 ft long #1 cedar stockade @ \$660.00

34 ft of 8 ft high, 8 ft long cedar stockade @ \$940.00

Additional fees will be added if:

- * we remove old fence material
- * additions are added to the job
- * extreme digging conditions arise
(jack hammering & core drilling \$50.00 per hole)

Please note:

- *6 1/4 % tax on material to be added at billing
- *1/2 payment down—balance upon completion of job
- *all past due balances are subject to 1 1/2% monthly surcharge

**Customer is responsible for having underground utilities marked, boundary markers
& septic system location & permits**

Prices are good for 90 days

Gary Johnson

9/29/2011

Authorized Signature

Date

Customer Signature

Date