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HOLDEN HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION
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Meeting called to order at 7:35p. Members present were Lance Lazar, Sue Kowalczyk, Mike Elmes, Steve D'Aquila, and Peter Harrington

No new applications received.

Old Business: Continued discussion of the placement of signs to establish boundaries of the historic districts and placement of plaque in the center of town near the Hancock rock. Types of sign, material and wordage was discussed. No decisions reached at this time, will discuss further. Determined to approach Jim Shuris to discuss feasibility of having the DPW install the signs.

It was mentioned that Lance and Sue had met with the Board of Selectmen to renew their appointment to the commission. Appointments were approved.

New Business: Discussion of the newly installed panels in the Congregational Church steeple by T-Mobile. General consensus of the committee is we are impressed with the quality and appearance of the panels.

It was noted that the Pabley building had been sold to Umass. We will determine the new owner and send a letter of welcome and a copy of the Guide to the Historic District of Holden trifold.

Discussed placing a flow chart of the application procedure on our website to aid persons in determining the need to complete an application and also to describe what the committee looks for in an application.

Minutes from the October, November, and December 2010 meetings were reviewed and approved unanimously.

Next meeting to be held April 28.

Meeting adjourned 9:05p