

## TOWN HALL PRESERVATION COMMITTEE

February 4, 2013 Hooksett Town Hall

The meeting came to order at 6:05pm.

In attendance: Tom Walsh, Kathie Northrup, Scott Riley and John Danforth.

Also present: Matt Labonte, Code Enforcement; Deputy Fire Chief Hoisington; Joanne Duffy, Town Planner; Leo Lessard, Director of DPW and Dr. Dean Shankle, Town Administrator.

The minutes of January 10, 2013 were approved as amended; replaced "glory" with "function".

### OLD BUSINESS:

Deed Restrictions (if any); as of this meeting it is the understanding that the deed does not restrict or prohibit any of our intended actions regarding the restoration of the Town Hall as the function will remain for a town/community purpose.

### NEW BUSINESS

Discussion with Code Enforcement, Public Works and the Fire Department as to what the issues they may possibly see with the structure as they may apply to the goals set forth at our prior meeting. The group agreed that we will go forth with some dismantling of the second floor-this needs to be done with care as to continue to protect the tin ceiling that is original to the building. The office walls and partitions of the second floor were found not to be structural and these will be dismantled first by Hooksett Public Works.

Some additional grant information was passed out by Joanne Duffy.

At our next meeting we will attempt to schedule such in order to meet with Maggie Stier of the NH Preservation Alliance.

We are still looking for additional members of our committee; we will ask the folks at the Hooksett Banner if they could put in a notice for this.

Next Meeting date, time and location: TBD based upon the availability of Maggie Stier.

Meeting adjourned at 7:15 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

John H. Danforth

Committee Chairman