

Minutes of the 250th Planning Committee
Public Safety Complex
July 10, 2013 – 7 PM

Present: C. Kustra, P. Stetson, B. Smith, M. Banks, P. Jenkins, L Gund

Regrets: M. Kelsey

The Committee welcomed everyone to the meeting. A short overview of the 1966 and 1976 town celebrations was presented.

Regarding the 2016 celebration, the suggestion was made for a year-long celebration using the 250th as a theme during annual town events with a big celebration that includes a parade sometime during the summer.

With January 16, 1766 the date of the town's incorporation, the suggestion was made that a kick off for the year might include a Governor's Proclamation that's read at the January 2016 Selectmen's Meeting.

A date for the summer celebration was discussed and the date of July 16th was identified. A check for possible conflicts such as the date for Stratham Fair 2016 and other towns celebrating anniversary dates in 2016 will be completed before the next meeting.

Questions about town insurance liability were raised. Suggestions to increase public awareness were shared.

The next meeting was confirmed for July 19th at 8:30 AM at the Safety Complex.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:15 pm.