

## LYNDEBOROUGH HERITAGE COMMISSION

Friday, June 29, 2018, Center Hall

Present: Jessie Salisbury, Bob Rogers, Stephanie Roper, Julie Zebuhr, and Selectman Mark Chamberlain.

### HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

7:05 p.m., Stephanie opened the meeting. The only business was the information that a street light study committee was considering placing lights in the town hall area and, if so, would require Commission approval. There was a short discussion of placement without a consensus. Refinishing the town hall stage will also require approval. That work is to be done later this summer. Stephanie will continue as chairman of the Commission, Jessie as secretary. The meeting adjourned at 7:12.

### HERITAGE COMMISSION

7:12 p.m. Stephanie opened the meeting. There was no treasurer's report. The town office will again be asked about intent-to-cut forms. Minutes of May 25: Mark asked, in the Tarbell-Knight House paragraph, that the words "will not be returned to the owner" be removed as the Selectmen have not made that decision. The minutes were approved as corrected on a motion by Bob, seconded by Stephanie.

### STONE CULVERT MAP

The map was looked at, talked about, but no additions were made. It will be returned to the town office.

### CLARK POTTERY SIGN

No new orders were received, so the sign will be ordered.

## COMMON

Word has been received that due to an automobile accident which dislocated the electric box on the pole it will have to be moved. A meeting is set with the electrician for Tuesday to find a new site. The box is used for Memorial Day and Christmas tree lighting.

The common is mowed regularly and looks good.

Stephanie said work is still being done on obtaining names of Vietnam veterans for a sign.

“Something” has to be done to preserve the bricks from the railroad station foundation. They are deteriorating although the picket fence keeps them from being driven over. Some type of cover or preservation method will be looked into.

## LIBRARY DRIVEWAY

The parking lot is to be paved this summer but there has been disagreement with the state DOT concerning width and sight distance. Bob said the neighbor to the south has “trimmed her lilacs as much as she’s going to.” He said the paving would be worked out, but why a “driveway that has been there for 100 years needs a permit now” was beyond him.

## TARBELL-KNIGHT HOUSE

The Historical Society has written a letter to the Board of Selectmen requesting that they consider the use of the house by the Society at such time as the town has fully acquired it. No more will be done at this time.

Bob noted that if the Society “has a definite goal” fund-raising can begin.

Mark said the house will require work although it appears structurally sound.

## OTHER BUSINESS

Woodward Monument: Jessie said an inquiry about it had appeared on the Facebook Page “Lyndeborough Community Happenings” and she supplied the requested information. The poster said he was unable to read the monument.

It was agreed that a sign is needed. Stephanie will come up with wording for a small sign. The monument marks where Christianna Woodward was killed in 1852 when thrown from her wagon while carrying the mail.

Cider Mill Road: The road has deteriorated to where it is dangerous to drive over. It is one of the prettiest roads and town and the feeling was that it should be upgraded.

Furnace Hill Road: Since this road is a power line route and frequently used by residents, it should be returned to Class 5. It was used recently as a detour when Cemetery Road was closed by a fallen tree and it is not in good condition. A hearing would be required.

“Children at Play” sign on Putnam Hill Road: Stephanie asked if the old sign, which may date to the South School, be removed and given to the Historical society for preservation. Mark will look into it.

#### NEXT MEETING

Friday, July 27, 7 p.m., at the Center Hall

The meeting adjourned at 8 p.m.

Clerk