## Minutes Medway Cultural Council meeting

## Nov. 11, 2010 at 6:30 in Medway Senior Center

Present: Audrey Ritter, Chair; Catherine Perkins, Treasurer; Cynthia McLaughlin; Mike Finnegan.

The Council convened & the minutes of the last meeting were accepted as read, C. Mclaughlin moved & C. Perkins seconded.

The treasurer reported that our available balance, not including funds encumbered, was \$352.97 as of 11/4/10. The state grant this year is \$3,870.00 for a total of \$4,222.97. Put aside for administrative costs was \$72.97, leaving \$4150.00 for granting purposes.

| Full funding was awarded for these requests   | 3-                    |  |
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| Bancroft Art Annex- artist space  | \$100                 |  |
| Medway Historical Society, Daniels portrait evaluation, \$600   |                       |  |
| SHA's Colonial Life for the Medway schoo  | ls \$475              |  |
| Medway Players play "Outlaws"   | \$400                 |  |
| Medway Public Library summer programs, Freeman  |                       |  |
| Music & Live Animal   | \$550                 |  |
| Marble Collections High School Art Magaz  | tine \$150            |  |
| Partial amounts were awarded to these groups-   |                       |  |
| Council on Aging Painting Classes, asked \$600, given \$400   |                       |  |
| Millis Church of Christ, paper preservation (Millis part of   |                       |  |
| Medway 'til 1880's) ask   | ed \$600, given \$400 |  |
| Blackstone Valley Community Concert Band, asked \$500,  |                       |  |
|   | given \$250           |  |
| Quintessential Band Concert, Choate Park, asked \$600   |                       |  |
| given \$325   |                       |  |
| Holliston School of the Performing Arts for a summer musical,   |                       |  |
| asked \$500, given \$100  |                       |  |
| Mass. Audubon, owl programs, "  | \$180 " \$100         |  |
| Claflin Hill Symphony,  | \$760 " \$100         |  |
| Bay Colony Productions, Grease,   | \$500 " \$ 100        |  |
| " " Jungle Book, "  | "\$500 "\$100         |  |
| The above applications were carefully considered by the Council, weighed with the merits of all 25 & funded as being most useful to Medway residents. |                       |  |

Applications denied included the following-

| Shane Wood Jazz Trio | \$500 |
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| Reading is magic     | \$375 |

| Henry the Juggler              | \$425   |
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| Briefcase full of Blues        | \$1,300 |
| Whatever Theater festival      | \$300   |
| Big Band, Benny Goodman        | \$1,200 |
| John Porcino- To Life!         | \$600   |
| Greater Milford Ballet         | \$400   |
| Jack Keough- the Artistic path | \$450   |

The above not as important to Medway.

C. Mclaughlin moved & M. Finnegan seconded approval to disburse funds as approved above.

The Council thanked Catherine Perkins for her service as Treasurer. A. Ritter asked for suggestions for a new treasurer, starting 7/1/2011.

M. Finnegan moved & C. Perkins seconded that the Council adjourn.

Sincerely,

Audrey Ritter, Chair