October 8, 2014 Moultonborough Heritage Commission

Moultonborough Town Hall

Present: Ashjian, Beadle, Borrin, Larson Bruce Woodruff, Town Planner Excused: Charest, Mudgett, Worthen

Chair Cristina Ashjian called the meeting to order at 5:30 PM, and the Minutes of the last meeting on September 24, 2014 were approved without changes. Bruce Woodruff updated the Commission on the plan for a GIS overlay for historical resources. The Commission briefly discussed a request forwarded by Town Administrator Carter Terenzini for metal detecting on the Adele Taylor property, and agreed by consensus to not recommend any such activity. Planner Woodruff briefed the Commission on the Maple Cottage property lots on Route 25.

The Commission received updates on various activities and committees. Inspection visits to the RSA 79-D barns (with Bruce Woodruff and Town Assessor Gary Karp) are completed, and reports are forthcoming. Cristina attended the Village Vision Committee meeting on 10/7, and will continue in that capacity to relieve Bruce Worthen. There are have been no MPIC or Moultonborough Grange Committee meetings or further updates. There will be a Convention of Town Committees meeting on 10/30 at 7:30, and all HC members are encouraged to attend.

As regards the Conservation Commission's present focus on the 37-acre property on Route 25 abutting the Red Hill River and Lee Pond, the Heritage Commission will support efforts to conserve the property because of its historical and archaeological significance. Cristina attended the Conservation Commission meeting on 10/6 and will continue to provide documentation and images of historic buildings and sites at Moultonborough Falls for use in this project. Handouts from the Panel on Protection of Historic Buildings held in Franklin (10/2) were distributed.

Motion: Mark moved to adjourn at 6:30 PM; Norman seconded. Motion carried – unanimously. The next Heritage Commission meeting will be on Wednesday, November 12, at 5:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Jean Beadle, Secretary, Heritage Commission