

August 20, 2012

Moultonborough Heritage Commission

Moultonborough Town Offices

Present: Cristina Ashjian, Jean Beadle, Ed Charest
Excused: Norman Larson, Mark Borrin, Bruce Worthen
Public: Hollis Austin

Chair Cristina Ashjian called the meeting to order at 5:30 PM, and the Minutes of the last Commission meeting on July 16, 2012 were approved without changes. The Commission briefly discussed upcoming preservation events, including the NHPA 'Seven to Save' program with a lecture by Jim Garvin on August 22nd at Brewster Memorial Hall in Wolfeboro.

Cristina updated the Commission on the status of the at-risk Moultonborough Grange. A building inspection was conducted on July 27th with preservation contractor Steve Bedard and architectural historian Jim Garvin. Members of the Commission unanimously agreed that the Commission should assist the Moultonborough Historical Society in applying for NHPA, LCHIP and any community grants that could provide funding to stabilize the building.

The Commission then discussed logistics following the July 20-21st Plan NH Community Charrette, including outstanding sponsorship donations. It is anticipated that the final report and presentation to the Town will take place in October, which will give the opportunity for a final round of media attention and thanks to local business sponsors of the event.

The next Heritage Commission meeting will be at 5:30 PM on Monday, August 20th.

Motion: Jean moved to adjourn at 6:00 PM; Ed seconded.
Motion Carried – Unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Jean Beadle, Secretary, Heritage Commission