

July 18, 2011
Moultonborough Heritage Commission
Moultonborough Town Offices

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

Cristina Ashjian called the meeting to order at 5:35 PM and the Minutes of the May 16th meeting were approved without changes. Members Norman Larson and Bruce Worthen, as well as resident Hollis Austin, all arrived and joined the meeting between 5:40 and 5:45 PM.

The Commission received updates on various issues and discussed ongoing projects. Cristina reported that the Board of Selectmen approved the updated policy for RSA 79-D (the Barn Easement) on June 30th. The RFPs for painting the town-owned Historical Society complex buildings (Moultonborough Town House, Middle Neck School House) are drafted and will go out at the end of July. The town properties identified as worth retaining for historical and archaeological significance at the HC May meeting have been withdrawn from the sale list.

It was agreed that working on the application/policy for RSA 79-E (Village Revitalization) and finishing a draft Demolition Review Ordinance for presentation to the Planning Board this year would be addressed after the summer. Cristina noted that the Roxmont site on Long Island is under consideration for a DHR/PSU SCRAP archaeology field school session in 2012. Cristina was charged with drafting a progress memo to the MPIC by August 15th, which will ask that road issues and scenic road designations be addressed sooner rather than later.

Upcoming events and workshops were briefly discussed, including the Bald Peak program on July 19th, the NHPA workshops on July 20 (Holderness) and on August 16th (Moultonborough), and the Kona Farm program at the NH Boat Museum on August 11th.

The next Heritage Commission meeting will be at 5:30 PM on August 15th.

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

Respectfully submitted,
Jean Beadle, Secretary, Heritage Commission