NEWBURY HISTORICAL COMMISSION

July 17, 2014 Meeting Minutes

A regular monthly meeting of the Newbury Historical Commission was held Thursday, July 14, 2014 at Newbury Town Hall. The meeting was called to order at 7:10 PM.

Members present: - Chris Drelich, Jan Forrest, Lon Hachmeister, Channing Howard, Sue Nagle,

Nancy Thurlow

Members absent: - Eva Jackman

The draft minutes of June 18, 2014 meeting were presented. Motion made by Chris Drelich to accept the minutes as presented. Motion carried with unanimous vote.

Chris reported a combined balance of \$8,309.28 in the Historical Commissions accounts

Old Business: -

Channing Howard reported he met with Sam Joslin, Newbury Building Inspector, regarding repair of Lower green Schoolhouse chimney & clapboards. Inspector reported "It was in the works."

Channing also reported he had contacted Martha Taylor, Town Planner, requesting the Historical Commission to be notified of any activity that might concern this committee.

It was reported the Boston Post Road Cane was presented to John Karahalis

Discussion was held on the DDB and minor corrections were made; i.e., spelling of "bylaw" to be consistent throughout document.

It was decided the Historical Commission would attend the next Selectmen's meeting, Tuesday, July 22nd, to ask permission to distribute the proposed Demolition Delay Bylaw and to have two informational forums for the public.

Further discussion regarding holding "Round-Table" sessions with the public took place. No decision was made.

New Business: -

Chris showed sample of brochure he had updated of the self-guided driving tour of Newbury with various points of interest. He also showed a sample of a rack card for the Lower Green Schoolhouse. These rack cards would be distributed to various sites in the area. The design was approved with corrections. Chris had obtained a quote of \$62.00 for 250 cards. It was suggested to get pricing for the next price break. A motion was made and seconded to approve the expenditure of the rack cards. The motion was carried.

The next meeting of the Newbury Historical Commission is scheduled for Wednesday, August 13, 2014 at 6:30 PM at the Lower Green Schoolhouse. In addition to the regular meeting, an "Ice Cream Social" will take place before the meeting convenes.

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 PM

Respectfully submitted, Nancy Thurlow, Vice Chair Secretary, Pro Tem