Community Preservation Committee February 5, 2009 Minutes

1. The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m. in the Nauset Room at Town Hall. In attendance; Posy Cameron, Julia Enroth, Jon Fuller, Harry Herrick, Catherine Hertz, Cathy Southworth.

Approved: February 12, 2009

- 2. There was no public comment.
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 Approval of January 29, 2009 minutes will be postponed for Town Counsel review
- 4. Project Monitoring Updates and Expenses
 - a. Cemeteries-Phases I & II (Julia Enroth) No new information.
 - b. Academy-Phases II & III (Harry Herrick) Project phasing down.
 - c. Open Space (Alan McClennen) No new information.
 - d. Eldredge Park (Cathy Southworth) No new information.
 - e. Town Records (Posy Cameron) No new information.
 - f. Cummings Photos (Catherine Hertz) No new information.
 - a. Odd Fellows Phase II (Jon Fuller) Need to review some items on submitted bill
 - h. Meeting House Plan (Alan McClennen) No new information.
 - i. Bikeway (Jon Fuller) Jon meeting with consultant for bikeway to discuss going around watershed and going through Town. Public hearing has been recommended to Selectmen.
 - j. Sea Call (Jane Hinckley) No new information.
 - k. Historic Videos (Catherine Hertz) Received an invoice for \$1,720.
 - I. COA Walkway (Julia Enroth) Group has been chosen to work on the project.
- 5. Finance Director, David Withrow
 - a. There is no restriction on investment income funds.
 - b. It is up to the CPC to decide where to use interest monies.
 - c. David will update, every year, the debt funding capacity spreadsheet. Julia Enroth reported that a little over \$94,000 of the fund balance will be used for preliminary recommendations.
 - d. David said estimated surtax is based on property tax increasing 3% a year.
 - e. Land Bank converted on June 30, 2005. Interest earned from beginning of Land Bank to conversion was \$115,738. Interest earned from July 1, 2005 to June 30, 2008 is \$195,891.
- 6. Preliminary Recommendations Review
 - a. Will need to use about \$94,000 from fund balance.
 - b. Julia Enroth passed out a spreadsheet on Preliminary Recommendations.
 - c. Julia Enroth will meet with Town Counsel on mechanics of funding.
 - d. Catherine Hertz questioned if Vocalion Organ will be a matching grant.
 - e. Julia asked that liaisons inform the applicants about the Public Hearing date. Each liaison to forward to Julia a brief description of each project.
- 7. Key Dates / Timeline Final recommendations on February 19.
- 8. Old Business There was no old business.
- 9. New Business There was no new business.
- 10. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra A. Marai, Secretary

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