

STOW HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Minutes of January 3, 2013

Members present: Dot Spaulding, Bob Cutler & Patrick Hopkins

Associate member present: Rosemary Bawn

Others present: Lew Halprin

Meeting convened at 7:30 pm.

Meeting was called to order at 7:40 pm.

The minutes for the December 6, 2012 meeting were approved.

Treasurer's Report: A check was received from Connie Schwarzkopf, past West School director. It will be deposited in the West School fund.

PAST update: No update this month.

Community Preservation Liaison Report: Dot attended a CPC meeting.

Lower Village's Future Presentation: No update this month.

West School: No update this month.

Budget for 2013: A budget was prepared and approved for July 1, 2013 – July 1, 2014.

New and Associate Members: Bob Cutler mentioned that his term is up on June 30, 2013. He has not made up his mind yet on whether he will stay.

The Historical Commission would ideally like to have 5 members and 3 associates; therefore we are still actively looking for new members.

Building Permits: Reviewed without comment.

Old and New Business: (1)The Commission members would like to look into placing an "entering Gleasondale" sign on the side of Rt. 62 coming from Hudson into Stow. Ideally it would be similar to the "entering Lower Village" newly erected sign on Great Rd.

(2)The commission needs to prepare the statement which will be printed in the 2013 Stow Town Report. It should be presented at the February meeting, along with a thank-you note to Connie Schwarzkopf, for approval.

(3)The commission members talked about reviving the historic house plaque program.

(4)In the next few months we will discuss putting together a spring walking tour of Gleasondale .

(5) Lew Halprin replaced the broken clock in the Stow Historical Committee meeting room; we will reimburse him.

Correspondence: Committee members will write a thank you card to Connie Schwarzkopf.

Next meeting scheduled for February 7, 2013 at 7:30 pm.

Meeting adjourned at 8:40 pm.

Respectfully submitted


