STOW HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Minutes of June 5, 2014

Members present: Dot Spaulding, Patrick Hopkins, Marilyn Zavorski

Associate member present: Rosemary Bawn

Others present: Lew Halprin

Meeting convened at 7:30 pm.

Meeting was called to order at 7:35 pm with a quorum present.

The minutes for the May 1, 2014 meeting were approved.

Treasurer's Report: The Commission members made a motion, seconded and pre-approved purchases of office supplies by the chairperson not to exceed \$150.00 before July's meeting. The bills for the West School's new canopy and port-a-potty rental were paid by the treasurer.

Building Permits: Reviewed without comment.

Public Archaeology Survey Team update: No update this month.

Community Preservation Commission Report: The CPC inquired about town funds targeted for handicap access at the West School, and also electronic copying of items in the town vault. No decision was reached on either subject. The Commission duly approved the appointment of Dot Spaulding as CPC Liaison for the term July 2014 to July 2015. The secretary will send a note to Linda Hathaway to report the appointment.

West School: There are three programs scheduled for this summer at the West School. The first event will be on Sunday, June 29th and will feature the Oral Histories of Dick Gelpke, Skip Warren and Mary Wetherbee.

Appointment of Officers: The Commission duly approved the appointment of Dot Spaulding as chairperson, Lew Helprin as treasurer, and Rosemary Bawn as secretary for the next fiscal year.

Gleasondale Update and Tour: There's an up-coming meeting for phase III for Gleasondale Village on a date yet to be determined. The Commission has put together a brochure for a walking tour of Gleasondale. It was decided to plan a trial walk with members on Sunday, June 22nd, and the Commission would invite Emily Beyette to walk along too. Emily will again be spending the summer in her home at the Gleason Homestead.

Historical Website: The discussion is on-going about website set-up.

Old and New Business: The Stow Historical Commission shared a table with the Stow Historical Society at Stow's May 17th Springfest. The event was moved inside to Center School because of rain.

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Correspondence: None this month.

Next meeting scheduled for July 17, 2014 at 7:30 pm.

Meeting adjourned at 8:50 pm.

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