

## STOW HISTORICAL COMMISSION

Minutes of December 3, 2015

Members present: Dot Spaulding, Patrick Hopkins, Marilyn Zavorski,  
Vellyn Antonelli, Rosemary Bawn quorum present

Associate members present: Lew Halprin, Margaret Barry, Barbara Clancy (absent), Andy Crosby

Others present: none

Meeting convened at 7:30 pm.

Meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm with a quorum present.

The **minutes** for the November 5, 2015 meeting were approved.

**Treasurer's Report:** No changes this month.

**Building Permits:** None available to look at this month.

**Public Archaeology Survey Team update:** No communication this past month.

**Community Preservation Commission:** At the November 16<sup>th</sup> Town Meeting the town voted to appropriate and transfer from the Community Fund Reserve the sum of \$220,000.00 for Affordable Housing purposes.

**Ground Penetration Radar and Mapping:** Dot spoke to Bob Perry and his son, Jesse. It appears that their orientation marker for satellite & mapping is missing from Lower Village Cemetery. No one working at the Cemetery seems to know anything about the disappearance. Mr. Perry says it will take extra time (and perhaps money) to re-locate the marker to finish his mapping job in the spring.

**Randall Library Project:** The Randall Library renovation project is on-going.

**First Parish Church Steeple/Spire:** This item will be discussed in the spring.

**West School:** West School is closed until the summer of 2016.

**New and Associate members:** Andy Crosby is officially welcomed as an associate member.

**Old and New Business:** The commission needs to increase its 2017 budget request in order to finish ordering the remaining unmarked-grave markers. Freedom's Way has several interesting events planned for December which Marilyn shared with all the Commission members.

The 2017 Stow Historical Commission meeting calendar was approved. It included Jan. 7, Feb. 4, Mar. 3, April 7, May 5, and June 2.

**Correspondence:** No correspondence this month.

Next meeting is January 7, 2016 at 7:30 in the Town Building.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted



