

**Wareham Historical Commission  
Meeting Minutes: March 2, 2011  
Wareham Multi-Service Center, Room 203**

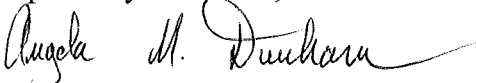
**Present: Robin Ragle-Davis (Chair), Angela Dunham (Vice Chair, Clerk), Mack Phinney (Wareham Land Trust Liaison), Len Boutin (Treasurer), Gary Franklin, Cheryl Knapp**

**Absent: Loren Franklin (excused)**

**Guests: Michael Lanford, Luthor Howard and Lois Fountin (Bike Path Committee members)**

- Bike Path Committee members made a presentation on their proposed bike path. It was suggested that historical sites be marked along the bike path. There will be a meeting to discuss the future of the bike path on March 9, 2011, 9 A.M. at the Wareham Town Hall. The Wareham Historical Commission (WHC) voted to send a letter of support for the Wareham Bike Path (5-0-0).
- Historic Plaque Program: Robin will work on an electronic draft design for the logo we voted on for the local historic plaque program. A sincere thank you to Loren Franklin for all the time and work she put into gathering information and contacting vendors.
- The WHC has been requested to send a letter of support for the Wareham Historical District Project and CPC for an accurate map of the historic district. A motion was made and seconded to send the letter of support. (6-0-0)
- Preservation Restrictions: CPC has asked that WHC look into the possibility of forming a subcommittee of local historic groups to hold PRs on local properties. Cheryl Knapp and Robin Ragle-Davis will attend the next meeting of the Wareham Historical Society to discuss the possible sub-committee.
- There are now meetings being held to plan the up-coming Cape Cod Canal Anniversary Celebration. Wareham Historical groups are being represented.
- Mack Phinney and Barbara Bailey will attend Clark University's 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Symposium on the Archaeology of New England. Sarah Wermiel will do a presentation on the Tremont Nail Co.
- Robin will contact Jim Mellon to inquire about the status of the Certified Local Government Designation.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Angela M. Dunham (Vice Chair, Clerk)

