

Wareham Historical Commission  
MEETING TOWN HALL  
February 5, 2014

PRESENT: Angela Dunham, Chair, Mack Phinney, vice chair, Len Boutin, treasurer, Cheryl Knapp, clerk, Guest, Liam McKenna from Wareham Week newspaper

Meeting minutes from December 2013 will be read at next meeting. No January meeting was held.

Angela and Mack explained to Liam the different commissions and society that are present in Wareham and their differences and purposes.

Demo delay: Bob Iafrate, the director of inspectional Services, contacted Angela; his concern is that we don't meet often enough to work with so many homes being purchased. He feels that we need to meet as needed in addition to our first Wednesday of the month meeting, in order not to hold up any building demo needed to accommodate out of town contractors.

We proposed a Tuesday early morning meeting time if needed, we most all could make it. We voted a special monthly meeting to be held on the second Tuesday at 10:00 AM following our regularly scheduled meeting to accommodate any demo delay applicant as needed and only as needed. Vote: 4-0-0 in favor.

Treasurers report: \$180.30 town acct; \$588.01-gift account  
Read and accepted 3-0-1

Future Historic Projects: cannon in town hall lobby, possibly the Nimrod, Dr Ray Hayes, research marine archaeologist will be contacted as we need info to get grant for its restoration.

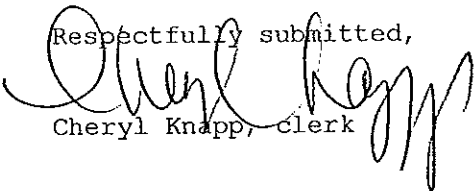
Climate control room at library: Joe Edwards will look into it.

Tremont Nail Co Property report: there is proposed CPC article to replace the sprinkler system in the buildings. Dave Menard is seeking a resolution to this problem. We are aware of the situation and we support a resolution.

Historic plaque program: we made a motion to have plaques made of m.o.d. or azak in the dimension of 9 x 15 and 1/2 inch thick. Cheryl will contact Sal Pena to get funding and dates of town buildings to make them for.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 PM

Respectfully submitted,

  
Cheryl Knapp, clerk