

375th PLANNING COMMITTEE

April 9, 2014

Present: Mary Antes, Pam Bonaguide, Lois Davis, John Dyer, Carole Felz, Brad Keyes

The meeting was called to order at 7:14. There was no quorum present.

John Dyer has been working with the Historical Commission to propose signage for various locations including Cochituate Village, Bent Shoe Factory location, the Gate House, Mansion Inn location, Knights of Labor location, and the Cochituate Ball field. He has an estimate of \$15,000 from Bryant Funeral Home.

Mary reviewed the events held in March and the upcoming events in April and May. Carole suggested that the Committee organize a display for the Town Building bulletin boards. Lois suggested featuring the photographs that have been featured in each issue of the Town Crier since June. Carole will work with Lois on the display idea.

Brad gave an update of the parade. He is building a float that will be used to advertise the parade and inspire others to enter floats. Carole has contacted an antique car group. Trinitarian Congregational Church plans to participate. There is a shortage of bands. Many bands charge for participating in parades. There is interest in having a parade banner hanging across the road, volunteers dressed as clowns handing out candy, and horses. John said that the Public Ceremonies Committee will judge the bicycle decoration. Brad estimates that the first units of the parade will get to the town building by about 11 am and final units by noon. It was agreed that the best link to the parade is waylandparade.org.

The following meeting dates were set: April 24, May 8 and 22, and June 5.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:22.