

January 18, 2007 Historical Commission Meeting Minutes

Motion to accept meeting minutes December 22, 2006

Members present

Beverly Goodale, Neil Norum, Gregory Zarkanian, Barbara Deschenes

Cemetery

Beverly brought Greg up to date about the cemetery restorations of the Beaman cemetery and grants available, application must be in by February 21, and volunteers would have to be trained to clean stones. In the meantime, we should approach the society in the cemetery trustees for financial assistance.

Neil made a motion to explore the grants available, second by Barbara. Neil will pursue the grant portion and Beverly will pursue the money portion.

Mary Cook Books

Beverly brought Greg up to date. It is the consensus of the board that compressed disks are a better route to go and are worth the extra money, as we are talking only of 450 pages.

There is a meeting on February 26th regarding the Conflict Of Interest Law. A training session will be held at 6:30 PM at the Mixter Municipal Offices. The commissioners did not feel that it is would be necessary for the commissioners to attend.

Demolition delay By-law

Neil made a motion to pass over this By-law recommendation until next meeting.

Funds available

As of November 30, 2006, the historical commission has \$6,761.31

Historic Markers

Homeowners would have to research their own homes in order to qualify for a historic marker. The commissioners should establish criteria for the home owners qualification.

Verdin Bell

The commission has voted to accept the bell. Members from the Bell Committee, The Historical Society, The Bicentennial Committee, the Garden Club and the Historical Commission will be involved in the process. Barbara will represent the Historical Commission.

Presentation award

2007 nominations for presentation award for projects completed in 2004, 2005, 2006.

Beverly would like to nominate The Jacob Winn Barn Project, Barbara motion to accept this project, Neil seconded, unanimously voted.

Motion to adjourn and seconded.

Next meeting February 15, 2007, 4:00 p.m. at The Historic Society.

Respectfully submitted,

Kim D Hopewell, Historical Commissioner