

**West Boylston Historical Commission
Meeting Minutes March 25, 2010**

Commissioners present: Beverly Goodale, Neil Norum, Dennis Parker, Barbara Deschenes and Gregory Zakarian

Commissioners absent: Nancy Barakian and Kim Hopewell.

The meeting was called to order at 2:05 p.m.

Approval of Minutes: Upon motion of Greg with second by Dennis the minutes of the February meeting were unanimously approved.

Old Business:

Treasury: There is \$605.52 in the 06-91 fund and \$1,659.56 in the 06-92 building account.

National Register: Bev attended the March meeting of the Library Trustees to discuss the Commission's intent to have the library placed on the National Register of Historic Places. The trustees said that they could assist us financially and mentioned a possible fundraiser.

Inventory: Bev would like to see more participation in doing the inventory. It was decided to do Newton Street as there is a lot of history in that area.

New Business

Correspondence was received regarding the construction of a cell tower on Century Drive. Following the review of the plans the commissioners concluded that there were no historical properties in that area. Bev will write a letter stating the same.

A new State Register of Historic Places was received and Mount Vernon Cemetery was included in that listing. Bev will purchase a binder and include it in the Society's library.

Commissioners were reminded that we need a nominee for the Edgar A. Whitcomb Award to be given at the Society's Annual Meeting in May.

Bev would like to have a vice-chairman and is open to suggestions/volunteers. Barbara volunteered to take over the secretary's position permanently.

The next meeting will be April 15, 2010 at 3:30 pm.; please note the time change .

Upon motion of Neil and second by Dennis it was unanimously voted to adjourn the meeting at 2.55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara M. Deschenes, Secretary

Minutes unanimously accepted on April 15, 2010