

Approved: April 27, 2015

MERRIMACK HERITAGE COMMISSION
MINUTES
March 23, 2015
7:00 PM

ATTENDANCE: Anita Creager, Jon Woods, Kristen Newhall, Deb Bult. Lynne Wenz was ill.

REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF JANUARY and FEBRUARY MINUTES:
Approved.

MEMBERSHIP STATUS: Still have one full opening and three alternates.

OLD BUSINESS:

Portraits and Frames for Town Hall. Priority #1: Ready for installation. Kyle informed us that Nicolas will mark locations with masking tape.

Historical Home Plaques: Priority #2. Deb will send letters to potential owners for approval.

Fraser Square Monument Status: Anita has wording for the 12 x 12 brick. Will submit to Fraser Square Committee (through Paul Micali) for approval and payment.

Photos for Memorial Room: Photos still not installed. Jackie Flood is working on getting identification signs and installation. She still has \$140 left in her budget for this project. Plans to use portion for identification.

John Cromwell plaque replacement. Lynne has made a copy of the 1657 map showing John Cromwell's trading post, which will be framed and given to Anheuser Busch to display. In the Spring we will address the memorial plaque and whether to repair or replace it.

WW II Memorial- Eagle Scout project- Hayden Faust. Will complete for Memorial Day.

NEW BUSINESS:

Wooden Stocks at Weston Park: Lynne. Possible removal of the stocks which were built by MHS Students for the Bicentennial year. Will discuss further when we have full attendance.

ONGOING PROJECTS:

Town Tour Brochures: On hold until Spring. Anita to send to Chuck Miller to post on town website.

Greeting Cards: Available for sale year round. Have requested Paul Micali to send registration for K of C Craft Fair to be ½ reimbursed by Historical Society. Expect to take part in Business Expo as well.

Dam History and Chamberlain Bridge Sign: Both projects involved in plans for repairs on Chamberlain Bridge and installation of trail under bridge. Dam sign is located in Town Manager's office. Indefinite as to timing of trail under bridge and sidewalk on bridge. Lon will keep us informed of status.

McGaw Bridge: Will be replaced in 2015 with approved signage by State.

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Drone photography project: Ken Fothergill. On hold.

MEETING: Next meeting April 27 at 7 PM. We hope Lon will remain as our liaison.