

HERITAGE COMMISSION MINUTES

May 13, 2019

ATTENDANCE: Anita Creager, Ralph Gerenz, Gigi Jennings. Lon Wood, Chip Pollard and Finlay Rothhaus absent.

MINUTES: This does form a quorum, but not sufficient to approve April minutes.

OLD BUSINESS:

Old Home Signs: Ralph has delivered the two on Fuller Mill Rd. Visited interior and hopes for photos. The one on Joppa Road is erected. Ralph hopes to revisit for photos.

Remaining plaques unknown:

Loop Rd. Chip

DW Highway. Lon

Jennifer Rd. Lon

Harris St. Home at 9 Harris is now occupied. Will require a visit to new homeowners

Griffin St. TBD

See review of all four phases in New Business.

Simon's Rock: Anita. Still waiting to hear from Eileen Cabanel about legal status

Hazen Site: Chip. Not present. No report

Permanent Documents: Anita. Delivered to Town Clerk

Annual Report: Anita. Report to be made at July 25 Town Council Meeting. All members invited.

Community Development: Anita will deliver receipt for copies for reimbursement.

ONGOING BUSINESS:

Sklar property: No activity as yet.

Old King's Highway status: Waiting for Chip to set dates for further walks.

Old Blood and Grater Roads: Waiting to set dates for walks. Reviewed maps.

Other Signs: Waiting to set dates for visits to old schoolhouses and fire stations.

Scavenger Hunt: Hope for fall

Facebook page: Lon. Not present. No report

Historical Home preservation:

Discussed potential homes which we may influence for preservation. We are a resource for homeowners. Reviewed our potential actions in this regard. See notes in New Business.

NEW BUSINESS:

Old Historical Home Plaques: Reviewed master list of all four phases from 1990 to present. Anita has been visiting those from the past to record which signs are actually erected now with current dates. Ralph will visit those on Tinker, Thornton Rd. and LaBlanc Rd. Anita will visit Reeds Ferry area. Boston Post Rd. Bates Rd, Craftsman Lane and Warren Lane in addition to finishing other unfinished areas. Hope to have this complete in next couple weeks. Then we can decide on any action to be taken on missing signs (MANY).

BAE deed review:

Other preservation activities:

Walls. NH Cultural Resources. DES doing project recording locations of all stone walls in NH. Many current ones shown on website [https://NHDES.mrpr, arcgis.com](https://NHDES.mrpr.arcgis.com) (accurate ??) There is a site, EMMIT listing these.

Others: Barns listing those. Another of the oldest/largest trees. And another of culverts. These are all suitable projects for the Commission to get involved with.

NEXT MEETING: June 10.