

Dover Historical Commission Meeting
April 5, 2016
7:00PM --Fireside Room

Call to Meeting to Order--The Meeting was called to order by Jane Moore, the chair, at 7:08 PM.

Present--Jane Moore, Janet Comiskey-Giannini, Richard Eells, Tom Johnson, Stephen Kruskall, Charlotte Surgenor, Paul Tedesco

Candace McMann, Selectmen Liaison Person

Acceptance of the Minutes--The Minutes for the March 9, 2016 were accepted.

Old Business:

210 Claybrook Road—There is no update at this meeting. Concerns were raised that the buyer would just allow the property to lie idle and not make an effort to find a home for the Greek Revival around c.1820-1830's time frame belonging to the Sawin family at 210 Claybrook Road.

Jane said she will call Mar-cia Testa to invite her to the May meeting for an update. Noted also that the purchase price was \$950,000.00.

50 Pine Street—Update—Noticed by a Board member some work being done on the back end of the property.

Brook Sign Project On Streams and Ponds--- Update—A white oval sign with black lettering was agreed on. Tom said he would make a mock-up sign and take pictures to how it would look. The signs would label the Brooks that go under the road. There are 8 streams in Frank Smith's book. Jane stated that if they are placed on Town land only the Selectmen have to approve of the signs and not the Planning Board. Town owns lands adjacent to the streets. Our understanding is that we might be able to have them made by the Highway Dept. sign person. Signs have to be placed in a manner that the snow plows will not hit them.

Historical Map-Library Update—Steve offered to get the maps and store them in the Town Vault. Candace stated that there is a positive attitude from the Selectmen about having the historical maps posted on the walls of the Town House to educate the general public. Historically after the last renovation of the Town House the feeling was that the walls should be plain. Several locations were suggested especially on the lower level that will be present to the Dave Ramsey.

Historical House Markers: ---- Janet was not able to connect with the property group at St Dunstan's church to ask about the Historical House Marker they were given years ago according to Paul, that had never been placed on the building.

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The Historical House Marker for 80 Wilsondale Street was given to Priscilla Jones to give to Dick Malcom, the builder, who did an addition on this property. Janet will submit Angelo Urso's bill for making the sign to the Town payable accountant for payment.

By- Law Rules—Jane stated that she sent letters to the Real Estate Offices in Town to just remind them of the By-Law Rule.

New Business –No new business

Next Meeting--Next Meeting is Tuesday, May 3, 2016.

Adjourn Meeting--Meeting adjourned 8:02PM

Janet Comiskey-Giannini
Dover Historical Commission, Secretary