

Chichester Heritage Commission 54 Main Street Chichester, New Hampshire 03258

FEBRUARY 21, 2019

Members Present::Lucille Noel, Ed Millette, Mardy Friary, Joyce Lemay, Michelle Plunkett, Kate Rafferty-Hall, Ann Davis, Richard Bouchard

January minutes read and accepted. Motions by Kate & Joyce.

Treasurer Report Nothing to report until budget

Update on Free Will Baptist Church (Kelley's Corner Rd.) Rev. Swain was minister 1826-1833. Started by people who lived in the Kelley's Corner area. The Church was bought by Murray Clark (Clark's Trained Bears) in 1950. Julie Patterson is owner of record now.

Webster Mills Signage update Historical Society will pay for this.

Michelle spoke with Mark Hubbard (Dignified Cemetery Services) about Green Space Thank You marker. It will be \$400. They are usually called foot stones. It would be a grey flat marker with polished edges black litho letters 2 ft. x 1 ft x 4 inches thick. Lucille will check with the Charrette Committee.

We also discussed demolition requirements. We will call other towns to see if they have any demo information. Kate & Mardy will call

Michell had to leave @ 7:45. Ann Davis taking minutes

Heritage Commission minutes as of 7:47

Corrections to Main Street brochure - Lucille informed members that Tim (Granite Images) had made several changes to the brochure and asked an insert sheet be printed and added to the current supply of brochures. Kate volunteered to type and copy. After some discussion, Ed offered to take the changes to Granite Images to have them update/correct their file, obtain a proof for Lucille's review and order 250 copies. Everyone agreed.

Programs - Andrew Cushing of the NH Preservation Alliance has a program of interest "Reinvisioning Uses for Buildings" through NH Humanities. Lucille will follow-up for a program date.

Moose Plate Grant for Town Hall signage - Lucille advised the town's proof of insurance is required in order to obtain funds. Ed committed to follow-up with Jodi to send a copy to Amy Dickson.

Spring Clean-up of Main Street - Laurie Littlefield-Baas has offered to coordinate the event to cover Main Street from Rt 4 to Rt 28. It was suggested to hold it close to Earth Day (Apr 22); and to get as many organizations involved as possible - school, scouts, Grange, etc.

Other business -

Joyce will follow-up with the Adams's to attend Mar 21 meeting.

Richard inquired about the true status of "Historic Main Street." Lucille explained that Main Street has not been officially designated as an historic district because of limitations to landowners but there are a number of Main Street properties linked to town and state history.

Adjourned 8:18