

**Hampton Falls Heritage Commission
Draft Minutes for Meeting
August 4, 2020 at 9:07 am**

Roll Call: Beverly Mutrie, Mary Ann Hill, and Phil Chura. Lou Gargiulo is absent.

Minutes from June 2, 2020 were approved upon a motion by Phil, 2nd by Mary Ann. Vote: All in favor
There was no July meeting.

Treasurer's Report: Budget corrected balance: \$1000. No report found at Town Hall.

- a. Balance of Heritage Fund: Heritage Fund increased by \$1000 from Warrant Article.
- b. Payment to DOT of \$343.86 for bridge signs came out of Heritage Fund.
- c. Heritage Fund Balance as of July 31: \$7729.45.

Old Business:

- 1) Phil states that he has about 50 houses to photograph and use drone photography.
- 2) Find the W.B. Boulder.
- 2) Demolition permit for Pelton Farm? Mark S. thinks maybe by late summer. Developer will be in front of ZBA and then PB again.
- 3) Still working on the Survey Booklet.
- 4) We still need alternates or another member. Discussed Jeremy Kachejian of 5 King Street and Scott Faia of Kensington Road as possibilities. Phil or Beverly will connect with them.

New Business:

Mary Ann proposal for map of historic sites that could be put on the web. "Story Map". We can piggy back off of one that Conservation Commission is using. Phil will need to make an excel spreadsheet that contains the address and the GIS coordinates of each house he's done. He can just stand in front of ones that he has not done yet.

Motion: To approve \$50 for the ARC-GIS license to reimburse the Conservation Commission who has already paid by Phil Chura, 2nd by Beverly Mutrie, with Mary Ann Hill concurring.

300th Committee has paid Collin his \$5000 for continuing editing of history book. He is interested in doing a survey of the town's residents to ask about current thoughts.

They still need members and help planning for 2022 activities. They ordered more hats and will be getting more advertising on Facebook and the town's website, etc. We may do a trolley tour for the 2022 celebration.

Other?

Check out short videos at Exeter Historical Society re historical places or things.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5L0yoKSBHp4>

Very clever and encourages people to join the Society.

Phil mentioned that he believed Wendy Harrington said her house and the Lt. Joseph Sanborn house were used by the Underground Railroad. The tunnel went under Exeter Road but caved in.

Motion to Adjourn at 9:46 made by Mary Ann 2nd: Phil and Beverly agreed.

Next meeting on Sept 1 at 9am