Hampton Falls Heritage Commission

Final Meeting Minutes

January 10, 2023

The meeting the previous day was cancelled due to lack of quorum. This meeting was posted and commenced at 9am with Beverly Mutrie, Chair, Mary Ann Hill and Phil Chura, all Commissioners, attending. Lou Gargiulo, Selectman, was absent.

The Minutes from December were approved upon a motion by Phil Chura and seconded by Mary Ann. Beverly also concurred.

Our Budget balance as of January 1 was \$1000 and our Heritage Fund was \$8541.34.

We will be editing and adding information to our Historic Resources Booklet. Abbie Tonry has offered to do objective editing to improve the veracity of the data.

We ask Phil to keep an eye on any changes to our historic homes/resources so that he can photograph changes. This would apply to houses on Lafayette Road, the Powell house, the Gov. Weare house, the Merrill property and others that were recently sold or proposed for development.

Mary Ann found a supplier of flag holders for the two Memorial Bridges. They would cost \$5 apiece at the Traffic Safety Warehouse and are MAST-Flags. Beverly will also search for a supplier.

Beverly has been in touch with Cammi Wagner who still needs an historic house sign done by Adel Signs in Gilmanton. She was asked to contact the proprietor directly as that would be more expedient. We hold her \$135 and will pay that toward a sign when it is completed.

We agreed to change our meeting date to the **second Wednesday at 9 am** due to the large number of postponements due to voting, holidays, etc.

We are still searching for another Commissioner. Phil thought he could entice a lady from the Janvrin Development. Beverly will approach Candi Cote again.

There are several new projects that may be coming on board through the Zoning and Planning Boards.

Mary Ann commented that the School Board's property has been proposed for nature trails and she will be walking it to scope out the wetland crossings.

Beverly has written the annual report for the 2022 Town Report. Phil made a motion to approve it, Mary Ann seconded and all agreed.

The meeting adjourned at 9:35 upon a motion by Mary Ann, seconded by Phil and all voted aye.

Beverly Mutrie, Secretary/Chair

Next meeting will be February 8 at 9 am.