Marshfield Historical Commission Minutes Meeting of July 6th, 2021

Meeting called to order at 7PM in Hearing Room 2 at the Town Hall. Attending were Cindy Castro, Barbara Carney, Kathy Sullivan, Jack Arouca and Norma Haskins and 3 guests.

Demolition Application – 53 Abbey St- Jack O'Leary present for the owners. He explained the plans for this house. After review Cindy made a motion, seconded by Barbara that this house has no historical significance to the Town and we would have no objection to the issuance of a demolition permit. It was voted and passed, unanimously.

Demolition application- 9 Bryant's Lane- After review Cindy made a motion, seconded by Barbara, that this house has no historical significance to the Town and we would no objection to the issuance of a demolition permit. It was voted and passed, unanimously.

Secretary's Report- The minutes of our meeting of June 1st were reviewed. There being no amendments Cindy made a motion, seconded by Barbara, to accept the minutes as prepared. It was voted and passed, unanimously.

Treasurers Report- Cindy reports the laptop we set aside funds for will be donated by the IT dept. Those funds will be returned to the budget which ended June 30th. Our new budget is now in effect.

Training Green- The Marshfield Farmers Market has requested the use of the Training Green for August 13th. This is usual for them as the Fairgrounds are busy in August. Cindy made a motion, seconded by Barbara to allow the use of the green. It was voted and passed, unanimously.

Irish Trail- Kathy reports nothing new on these plans.

Granite Markers- Norma reports the stones are being etched and we will be notified when they are ready to install.

Cindy reports the CPC is having a meeting to discuss future plans. She asked for suggestions she could present. Projects we suggested were restoration of the

Blacksmith Shop, a new fireproof safe for the new office and monies to prepare and publish our new historical markers book.

Inquiries have been coming in on three properties that are on the market that are all on our list of historical properties in Marshfield. These questions are regarding what can and cannot be done and where our Commission will fit in. Those properties are 36 Old Ocean St, 1065 South River St and 189 Summer St. We have answered all their questions. As far as we can see none are candidates for total demolition.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30PM.

Next meeting will be August 3rd.

Respectfully Submitted,

Norma Haskins, Secretary.