Marshfield Historical Commission Minutes

Meeting of August 1, 2023

Meeting called to order at 7PM in the Historical Commission Office. Attending were Cindy Castro, Carolyn Shanley, Michele Campion, Jack Arouca, Kathy Sullivan, Barbara Carney and Norma Haskins.

Demolition- 26 Ames Avenue- After review Cindy made a motion, seconded by Michele, that while this is a historical significant structure due to its style, but based on its condition and that the building to replace it will be of similar style, we would have no objection to the issuance of a demolition permit. It was voted and passed, unanimously.

Demolition- 232 Foster Avenue- 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.

91 Old Colony Lane- No updates at this time.

365 Ocean St- ZBA approved their plans. Conservation to review next. Building slated for removal in September.

Minutes- The minutes of the meeting of July 11th were reviewed. Michele made a motion, seconded by Cindy to accept them as prepared. It was voted and passed, unanimously.

Treasurer's report- Last year's budget is closed, while the remaining balance was \$2,063. Cindy had late bills come in for the three bronze plaques for over \$1500.00. The FY24 budget now in effect has been used to pay for the invitations and the balance remains at \$3,813. (See attachments)

Open House- Invitations are done and being delivered. Plans are well underway for the festivities.

Cemetery letter- No updates at this time.

Concord Coach- Jack reports letter has been prepared (see attached) and being prepared to be sent to Mr. Maresco concerning the coach and its needs. Letter covers the history of the coach, its storage, maintenance and what it needs at this

time. The Town needs to make a decision as to what is to be done to conserve it. There was a brief discussion on the needs of the coach to keep it in good condition. On this coming Sunday it will be open for viewing at the Winslow carriage shed.

Historic Homes List- On hold for now, still being worked on.

Training Green- Mr. Maresco has requested the use of the Training Green to display flags relating to the Opioid crisis on Aug 24, to Sept 2nd. Michele made a motion, seconded by Cindy to allow the use. It was voted and passed, unanimously.

The Congregational Church would like to use the green also for 8/24 to show a movie but that request was sent to the Board of Selectmen, not to us. Cindy to check with them on that.

Law Office Inventory- Norma reports there was an inventory done for the law office in 1977 when it was located at the Winslow House. That inventory needs to be updated as many of those items were removed during the move to the estate. She will work on updating the inventory.

Next meeting will be September 5th starting with a work party at 5PM and the meeting at 7PM.

Cindy made a motion, seconded by Barbara to adjourn the meeting at 7:42PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Norma Haskins, Secretary.







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