

Marshfield Historical Commission Minutes

Meeting of March 3rd, 2015

Meeting called to order at 6:30PM in Hearing Room 3 at the Town Hall. Attending were Otis Carney, Alfred Almeida, David Paliotti, Jim O’Gara, and Norma Haskins.

Demolition Permit Applications- 173 Bay Avenue- Alfred reviewed. This present home is unable to support the second floor plans of the owner, the existing foundation will be replaced with concrete piers. Due to previous renovations not enough of the original house to make it historically significant. Alfred made a motion to that affect. David mentioned that there was an error on the public notice giving the wrong address. Due to that error he made a motion to delay the vote on this permit until the next meeting to properly advertise the property. Alfred seconded the motion, it was voted and passed, unanimously.

527 Ocean Street- Alfred reviewed. This cottage was built in 1950. The owners would like to replace it with a single family home. Alfred made a motion, seconded by Jim that this house has no historical significance to the Town. It was voted and passed, unanimously.

There was a brief discussion of the sale of a historic home in the Marshfield Hills Historic District. The new owners plan to restore, keeping it historically the same.

Secretary’s Report- Minutes of the meeting of February 3rd were reviewed. David made a motion, seconded by Jim to accept the minutes as prepared. It was voted and passed.

Historic Brochure- Discussion postponed to next meeting when Michelle can be here.

Granite Marker- Brief discussion on status. Otis tried to get the company to send us a picture of the completed stone so we can pay the bill. Unable to comply as it is buried in the snow and they can’t find it. Discussion postponed to next meeting.

Law Office- Project stalled due to weather.

Announcements- Notice received from Mass Historical regarding the results of the dig at the airport.

Notice from Dept. of Transportation announcing the replacement plans for the bridge over the Cut River on Beach Street.

Meeting adjourned at 6:45PM.

Next meeting April 7th in Hearing Room 3.

Respectfully submitted,

Norma Haskins
Secretary