



Ware

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Historical Commission
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Meeting Minutes from
November 22, 2021

Meeting took place in the Board of Selectmen Meeting Room, 6:00p.m.

Historical Commission members present: Lynn Lak (Chairman), Kathy Galford, Lorrie Willette, Wanda Mysona, Claudia Kadra, Elena Palladino

Historical Commission members absent:

Public: Gene Theroux

1. Administrative
 - a) Approve minutes from October 25, 2021– Motion by Wanda to accept the minutes as presented; seconded by Claudia. So voted 5/0/0.
 - b) Treasurer's Report – Report is the same, plus a \$7 donation. Motion by Lorrie to accept the Treasurer's Report as presented; seconded by Wanda.
2. Special Projects – Town Hall
 - a) Meeting -Lynn and Claudia and Wanda attended the recent Finance Committee meeting. Lynn reported the offices will be painted in the spring and the tin ceiling in the meeting room will be exposed. The concrete work out front in the courtyard will be done for free.
 - b) Sign - There was discussion on where to put the sign when Pathfinder is done working on it.
3. Old Business & Updates
 - a) New Member – Elena Palladino attended tonight's meeting. Claudia reached out to her to see if she would be interested in becoming a member of the Commission.
 - b) Quabbin Valley Quest – members agreed to make another Point of Interest entry onto the site.
4. New Business
 - a) MA Historic– Claudia attended a meeting discussing preservation plans.
 - b) Wreath and Tree Stroll – this will take place in the Great Hall in early December.
 - c) Display Case – this will be discussed after the holidays.
 - d) Urban Foundation – Tracey Opalinski announced a \$10,000 donation to finish the windows at the Meetinghouse.
 - e) Comments – no comments
 - f) PVPC Reviews – no reviews
5. Mail & Announcements- old photos and a map donation.

6. Adjourn – **Motion** by Lynn to adjourn. Seconded by Claudia. The next meeting will be January 24, 2022.

Respectfully submitted by
Lorrie Willette, Commission Secretary