

TOWN OF MEDWAY COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

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Agenda

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Treasurer,
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Preservation Committee

Bruce Hamblin,

Member

Cher Hamilton, Member

Kathleen Hickey, Member

McKenzie Ward, Member Wednesday, March 4, 2020, 7:30 p.m. Medway Senior Center, 76 Oakland St.

Call to order; check attendance: Gene Liscombe, Cher Hamilton, Jeanne Johnson, Bruce Hamblin, Paul Russell, Kathleen Hickey, Kenzie Ward

- I. Demo Applications and Property Questions -- none as of Feb. 27
- II. Consider minutes of November, January 15, 2020, February
- III. Treasurer's report (Gene)
- IV. CPC report (Gene)
- V. Updates on ongoing projects
 - A. Evergreen Cemetery update (Paul Russell)
- B. List of significant Medway buildings that should have plaques. (Jeanne) Cher was going to prepare a letter to be sent to owners. Kathy and Bruce will refine list and significance. See November minutes for list at that time.
 - C. HS students' future involvement. Any further ideas?
 - D. Tim Rice digitizing photos; continuing?

VI. Other items for discussion

- A. Dog park fence—Jeanne met with Dave D'Amico regarding a map of the park.
- B. Annual Report—Jeanne working on it
- C. Demo Delay on 260 Village Street barn will expire on April 3
- D. Paul--Glass negatives that were auctioned off; Paul attended the auction. Article in Milford Daily News after the auction had more information. (See note below from Feb. agenda)
- VII. Adjourn; next meeting TBD (April 1?) Senior Center, 7:30 p.m.

Aside: On Jan. 20 or 21, Jeanne received a phone call from Gregory Stahl; Mr. Stahl works with businesses in Woburn and Roxbury and is a member of the Wrentham Historical Commission. The Coyle Auction Gallery called him saying they have an estate sale coming up that includes glass slides that may be of interest to historical societies in Franklin, Medway, and Wrentham. Mr. Stahl had no information about the slides other than they were done by an amateur and haven't been seen by anyone he knows of. The owner apparently was affiliated with Wrentham State School. Wrentham's Historical Society disbanded and their artifacts and "stuff" were turned over to the Wrentham Historical Commission and are currently located in the Wrentham Museum. He wondered if Medway and Franklin might be interested in getting together to bid on the slides even though we don't know what is on them.