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**TOWN OF MEDWAY**  
**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**  
**HISTORICAL COMMISSION**

Wednesday, February 22, 2023, 7:00 p.m.  
Medway Senior Center, 76 Oakland Street

**Check attendance;** call meeting to order: Paul Russell, Jeanne Johnson, Cher Hamilton, Eugene Liscombe, Rich Eustis, Isabel Nulter, Annmarie Fontecchio  
Secretary: Justin Tucker  
Guests?

1. Demolition applications to consider- none as of February 17.
2. Minutes: review January 25, prepared by Secretary Justin Tucker
3. Treasurer's report (Gene Liscombe)
4. Report of CPC meetings (Gene Liscombe?)  
Norfolk County Registry of Deeds sent Community Preservation Act (CPA) surcharge amounts for towns: Medway's amount for 2022 is \$112,750.
5. Project updates/discussion (Old Business)
  - A. Evergreen and Oakland Cemeteries –signs? Tombstone repairs?
  - B. Local Historic Districts—still on hold
  - C. Flexible wraps featuring historical Medway scenes around traffic signal boxes (Paul) (Rich)—reports on picture selection, narrative descriptions of pictures, etc.? This Commission selected photos at a special meeting on October 19 at Sanford Hall. This is our “big project” now. Jeanne and Cher are reviewing the narrative that will accompany the Ide House photos.  
D. Signs (cemeteries, Garnsey house foundation, Drybridge Crossing, Ide House, etc.). Isabel and Annmarie are working on this, and they have gathered information for the two signs suggested at Jan. 25 meeting. They will report and discuss completion of the projects.  
Ide House  
Henry Garnsey Homestead
  - E. Update on Ishmael Coffee pocket park proposed by realtor Paul Yorkis?
6. New Business
  - A. Annual Town Meeting is May 8; deadline for articles was yesterday, Feb. 21. Do we have a “placeholder” for requesting funding of 1) signs and 2) cemetery repair projects?
  - B. People are letting their dogs play in the historic part of the dog park, which is the Henry Garnsey House Foundation site. Paul Russell and Annmarie Fontecchio suggest we vote on placing a sign ASAP. DPW had said they would install a sign but have not done so.
  - C. Ide House: committee formed yet by Select Board?

7. Adjourn

Next meeting: scheduled for 4th Wednesday, March 22, 2023, 7:00 at the Senior Center.