

TOWN OF WESTWOOD



COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS WESTWOOD HISTORICAL COMMISSION

January 21, 2020

Attendees: Nancy Donahue, Commission Member; Jack Patterson, Commission Member; Margaret Rustrian, Commission Member

Absentees: Lura Provost, Marilyn Freedman

- Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 8:11 p.m.
- We reviewed the minutes from the previous meeting on November 12, 2019. Jack made a motion to approve the minutes. Margaret seconded the motion. The minutes were unanimously approved.
- We discussed the upcoming program to be presented by the Norfolk County Register of Deeds, William O'Donnell on February 6, 2020. We agreed that we need to publicize the event to ensure that we get good attendance. Jack suggested that we look into robocalling residents. Could the town do a call similar to what they do on election days?
- We reviewed the proposed updates to the Comprehensive Plan. We discussed some of the suggested enhancements including:
 - Surveying properties for submission to the National Historic Register for listing
 - Extending the Demolition Delay bylaw
 - Pursue rehabilitation and reuse of the Obed Baker House
 - Install scenic road signs and historic plaques
- We discussed having a table at Town Meeting so that we could offer Ciardi prints and notecards for sale.
- Agreement on February 25, 2020 as the next meeting date.
- A motion was made to adjourn. The motion was seconded and unanimously approved. Meeting adjourned at 9:20 P.M