

Town of Sutton
Historic Commission Meeting Minutes
March 26th, 2019

Meeting Started at 7:03 p.m.

Members Present:

Keith Downer – Chairman
Wally Baker – Member
Paul Dunn – Member
Mark Brown – Pre` Sworn Alt Member

Members Absent:

Mark Kellogg – Clerk
Donna Rossio – Member
Rochelle Forsythe – Alt. Member

Review and Approve Minutes:

Minutes from the February 26th, 2019 meeting were voted and approved. Mark Brown sustained from voting, due to not being a sworn member.

Public forum: None.

Public hearing: None.

Open Discussion: Mark Brown informed the Commission that as of this date he has not been sworn in by the Town Clerk, he plans on doing so this week. A citizen petition for Barn Re-use, an article presented for Town Meeting was discussed and several concerns were raised regarding lighting, parking, and noise level. The article is scheduled for discussion with the Planning Board on 4-8-19 and Wally Baker will update the Commission with the results at our next scheduled meeting.

Old Business: Manchaug Historic District certificates were discussed, Wally Baker suggested we use a painting by Linda Sinacola as a back shadow of the Certificates and he would supply that view to Keith Downer. A meeting with Rochelle and Keith will take place next week to finalize.

New Business: A reminder of the Annual Employee Conflict of Interest training, members were instructed to complete the training. Wedgewood Farm, an independent living project was viewed for public way names. After a brief discussion of the layout and location there was no historical impact found and all submitted names of the project roads were approved as submitted for review.

Announcements / Correspondence: Paul Dunn informed the members of a scheduled presentation regarding “Stone Walls of New England” and felt all members would benefit by attending this Historical Society presentation on 4-2-2019.

Meeting adjourned. At 8:01PM

Respectfully Submitted:



Keith Downer, Chair