



CITY OF LACONIA HERITAGE COMMISSION

April 10, 2019

MINUTES

- I. Call to Order:** Jane Whitehead called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.
- II. Present:** J. Whitehead (Chair), D. Duffy, M. Boudman, C. Tokarz, M. Haynes
Absent: M. Sweet
Staff: D. Wood (recording the meeting)
- III. Minutes:** The Minutes of the meeting on March 13, 2019 were reviewed. M Boudman made a motion to approve the Minutes. C. Tokarz seconded the motion, and it was approved unanimously.
- IV. City Council Liaison Report:** Mark Haynes said there were 2 public hearings for short-term rentals. Dean Trefethen, Director Planning and Code, is still working on the particulars.
- V. Planning Board Update:** Nothing to report.
- VI. Lakeshore Redevelopment Commission meeting, April 9, 2019:** J. Whitehead said she attended the meeting which focused on plans for the athletic fields. She said Hunden Strategic Partners was doing a marketing study on building a major sports complex, and there should be a preliminary report after 5-6 weeks. J. Whitehead said on April 17, 2019 at 10 am, the Lakeshore Redevelopment Commission was going to visit the agricultural buildings and perhaps some Heritage Commissioners would be interested in going
- VII. Old Business:**
 - A. Committee to research buildings on former Laconia State School property:** This will be discussed at the May meeting.
 - B. Date for photographing Laconia buildings:** C. Tokarz said the date will be decided when the snow is gone and before leaves come out.
- VIII. New Business:**
 - A. Wayne Hackett, Lakeport United Baptist Church:** Wayne Hackett, who is a native of Laconia/Lakeport, talked about the history of the church (which is on the National Register of Historic Places) and the maintenance problems they are presently facing.

B. Upcoming Meetings: Upcoming meetings: J. Whitehead said the following 2 meetings in May might be of interest to Heritage Commissioners.

1. Lakes Region Heritage Commissions, May 18, 10:00-12:00, Wolfeboro Train Station
2. New Hampshire Preservation Alliance, May 31, 8:30 AM – 7:30 PM, Littleton Opera House

IX. News from Lakes Region Heritage Commissions (Moultonborough, Belmont, Center Harbor): Jane said news from various commissions may be helpful to our commission.

X. Public Comments: None

XI. Adjournment: D. Duffy moved to adjourn. M. Boudman seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved. The meeting was adjourned at 6:25 p.m.