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EAST LYME HISTORIC PROPERTIES COMMISSION  
MEETING MINUTES AUGUST 17, 2015  
EAST LYME TOWN HALL 700 PM

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Members Present: L. Lange, S. Mark-Hamilton, R. Waterman, B. Hobby, B. Murphy, M. Christensen, M. Prokop, B. Johnson Low

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EAST LYME TOWN CLERK

1. ADDITIONS TO AGENDA

2. PUBLIC DELEGATIONS

Joanie De Martino" Ex Dir of the Smith Harris House - Spoke of: Friends of Smith Harris participation in STEPS, a state-wide program for Board participation and training; creating an "office" for Mr. Avery; reviewing other historic events; and SPIRIT VOICES, a three house sponsored event to be conducted in the Old Stone Church Cemetery. Will be a historical program of people buried there. October 16 & 17, 3 tours each night starting at 530 PM. That Smith-Harris House will be open Columbus Day for tours.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – July 20, 2015 2 abstentions – R. Waterman – S. Marks-Hamilton Unanimous

4. Up date of Samuel Smith House – M, Christensen presented a picture of the proposed sign, which was approved by Friends of S. Smith, approved by the Town Zoning. Understanding that a small attachment will hang beneath it stating day and hours of being open. Discussion of whether it should have a scallop shell attached. Motion to approve S. Marks-Hamilton – B. Johnson Low unanimous. R. Waterman raised questions re: the raised bed garden – Rotary funded, fencing and maintenance.

5. NIAN TIC RIVER BRIDGE - Art Project is progressing and in the hands of Al Sher.

6. ARCHAEOLOGICAL PROJECT - first phase is being completed and a second phase is in the process. Re: Mary Dunn , L. Lange and the CT Trust for Preservation.

7. CIA and Governor's Budget – no word some parts may go to CT Bonding

8. COMMISSIONS PUBLICATION – M. Christensen spoke briefly on the process of the Scenic Roads.

9. Thomas Lee submitted at letter of request to pursue replacing the cedar shingle roof, just as it is now. Motion to approve B. Johnson Low – M. Christensen unanimous.

10. REPORTS - M. Christensen reported on a proposed for a Bike Ride in the fall of 2016, in conjunction with other Boards, Commission etc.

11. EAST LYME HOUSE INVENTORY – the Board processed 30 more houses on the inventory 110-145

Meeting to adjourn – M. Christensen – S. Marks-Hamilton unanimous

Respectfully submitted – Elizabeth H. Murphy, Secretary