

MINUTES FOR THE HOPKINTON VILLAGE PRECINCT MEETING

MAY 16, 2019

In Attendance: Diana Wieland, Chair

Candace Youngman, Budget Comm. Rep., Clerk

Nick Casolaro, Commissioner

Thomas Lipoma, Commissioner

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm by Commissioner Wieland.

Motion was made to approve the minutes from the April 18, 2019 HVP Meeting with one correction regarding the parade date, amending to July 4th, by Commissioner Wieland and seconded by Commissioner Lipoma.

Craig Dunning was in attendance. He spoke as a representative for the Hopkinton Historical Society. As a Board Member, Craig shared the interest of the Historical Society to accept the duty and responsibility of the Fire House. Upon his investigation of the Fire House, Craig compiled and reviewed a list of questions with the HVP Commissioners regarding the Fire House Property: deed, property lot plan, zoning on property, ownership/inventory and appraisal of contents/historical value (Hook & Ladder Wagon, Pumper Truck, records), maintenance on building, HVP's cost of ownership, restrictions/expectations of usage, transfer costs, time line, public notice and meetings....

Discussion ensued with Craig Dunning and the HVP Commissioners regarding all questions and further investigation will be done to verify and confirm all details.

Commissioner Lipoma reviewed the HVP Zoning Laws and the process to bring them into compliance with new State Statutes. Tom will work with Karen Robertson, Planning Director for the Town of Hopkinton, to identify changes to be made.

Commissioner Wieland will verify authority to accept gifts/conduct fund raising as an option for the cleaning of the HVP Clock on the First Congregational Church. Diana will also check town records regarding the Fire House.

Commissioner Casolaro will check the registry of deeds for the deed and title for the HVP Fire House property.

Commissioner Wieland adjourned the meeting at 8:35 pm, seconded by Commissioner Lipoma.

THE NEXT HVP MEETING will be held on June 20, 2019 at 7:30pm at Hopkinton Town Hall.

APPROVED:

Diana Wieland

Nick Casolaro

Thomas Lipoma

