



TOWN OF ACUSHNET

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Meeting: AUGUST 20, 2019 - Pauline Texeira presiding

In attendance: Madelin Gwzodz, Robert Hall, D. Eric Whitlock

Meeting Called to Order at 6:30pm by: Robert Hall, Seconded: Madeline Gwzodz

This Meeting is being audio and video taped.

Motion to Accept May 2019 Minutes: D. Whitlock, 2nd: Madeline Gwzodz

Motion to Accept June 2019 Minutes: R. Hall, 2nd: D. Whitlock

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Pauline passed around photos she had taken of the antique cars that had come to the Car Show held on August 11, 2019 at the Friends Meeting House. A lot of cars did come to the show and it was a gorgeous day.
2. No response has been received, to date, from Betsy Friedberg (of the MHC) as had been requested. It was pertaining to what the MHC thought about the roof line being changed at the Perry Hill Church during it's prior reconstruction. The roof line hadn't been changed but internal photos appeared to reflect that a change had taken place, when in fact an internal ceiling had been removed. If need be, a replacement ceiling can be installed if money is available and required?

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Sometime in the very near future we will be receiving from the Mattapoisett Historical Society both a Sleigh and a Grass Cutter. Both of these items are to be placed at the Meeting House with the Sleigh being inside the shed and the Grass Cutter outside under a cover.
2. Eric had presented a local newspaper artical about a neighboring town's Historical

Commision deciding to start to beautification project of their town's cemetarys. This might be something that this Commision might want to do? Not cutting grass but cleaning off the growth that has started to appear on the various stones. Two of our Commision members has already used the following product on their family stones with great success. The product is called "Wet-It and Forget-It" and all one has to do to use it is to mix it in the appropriate portions as described on the bottle, spray the solution on the stone and in a week or two the growth just falls off. If approved by the governing body the overlooks the cemetarys we could start this project next Spring. No harm does come to the stones where it has been used. and no new groth has appeared.

3. Eric did present a copy of the Town approved brochue for visitors to view the Meeting House and in that brochure it states that work had been approved for the replacement building of the carriage sheds that were once located there. \$20k in funds were allocated for engineering plans in the past and Pauline will be acquiring copies of them for our next meeting.

OTHER BUSINESS:

1. None at this time.

Meeting adjourned: 6:55pm

Next Meeting: September 17, 2019

Recording Secretary: D. Eirc Whitlock

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