



Chelmsford Historical Commission (CHC)

February 14, 2023 Meeting Minutes

Present: Deb Taverna - Chairman, Fred Merriam, Linda Prescott, Jeff Merrill, and Dave Vigeant

Ms. Taverna called the meeting to order at 7:36 pm.

Public Comment: None

Pre-Demolition Requests:

116 Riverneck Road – The Commission received the inventory for this building and voted unanimously to allow demolition.

House Signs

The Commission discussed 62 Gorham Street and would prefer to not do a sign as all historic features are gone. 42 Groton Road -Ms. Prescott has determined the date to be 1910 and it is the Amelia Marinel House. 7 Ripley was built in 1906 and it is the Fred Gaudette House. 160 Middlesex Street – Ms. Prescott has almost completed the research for this sign. 24 Sprague – Mr. Prescott is completing the research for this sign. Mr. Merrill will order signs for those that the dates and historical owners have been determined. Mr. Merrill delivered the sign for 94-96 Middlesex Street. been researching the records on 62 Gorham Street. Mr. Merrill reported that he will install the sign at 96 Middlesex Street. He needs the contact information for the bowling alley.

Historic District Updates:

The District approved the QR codes the Historical Commission has been working on.

Budget:

There is \$1200.00 remaining for signs, etc. and \$521.15 for clerical.

Calls, emails and letters: None

Local Certified Government: No report

Historic Preservation = What Can We Do: No Report

Approval of Minutes: No minutes were available for approval.

Agenda for the March 2023 meeting was set and meeting was adjourned at 9:00 P.M.