

Historic Preservation Commission (HPC)

January 8, 2018 Minutes

Meeting called to order at 7:30 pm.

Roll Call

Present

Reshmee Cuman
Carol Greene
Anne Powley
Yvonne Beatrice
Deborah Grob

Absent

Jack Bolan, excused
Randy Brewster
Gus Vasiliadis
Ron Wohlberg, excused
Barbara Shanley, excused
Karen Fasouletos

Sunshine Law: The secretary read the Sunshine Law.

Flag Salute

Public Session: No members of the public were present.

Minutes: Mrs. Powley moved to approve the December 4, 2018 minutes as read and Mrs. Beatrice seconded the motion. All approved.

Vote: 5 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain: Cuman, yes; Greene, yes; Powley, yes; Beatrice, yes; Grob, yes.

Chair’s Report:

Bergen County Historic Grant: Mrs. Grob reported that the Bergen County Historic Grant application is complete, it just needs the signatures of the Township Business Administrator and CFO and certified by the Municipal Clerk. She will bring the application to Town Hall on January 10, 2018 for the signatures and then mail the application.

Committee Reports:

Moffatt Road Cemetery: No report at this time.

Vanderbeck Cemetery: No report at this time.

Carmelite Retreat: No report at this time.

Darlington School House: No report at this time.

Mahwah Museum: No further report at this time.

Street Names: None at this time.

Quackenbush Barn: Mrs. Powley reported that she had contacted, DPW Buildings and Grounds Foreman, Tony Iannacone, regarding the spring delivery of the gravel to be distribution around the Quackenbush Barn.

Applications:

Docket #589--, Bl 110.01, Lot 7, 440 Franklin Turnpike, Mahwah. It was determined that this property has no historic significance. Mrs. Beatrice made a motion to approval Docket 589 because it has no historic significance, and Mrs. Powley seconded the motion. All approved.

Vote: 5 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain: Cuman, yes; Greene, yes; Powley, yes; Beatrice, yes; Grob, yes.

Docket #586, Block 156, Lots 8, 28 Turners Lake Drive, Mahwah. It was determined that this minor sub-division does not indicate that any structures will be demolished. Mrs. Greene made a motion to approve Docket 586, stating that no structures are marked for demolition and Mrs. Beatrice seconded the motion. All approved.

Vote: 5 yes, 0 no, 0 abstain: Cuman, yes; Greene, yes; Powley, yes; Beatrice, yes; Grob, yes.

New Business: None at this time.

General Discussion: Mrs. Powley asked if the HPC could submit an article about Ms. Renee Cantor's Girl Scout Gold Award project and the HPC's joint grant application with the Mahwah Museum to refurbish the Mahwah Train Station location, to the Township for the Spring Newsletter, and all agreed it would be appreciated.

Mrs. Green moved to adjourn the HPC meeting and Mrs. Beatrice seconded the motion. All approved.

These minutes are a synopsis of the MHPC tapes, which are on file at the Township Municipal Building.

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