

# *Royalston Historic District Commission*

*Royalston, Massachusetts, 01368*

## Meeting Minutes

Date: May 21, 2020

Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, this meeting was held remotely. It took place on a FreeConferenceCall.com session hosted by the secretary. The call-in information was posted with all meeting notices. The written material had been distributed by e-mail. All votes were taken by roll call.

Attendees: Peter Kraniak (chair), Bob Casinghino, Pierre Humblet (secretary), Roger O'Donnell. All were active voters.

Peter called the meeting to order at 7:35pm.

### New applications

2020-05-1 Applications by the Town of Royalston to replace the shingles on the Raymond School Town Hall. This is essentially a continuation of application 2020-03-1 that was rejected at the May meeting only because it was incomplete. This application mentions the shingles type and color, which are of the kind outlined by Tom Musco. Roger noted that the current valleys are made of copper, and the new ones will not be so. That difference is not striking and the HDC had not requested that they be made of copper.

Roger motioned to accept the application and to approve it using the accelerated procedure (i.e. the chair will only sign it if no abutters request a public hearing with 10 days of having been notified), as the conditions we had specified in May were satisfied. Peter seconded. All voted in favor.

### Minutes

The members read the minutes of the March meeting. Bob motioned to approve them as read. Pierre seconded. All voted in favor except Roger who abstained as he was not present in March. The members then read the minutes of the April meeting. Roger motioned to approve them as read. Peter seconded. All voted in favor except Bob who abstained as he was not present in March.

### Meeting adjourned

Roger motioned to close the meeting. Bob seconded. Peter closed the meeting around 7:51 PM.



Pierre A. Humblet  
RHDC Secretary