

Royalston Historic District Commission

Royalston, Massachusetts, 01368

Meeting Minutes

Date: July 20, 2017

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

Public Hearing

At 7:33 PM Peter opened the public hearing on applications 2017-06-1 (Monument top) and 2017-06-2 (Flagpole). No member of the public asked any question. Peter then closed the meeting.

Regular meeting

Peter opened the meeting at 7:34

Minutes: The members read the minutes of the June meeting. They were amended to add the names of the member who abstained. Clarence motioned to approve the amended minutes. Bob seconded. All voted in favor except Pierre and Roger who abstained as they were absent in June.

Old application: Application 2017-06-1 from the Common Renovation Committee to add a decorative urn on top the monument. After going on site and viewing a cardboard mock-up of the project, Clarence (chair of the CRC) amended the application to add a circular base about 13" in diameter and 2" 1/8 thick underneath the urn. Bob motioned to approve the amended application. Pierre seconded. All voted in favor except Clarence who abstained.

Application 2017-06-2 from the Common Renovation Committee to replace the flagpole with a taller one. Roger motioned to approve the application as written. Bob seconded. All voted in favor except Clarence who abstained.

Application 2017-06-3 from George Krasowski to renovate the patio in the rear of the house at 11 on the Common. After a short discussion, Pierre motioned to approve the application as written. Clarence seconded. All voted in favor except Roger who abstained as the project used PVC trim.

Other Commission matters:

Historic District boundary signs. Members will approach Rick Carrier to press him to complete the manufacture of extra signs.

Meeting adjourned

Pierre made a motion to close the meeting. Roger seconded. Approval was unanimous. Peter closed the meeting at 8:20 PM.

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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "P.A. Humblet". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Pierre Humblet,
RHDC secretary