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October 6, 2022
7:00 p.m.
Little Red Shop Museum
12 Hopedale Street, Hopedale Massachusetts

THIS IS A HYBRID MEETING – IN PERSON AND VIA ZOOM LINK BELOW

On July 16, 2022, Lt. Governor Polito, as Acting Governor, signed into law An Act Extending Certain COVID-19 Measures Adopted During the State of Emergency. (1) This meeting will be a hybrid meeting – in person and via Zoom link below.

If you wish to speak, please reserve comments until the Public Comment section of the meeting. If you are using video, you may either raise your hand to be acknowledged by the Chair or use the “Raise Your Hand” button. Please wait to speak until you are acknowledged by Chair. If participants cannot conduct themselves in accordance with these guidelines, they will be removed from meeting.

Also Streamed Live, click here: https://townhallstreams.com/towns/hopedale_ma

Town of Hopedale is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Historical Commission Monthly Meeting
Time: 7 p.m.

Join Zoom Meeting
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83881400145?pwd=VWFnc3hVeGU3WU85SmQrUWVFaUp5QT09>

Meeting ID: 838 8140 0145
Passcode: 821508

Call to Order and attendance - Jonathan

Minutes from May, June, August, September HHC monthly meetings; and June and July HHC Special meetings - Sue C

Treasurer’s Report – Sue C. and James O.

- **Expenses**
 - Furnace filters – purchased – Sue C. – request for reimbursement
 - Scanner – purchased – Sue C. – request for reimbursement
 - Grand Properties Exhibit – Bev Carver – request for reimbursement

Treasurer's Report - continued

- **Expenses** - continued
 - Flagpole light repair – Sue C. – suggestion to split the invoice between LRSM maintenance expenses and the LRSM donations account
- **Donations**

Old Business

- Follow-up with engineering firm regarding structural concerns – no update
- Installation of NPS signs - update
- SHRAB Regrant – update – Sue C.
- Potential Donation of remaining looms at SSE in our charge - update
- **Scanner** – need someone to tryout the new scanner
- Follow-up with Eric Breitreutz, BRVNHP Superintendent, regarding Gale Moisture Study and Preservation Restriction Agreement between MHC and Town of Hopedale – Sue C.
- **Signs at Green Store** – Bev Carver offered to reach out to the new owner
- Request for Harvey trash and recycling containers for the Museum – delivered yet? – Sue C.
- **Day in the Park** – update – Sue C.
- **Museum Volunteer Field Trips** – Pat G.
- **Accession + Deaccession policies** update – Jonathan, James O., and Sue C.
- **Deed-of-Gift** update – Sue C.
- **Adin Ballou Park** – Bocce Court – deed located - update – Sue C.
- William Efron and Camille Kalash – **loom donations** – update – Sue C.
- **Ambassador Draper's Steamer Trunk (Italy)** – donation update
- **BHC Grant** - Bike Repair Station, Bike Rack, and signage for LRSM – Sue C.

New Business

- Capital Planning/ARPA (American Rescue Plan Act) – ideas?
- LRSM **Wayside Panel Project** and Banner – volunteer(s)
- FoHH **Winter Stroll** – December 3rd – 12-6 – help needed (The Cocoa Crawl is back!)
- FoHH purchase of new items for the **LRSM Gift Shoppe** – Sue C.
- **Community Preservation Act Committee** to be established – need representative from the Historical Commission
- **Double-door threshold repair** – update Pat G. and James O.
- Donation of **Edwin Darling Desk** – Sue C.
- **Lawrence J Heron Chapter 6 Plaque Donation** to Hopedale's Little Red Shop Museum – Sue C. (Wed. Oct. 12th?)
- Linda Hixon **program on Draper workers** at LRSM – planned for Sunday, October 16th – 1:30 p.m. (incl. her new book)
- Bicentennial Draper Park Bench (Milford) and flag flown on Milford's Main Street – donated a decade ago by the late Dana Simmons

Public Comment

Other items not anticipated in the last 48 hours

Next meeting: Thursday, November 3, 2022, 7 p.m.

Adjourn

(1) This Act includes an extension, until March 31, 2023, of the remote meeting provisions of March 12, 2020, Executive Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law. Section (1) of the executive order allowing public access through adequate, alternative means is independent from Section (2), which allows members of the public body to participate remotely. The public body may conduct its proceedings under the relief provided in section (1) or (2) or both.