

Community Preservation Committee

July 8, 2009 – 7:00 P.M.

TOWN OF HANOVER

The following minutes are from the meeting of the Hanover Community Preservation Committee July 8, 2009.

The following Committee members were present: Wally Kemp, William Scarpelli, Gary Young, Jeffery Puleo, and April Manupelli. CPC Coordinator, Margaret Hoffman was also present.

William Scarpelli acting as chairman for the evening opened the hearing at 7:05 p.m. April made a motion to hold off voting on the minutes of the June 10, 2009 meeting until their next meeting. Gary seconded the motion and it was so voted unanimously.

The Committee discussed the progress on the project at 635 Center Street. Jeff Puleo offered to ask his architectural firm if some of the interns at the firm would be able to do some pro bono work on the project. The Coordinator will send more information about the project to Jeff.

The Committee discussed an email that the Coordinator received from Jeffrey Oliveira. Mr. Oliveira is concerned about children traveling to and from the new athletic fields being built on King Street and has asked the Committee to consider the need for sidewalks near that site. The Committee suggested that Mr. Oliveira contact Victor Diniak, DPW Director with these concerns.

Bill brought up the idea of preserving the historical nature of some of the buildings in Town. He discussed the Sylvester Hardware building on Columbia Road and asked if there was some way to ensure that the building continue to maintain its historic characteristics.

Wally asked the Coordinator to continue working on the draft of the Open Space Trust language for the Open Space Committee's next meeting in August.

Gary made a motion to adjourn at 8:00 p.m. Wally seconded the motion and it was so voted unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by:

Margaret Hoffman

Community Preservation Coordinator