HANOVER CULTURAL COUNCIL

Minutes of Meeting February 1, 2021 Via Zoom

Members present: Karen Cass, Derek Schipper, Meghan Walsh, Diane Campbell, Rachel Hughes, Diane

Sawin, Chris Haraden

Guests: State Rep. David DeCoste

Meeting called to order at 7:00

Hanover Day funding. Council members met with state Rep. David DeCoste regarding the potential for a provision in the FY22 state budget for Hanover Day 2022.

Review of FY20 grant program and updates. Members reviewed the grants made in FY20 and acknowledged that because of pandemic restrictions, some programs were not able to occur and funding was not used. The chairperson will coordinate with town hall on making sure that all reimbursements are processed in a timely way.

Review and discussion of FY21 grant requests. Members discussed each grant application and voted on funding requests. A full list of applications, dollar amounts, and approval/denial status is incorporated into these minutes.

Hanover Day 2021. The Council discussed the probability that Hanover Day would not be possible for the second year in June. The town manager had suggested that there might be a possibility of holding a fall event (under the Hanover Day banner?) if pandemic restrictions allow.

Meeting adjourned at 9:00