

MENDON HISTORICAL COMMISSION

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MEETING DATE	March 4, 2019
LOCATION	<u>Town Hall</u>
STATUS	approved 1/17/22

PRESENT: Lynne Roberts, Dan Byers, Janice Muldoon Moors, Tom Merolli

1. Miscoe Springs Update

Nothing to report.

2. Tree removal in Cemeteries

After surveying the Locust Hill Cemetery tree damage the Commission will review the remaining cemeteries to see where additional problems exist and follow up with the Tree Warden to decide how to manage removal of dead trees that could potentially fall on the grave stones.

3. Eagle Scout project update

The Eagle Scout who is working at the Locust Hill cemetery continues removal of overgrowth around the perimeter of the cemetery. A section of the gate has been removed for repair. He will keep the Commission updated on his progress.

4. Records Room

Lynne is waiting to hear back from the Town Administrator to connect the Commission with Town Counsel so we can resolve several items including the land donation for the records room.

5. Preservation Plan

Kathy was looking into the viability of writing a Preservation Plan for the Town. It would require hiring a professional to create the plan. The Town Administrator is recommending waiting until a Town Planner is hired and requesting that preservation planning be completed by that person.

6. Little Nipmuc Island

Dan has done some research on the island in Lake Nipmuc. His understanding from the research is that the town does own that land. He will speak to the Board of Selectmen about placing it under the Parks Department.

7. Olney Cook Shop windows

Anne Mazar asked if the lexan covers for the windows at the Olney Cook had been completed. She would like to close the CPA account.

Meeting was closed at 8.40pm