

Appendix A – CPA Preliminary Proposal

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1-A Applicant Information

Last Name: Theall	First Name: Aubrey
Organization(s)(as appropriate) Groton Historical Commission	

1-B Regional Project? YES NO If YES, Town/Organization:

2 Submission Date: 10/24/2024

3 Applicant Address

Street: 197 Maple Avenue	City: Groton	State: MA	Zip: 01450
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4 Phone: 617-314-5755 Email: aubreytheall@hotmail.com

5 CPA Purpose (Check all that apply)

Affordable Housing: <input type="checkbox"/>	Community Housing: <input type="checkbox"/>	Historic Preservation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Open Space: <input type="checkbox"/>	Recreation: <input type="checkbox"/>	

As per MA General Law Chapter 44B, proposed historic projects that are not on the structures listed on the state's Registry of Historic Places require a determination by the Groton Historic Commission that the proposed project is of historic significance.

6 Project Address/Property Owner's Name: N/A

7 Project Name: Prescott Family Educational Project

8 Community Preservation Plan Objectives – Use codes from SECTION 5 to indicate all that apply

This project conforms with 5.13: " Develop economic and education strategies that capitalize on historic and archeological resources. Make information on Groton' s cultural and historic character, buildings, districts, cemeteries and other heritage treasures widely available to residents and visitors in attractive and easily understood formats"

9 Proposal Basic Description

The Prescott Family is one of the most notable families in Groton history. There are numerous Groton landmarks that testify to the family's significance. With the 250th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence approaching this is an opportune time for the Historical Commission to work with a qualified external vendor to pull together all available information into a single multimedia presentation for the purposes of educating the public and better publicizing Groton's role in the American Revolution and early days of the Republic.

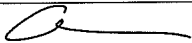
A significant amount of existing research is available to help bolster this effort, much by Historical Commissioner Joshua Vollmar. The vendor will amalgamate all existing research and conduct new research on a limited scope to fill gaps in the narrative of the Prescott family's significance, before creating an engaging presentation of the material. The Historical Commission would endeavor to have this presentation available prior to the 250th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 2026.

Cost is roughly estimated at \$50,000. A Request for Proposals from qualified firms would be conducted as required and that estimate refined prior to final application.

Initial Estimated CPA Cost

\$50,000

10 Signature

Applicant Signature: 	Date: 10/22/2024
Co-Applicant Signature:	Date:
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