

TOWN OF GROTON

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Office of the: Historic Districts Commission

MINUTES

Regular Meeting Tuesday, JULY 25, 2017

Town Hall 1st floor meeting room 7:30 PM

Identify members present. PB, EC, MG, LM (@ 7:35P), GP, GW

Open at 7:31P

GW nominated PB for chairman, GP 2nd, vote: unanimous.

7:35P 282 Farmers Row – Groton School: application for a Certificate of Appropriateness to construct five 2 car garages at faculty residences at: 281, 284, 287 & 295 Farmers Row and at 98 Joy Lane; votes may be taken. Attorney Collins presenting,2 garages are replacements, 3 are new construction, design is traditional, all will be painted to match the associated houses (4 white, 1 gray), GW motion to approve the replacement garages (with cut sheets to be submitted) as presented at #284 Farmers Row & #98 Joy Lane, PB 2nd, vote – unanimous. Site walk scheduled for 6:30p prior to Aug public hearing for new construction garages – locations to be staked by Thurs. 8/10/17 for members to observe if so desired, submit cut-sheets for various details (windows, doors, roofing, lighting, gutters etc).

LM recused

walk-in <u>Powderhouse Road / High Street</u> – Lawrence Academy: Attorney Robert Collins present & providing a letter to the HDC recapping the road status (for the files) & verification that it is a private way.

LM returned

walk-in <u>142 B Main Street</u>: application for a Certificate of Appropriateness for replacement windows, Peter Schultz presenting, Pella 2/2, black, old storms to be removed, trim (if rotted) to be replaced in kind, LM motion to approve as presented, MG 2nd, vote – unanimous.

Members question how HDC building permit applications will be identified & referred to HDC within the new software process. They inquire if an HDC approval requirement might be added to the checklist process.

LM recused

walk-in <u>36 Main Street - Lawrence Academy</u>: building permit application for chimney replacement identified as needing HDC review, GP motion to approve <u>IF</u> replacement is in-kind; if not, must come to the August meeting, GW 2nd, vote – unanimous.

LM returned; Minutes: 6/20/17, approved with corrections.

Adjourned: 8:50P