

North Prospect- Lincoln-Sunset Local Historical District Study Committee Meeting
3:00 pm, April 10 2017
2nd Floor Library, Planning Department, Town Hall

PRESENT: Maurianne Adams, Steve Bloom, Suzannah Fabing, Philip Shaver, Brandon Toponce (Planning Department).

ABSENT: Bill Gillen, Ann Sutliff, Ed Wilfert.

GUESTS: Sean McWilliams

1. Announcements and Minutes:

A) Minutes of prior meeting were approved without comment.

B) Handouts: Endorsement letter from the Amherst Historical Commission; Planning Board Majority Report on Article 25; Planning Board Minority Report on Article 25, Letter responding to the Planning Board Minority Report drafted by Steve Bloom; First draft of narrative for PowerPoint presentation for Town Meeting.

2. Final Study Report

A) An updated map of the proposed LHD needs to be inserted into the report as does the revised chronology in the appendix section. Some updated, corrected Form Bs are still outstanding.

3. Preparations For Town Meeting

A) The letter of endorsement from the Amherst Historical Commission was read aloud as were brief comments to be made before Town Meeting by Tom Ehrgood, chair of the Amherst Historic District Commission which administers the Dickinson LHD.

B) The Study Committee reviewed and revised the text and visuals at great length for its planned PowerPoint presentation at Town Meeting, which is scheduled for May 1. Discussion of how to coordinate the Committee's presentation with comments slated to be made by the Committee's two guest expert speakers, Max Page and Laura Lovett.

C) The content for a proposed op-ed in the support of the LHD hopefully to appear in the April 28 edition of the *Amherst Bulletin* was discussed. Suzannah and Phil will draft, assisted by Maurianne. Steve will contact the *Bulletin* about information for submission.

D) Maurianne volunteered to represent the Committee on the bus tour for Town Meeting members as well as at all of the remaining warrant article review meetings, except for the one on April 24 at Crocker Farm Elementary School, which Steve will attend.

3. Next Meeting(s)

A) Wednesday, April 19, 2017 at 3:30 P.M.

4. Adjournment

A) Meeting adjourned at approximately 4:41 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Steven Bloom, Clerk
cc: LHDSC; Brandon Toponce