

## Wareham Historical Commission Meeting Notice and Agenda Wareham Town Hall-Room 24 Wednesday-May 2, 2018 6:30 p.m.

Present: Angela Dunham, chair, Len Boutin, vice chair, Cheryl Knapp, clerk, Barbara Smith. Pam Foley &

Kay Naylor, excused absence

Guests: Gary Franklin, former WHC member, Ken Buckland Town Planner, Alan Slavin BOS liaison

- 1. **Treasurer's Report**: Town Acct. \$200- Gift Acct. \$1318.73. \$75 to be allotted for Makepeace Festival and now \$125.00 to be used by the end of June
- 2. **Minutes:** 2/7/18 read, corrected accepted 4-0-0. 3/7/18- read & corrected, accepted 4-0-0. 4/4/18-read & accepted 4-0-0.
- 3. WHC Memberships up for renewal by end of June
- 4. Tremont Nail Company Update: Ken Buckland Proposals- pollution from petrol & heavy metals, near the concrete block building, "in situ" treatment instead of tearing down building next to (added to) pickling building. \$200,000 grant from town meeting to upgrade area/buildings need to create a french drain by the freight building and replace the sill that has rotted from water sitting there for years with a proper footing and add decorative lighting from ceiling. Some required maintenance on the large building, opening the windows and use Plexiglas to replace broken glass in the factory building. As soon as DEP gives the ok when pollution is taken care of the project can start. Possibly two months from now.
- 5. Historic Plaque Program: 1895 Onset Village Plaque ordered for Susan G. Daly, 18 Fifth St, Onset
- 6. Cell Tower proposal on Main St, Wareham- not in our jurisdiction but we were asked to comment
- 7. AD Makepeace Harvest Festival Oct. 6 & 7, 2018
- 8. **Donations** Gary Franklin brought some antique 1866-67 handwritten papers from Tremont Nail Co business (Parker Mills Co) checks and receipts. 14 pieces in total. Angela will put them in our climate controlled room.

Meeting Adjourned 8:15 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Cheryl Knapp