

HARWINTON HISTRIC DISTRICT & HISTORIC PROPERTIES COMMISSION
MINUTES OF MEETING
Tuesday, June 15, 2010 – 7:00 pm

Present: Carole Romano, Roger Plaskett, Greg Marshall, Walter Nielson. Absent: Bree Gurin, Jennifer Grady. Quorum established, meeting opened at 7:10 pm by Chairman Carole Romano.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes of the May 2010 meeting were approved as submitted with one correction. The date for the next scheduled meeting should have read June 15, 2010.

NEW BUSINESS

Certificates of Appropriateness. No applications have been submitted.

SIGNS

Roger has painted and repaired three signs. The Commission appreciates the assistance by the Town crew in replacing the sign posts. These signs were up and ready in time for Memorial Day. One sign remains to be painted.

HANDBOOK

The order for 100 books with perfect binding was placed with Oddo Printers. Cost: \$750. Carole will speak with the town bookkeeper regarding using the CLG funds.

BULLETIN BOARD

A Hartford Courant reporter met with Roger and Carole about the *This Old House Magazine* designation. Her article will appear in an upcoming issue of the Hartford Courants' Sunday Real Estate section. Portions of that article will be incorporated into the new display.

JONATHAN BRACE HOUSE

There has been no response by the homeowner of 90 Harmony Hill Road and a third letter was drafted. Carole met earlier in the day with Frank Chiaramonte to discuss the Town's unregistered vehicle statute. There are 2 abandoned cars on the property. The Torrington Area Health District maybe be contacted as well for their assistance with this home. All members present were in favor of going forward on this issue.

T.A. HUNGERFORD LIBRARY-MUSEUM

Roger reported that the Hungerford board has submitted their application for Connecticut Historical status. When their approval is finally granted, that board will need to meet with this Commission on how to go about becoming an historic property.

WEB PAGE UPDATE

Roger reported 290 hits on the website for May.

With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned by Chairman Carole Romano at 7:40 PM. The next regular scheduled meeting will be held on **Tuesday, July 20, 2010 at 7:00 PM.**
Respectfully submitted,

Joann Hohensee, HHD&HPC, Clerk