

Sturbridge Historical Commission

Minutes April 11, 2019

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Attendance: Barbara Search, Chair; Richard Volpe, Vice Chair; Bailey Applegate, member; Jeff Bridges, Town Administrator Absent: Cathy Zavistoski, secretary

Call to Order: 6:05 p.m.

Minutes: Feb. 21, 2019 RV moved to accept as written; BA 2nd, unanimous

Feb. 26, 2019 RV moved to accept as written, BA 2nd; unanimous

Reviewed Corian plaques and prices from Laser Lite in Southbridge

¼ in. 8"X8" = \$45 1/4in. 6"X8" = \$35 may be able to buy for two years if engraving is generic. BS will make samples available in HC mail slot.

BS presented draft of wording for signs at cemeteries and listed many resources to use for May 6 BOS presentation. Both should emphasize deterioration of stones. RV will make a power point for the presentation.

Bob Briere plans to attend May 6 and has asked Fannin & Lehner to attend

Old Business: Center Office Storm windows – BS spoke with Jeff Bridges. He will put together a RFQ to be sent out again since there was no response to the first effort.

New Business: BS received and distributed letter from MHC re: proposed changes to the National Register of Historic Places designation process. MHC is asking people to send letters to NPS opposing the changes. It was agreed the HC will send a letter as requested.

Adjourn: 6:40 p.m. RV moved; BA 2nd., unanimous

Respectfully Submitted,
Barbara A. Search, Chair