

**TOWN OF BOXBOROUGH
MINUTES OF PUBLIC MEETING**

BOARD/COMMITTEE: HISTORICAL COMMISSION

DATE: AUGUST 19, 2021 TIME: 7:30 PM

PLACE: BOXBOROUGH MUSEUM, 575 MIDDLE ROAD

Attendees: Kevin Mahoney, Alan Rohwer, Chad & Asya Childers; Absent: Brian Picca

(AGENDA):

MINUTES OF JUNE 10, 2021 MEETING - approved

PERSON INTERESTED IN HISTORICAL COMMISSION

- CHAD CHILDERS - He and his wife are present. We discussed what the Commission does & got background for him & his wife, recently moved to Middle Road Boxborough
- He was interested in the Commission & we loaned him copies of Portrait of a Town & the Lucie Hager history

MUSEUM

AIR CONDITIONING – INSTALLED – AUGUST 12!!

- THANKS TO KIM PELSER IN BUILDING INSPECTOR’S OFFICE
- INVOICE SIGNED OFF - hallelulja!

FREEZE FREE FAUCETS – START OVER

VETERANS TRIBUTE

FLAGS UP, PAVING & WW1 PLAQUE CLEANING COMPLETE

FINISH LANDSCAPING NEXT - excellent progress

Will be in good shape for a planned ceremony on November 11, 2021

LOCAL LORE “PASSION PROJECT”

NEW COMMUNICATION AND PRELIMINARY WEBSITE VERSION ONLINE

- CONTINUE TO SUPPORT AS REQUESTED
- WEBSITE LOCATION: <https://localloreproject.wixsite.com/mysite>
- Update on their work & visited their preliminary website

HISTORIC SIGNS

- STEELE FARM (RICHARDSON) ICEHOUSE SIGN READY TO BE INSTALLED
- WEST DAUGHTERS INFORMED
- Still need to coordinate on an installation date.

Got update from Jennifer Campbell on West Acton school name: No people names are planned. The “Boardwalk School” is under consideration. Somehow acknowledgement to the Nipmuc Indians may be incorporated.

New Select Board contact expected to be Diana Lipari

PROPOSED NEXT MEETING: OCTOBER 14, 2021

