

## **Weston Historic Landmark Commission Minutes of December 18, 2012 meeting**

Meeting called to order at 6:08 pm.

Present were Lyn Delph, Sheldon Delph, Vicki Bender, Tim Crampton and Bob Gilliland.

Minutes of November meeting were read, corrected and unanimously approved.

We decided to step up the focus on Saling House and changed time frame from 2 years to 1 year.

There was discussion regarding rotation schedule of officers. Sheldon will do a graph showing how the officers rotate. Hopefully, before we vote on new officers in January, 2013.

### **Old Business:**

Saling House will remain Endangered Place of focus

Sheldon is still trying to contact owners of the Old Post Office and Blue Mountain buildings

We need good clean clay for bricks to be made in Astoria, OR. Need to match colors. , Talked about possibly getting a news article out requesting info from public about need for good clay.

3f : about one-third done. Something from Trish?

The Signing grant still has \$5k in the coffers.

### **New Business:**

Cemeteries and CLG grants are due approx. Feb. 15, 2013.

The application is online this year. School wants to work on Bell which has issues because fill was used under tower making it unstable. A committee is needed to study this issue. The Saling House Committee wishes further work on front of building, particularly the windows and doors. And we have the Main Street Building and getting keystones back in. The Grant is \$13,600 this year.

The two Main Street buildings, the Old Post Office and The Blue Mountain Building, have serious problems that need to be repaired within one year. Foundation grants will be the best option for them. We recently found out that an Archeologist must be present if digging is going on to a depth exceeding 6 inches. Could affect digging involved with repairs to the School Bell Tower.,

Good of the order: discussion of how to correct wrong dates on Historic registers. Other types of mistakes are the names of original owners and wrong street names. Corrections can be submitted electronically. This is not referring to the National Register which requires an act of Congress to change in any way even if the mistake is obvious.

Meeting dismissed at 6:43.