

WESTON HISTORIC LANDMARKS COMMISSION

Approved Minutes

May 17, 2016

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm

Members present were, Bob Gilliland, Sheldon Delph, Heidi Heidi Delph, John Holte, and Tim Crampton, Liaison

The Minutes of the last regular meeting were not read and approved, as they were not available.

Sheldon gave a brief grants report. He pointed out that he had had several discussions with Bernice regarding the brickwork on the Long Branch and the matching funds required. He mentioned the cap work would be metal instead of the original brick.

Bob mentioned that he had attended a Pioneer Association meeting and informed them we were doing the Walking Tour as Jack had asked, he did not see it in the publicity. Heidi Heidi pointed out that it was on the Schedule Card. Bob apologized for missing it.

Sheldon continued with the Grants Report announcing that Blue Mountain Cemetery was successful in the second round a grants from the state. It has been recommended to concentrate on standing stones in danger of tipping in this round as more work can be accomplished with less money. All records have been located for the Methodist church and are ready to apply to be on the Historic Register.

More info has been found on the Rencken house and that is proceeding. As we know, the house was built by H B Nelson, owner of the Weston Brick Yard, which lead into a discussion of brick buildings and cellars.

Another Historical Resource mentioned was the 1892 Veterans Census available at the Library at Ancestry.com.

Bob mentioned the materials developed for the Walking Tour and the need for a long reach stapler. Bob suggested putting out the Weston binder full of historical data. Heidi Heidi suggested putting out 12 to sell at \$10 or maybe donation. He showed the History brochure developed with Trish but not put out for a couple years. He has updated it to say provided by WHLC and gives a new gmail address which repeated on business cards for the commission.

Sheldon mentioned the Heritage Tree Program and the maples on Broad. When talking with Kuri , he told the story of the gentleman who came through with a wagon full of locust seedlings. She thought that was a great story and maybe the locust would be the right tree.

Bob mentioned his Ukiah Book and maybe having it out. Everyone agreed. A price of a dollar or two could be placed on each, just to keep track.

Sheldon discussed the use of Dropbox for sending files or folders.

Heidi moved that Bob be given a budget of \$100 to buy the stapler, binders, brochure paper, CD's and brochure stands. It was seconded by Sheldon and passed unanimously.

The meeting was closed at 8:20 pm.