DESIGN ADVISORY COMMITTEE TOWN OF GREAT BARRINGTON

TOWN HALL 334 MAIN STREET GREAT BARRINGTON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2017 5:00 P.M.

PRESENT: LISA LANDRY, CHAIR

JAMES MERCER

JONATHAN HANKIN PEDRO PACHANO

ED MAY, STAFF LIASON

Due to a lack of a quorum, the Committee members present had a brief discussion with a couple of members of the Railroad Street Youth Association who propose to put a mural on different buildings. The mural would be painted on several panels then installed on the side of the Triplex and in the alley way leading from Railroad Street to the Taconic parking lot. The panels would be mounted on the buildings with straps.

I. CALL TO ORDER:

Ms. Landry called the meeting to order at 5:37 P.M.

II. MINUTES: AUGUST 17, 2017

MOTION: Mr. Hankin to approve the minutes of August 17, 2017

SECOND: Mr. Pachano VOTE: All in favor

III. PERMIT FOR REVIEW: 271 MAIN STREET (Discussion/Vote)

Alana Lopez was present from Larkin LTD. with a sign permit application for Lawrence of London to install two flush mounted signs at 271 Main Street. One sign would be 46" x 96". The other sign would be 45" x 84". The signs will not be lit.

Mr. Mercer said the Historic District Commission approved the signs at its meeting last week.

MOTION: Mr. Pachano to approve the signage as presented

SECOND: Mr. Mercer VOTE: All in favor

20 RAILROAD STREET:

Phil Ghi from GHI Sign was present with a sign application for a 5.5 square foot projecting sign for 20 Railroad Street.

There was discussion regarding the lighting in the alley where the sign will be mounted. The Committee commented that the lighting in the alley is very soft so

there were concerns about the sign standing out. The Committee suggested a colder light in the alley.

Ms. Landry suggested the spacing between the letters to make the sign easier to read.

Mr. Hankin suggested reconsidering the color so it would stand out more.

MOTION: Mr. Pachano to approve the signage with above comments

SECOND: Mr. Mercer All in favor

IV. <u>CITIZEN'S SPEAK TIME:</u>

No one spoke.

V. ADJOURN;

Ms. Landry adjourned without objection at 5:59 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Kimberly L. Shaw

Secretary