

# TOWN OF GREAT BARRINGTON MASSACHUSETTS



## GREAT BARRINGTON HISTORIC DISTRICTS COMMISSION Regular Meeting Minutes from March 18<sup>th</sup> 2021 Town Hall via Zoom 6:30 pm

### **Attendees-**

Donald Howe, Chair  
James Mercer, Vice-Chair  
Abby Schroeder, Secretary  
Fred Clark, Member  
Marilyn Bisiewicz, Alternate

Not Present- Julie Fagan, Member; Bill Nappo, Alternate

### **REGULAR MEETING**

**Meeting called to order at 6:30 by Chair Howe.** Roll Call of attendees was called by the Chair.

Meeting Notes were not reviewed.

### **PUBLIC HEARINGS**

Public Hearings were continued to next regular meeting.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

**Veterans' Memory Garden-** Chair Howe noted that PDFs of Previous Town Hall site layouts were distributed to HDC members as examples of the items that are being reviewed by Sean VanDeusen for the Town and Steve Mack for Foresight.

**Veterans' Grants-** Chair Howe noted that the current flux of the site design at Town Hall impacts any new application for funding currently available.

**HDC Budget-** Chair Howe updated that the HDC Budget for Fiscal 2022 has successfully gone through the first review.

**Members' Terms-** The two terms that end in June will be filled with current members.

**CPA/CPC-** The Applications of the Mahaiwe Theater and the FCC/Manse were successful and will be on the Town Meeting Warrant.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

**Upcoming Public Hearings-** Chair Howe noted that two public hearings may be on the agenda for next month. Signs for the *Mahaiwe Block* and *City Store Block* are in process. Also, there is a pending sale of the *City Block Annex*.

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**Transformer Graphics-** Vice-Chair Mercer has a new source for the fabrication of large graphics in Boston with local installation by Larkin Signs. He will have an update at the next meeting.

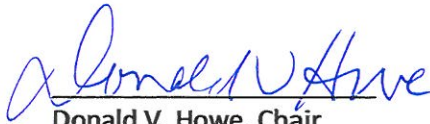
**OTHER BUSINESS**

**Citizen's Speak-** Mr. and Mrs. Forbes expressed their comments on Signage at 271 Main Street. No official action was taken.

**Next Meeting-** Next HDC Meeting will be the Regular Meeting on April 15<sup>th</sup> 2021 at 6:30pm.

**Motion to adjourn** at 7:15 pm by Marilyn Bisiewicz unless there is any objection with a second by Abby Schroeder.

Respectfully submitted by,

  
Donald V. Howe, Chair  
April-15-2021