

**TOWNSHIP OF MAHWAH
HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES
MONDAY, AUGUST 2, 2021 at 7:30 P.M.**

The meeting of the Historic Preservation Commission, held via remote video conference, was called to order at 7:34 p.m. by Anne Powley, Chair. The Opening Statement was read according to the Sunshine Law. Roll call was taken.

Present:

Anne Powley, Chair
Linda Dator, Vice Chair (*joined call at 7:51 p.m.*)
Yvonne Beatrice
Reshmee Cuman
Joyce Kubeck
Martha Steinbach, Alternate II

Absent:

Carol Greene, Historian
Ronald Wohlberg
Janet Ariemma, Council Liaison

Minutes

The minutes of the meeting held on May 3, 2021 were approved following a motion by Cuman; seconded by Beatrice. A roll call of eligible voters revealed three aye votes by Powley, Beatrice and Cuman.

The minutes of the meeting held on June 7, 2021 were approved following a motion by Powley; seconded by Beatrice. A roll call of eligible voters revealed three aye votes by Powley, Beatrice and Steinbach.

CHAIR'S REPORT

Mahwah Day Updates

Members discussed their respective assignments for Mahwah Day. Storms will follow up with Recreation to make sure the Historic booth is next to the Church's booth. Kubeck will work the booth from 12 p.m. to 2 p.m. Cuman said she will attend from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Powley said we cannot raffle off a custom portrait due to legal restrictions, so we will instead look for an artist we can hire to sell custom home portraits in an effort to fundraise. We will also start a Friends of the Mahwah Historic Commission. Our goal is to raise as close to the \$5,200 we need for Moffatt Road Cemetery as we can.

Bergen Rotary Club Presentation

Powley will present to the group on August 16 at 12:15 p.m.

Moffatt Road Cleanup Update

Beatrice will send photos of the repaired stones to the Daughter's of the American Revolution.

Publicity

Powley said she has several Facebook posts planned for the month of August.

Cragmere Historic District Committee

Powley asked Dator if she would like to assign members to the Cragmere subcommittee. Dator will prepare for our September meeting. Dator inquired about the Pluethner painting of Cragmere that is hanging in the museum office. She said it would be a great resource for the committee.

Cemetery Committee

Powley said she would still like to get some of our members on a cemetery committee. The only member currently on the committee is Cuman.

Facebook Committee

Powley said to let her know if anyone would like to help out on the Facebook committee.

National Preservation Workshop

Dator and Steinbach are currently registered for the seminar. If anyone would like to attend the upcoming NPC workshop, please let Powley know.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Nothing to report

GENERAL DISCUSSION

Nothing to report

OLD BUSINESS

Nothing to report

CORRESPONDENCE

The following correspondence was received and reviewed:

- Various agendas, minutes and public notices

NEW BUSINESS

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further questions or discussion, the meeting of the Historic Preservation Commission was adjourned at 8:33 p.m. following a motion by Cuman; seconded by Dator. All other present members voted in favor.

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 13, 2021 at 7:30 p.m. via remote video conference. These minutes are a synopsis of the Mahwah Historic Preservation Commission Meeting. A verbatim audio recording is on file at the Township Municipal Building.

J. Storms
Secretary