

Ashby Historical Commission

Meeting Minutes 5/24/24

Call to Order: 3:33 PM

Present: Alan Pease, Paul Lieneck, Rebecca Walsh, Heather Perry

Attending: Doug Leab

May 3, 2024 meeting minutes approved. Paul moved approval, Heather second, vote unanimous.

Alan reported on May 8th Select Board meeting. Select Board approved the Land Use Agent certify the Underutilized Properties Grant application.

No update on T-Mobile grant application.

Underutilized Property Grant update: The application is nearly completed. There are a couple of items to correct and letters of support to submit. Then it will be completed. Rebecca will help write a sample letter of support organizations can use.

Friends of Grange Update: They are meeting on June 4th to organize a 501c3. Heather will send out the Zoom link if anyone wishes to attend.

Ashby has been invited to participate in the 250th anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill on June 15, 2025 by the Charlestown Historical Society. Respond that we are interested in participating.

Art Fair on the Common June 22 –Friends of the Grange will do strawberry shortcake at the Grange, echoing the many fairs held there in the past.

Next meeting June 7, 2024th @3:30PM. May be postponed if there is no business to attend to.

Adjourned 4:15 PM

Respectfully submitted – Alan Pease